



# Albury Public School

Principal: Lianne Singleton



## Swimming Carnival

Thursday 8 February 2024

**Venue:** Albury Swim Centre

**Date:** Thursday 8 February 2024 from 9:30am - 2:30pm for all students that are in Years 3-6 and students in Year 2 who are turning 8 in 2024 **and** are competent swimmers **and** are competing in 50 metre events.

**Cost:** The cost of the event will be \$8.00 for those without a season ticket. Season ticket holders will still need to pay \$5.00 to cover the cost of the bus, timing equipment, blocks, lane hire and an O&M official. Season ticket holders will need to produce their season ticket at the venue on the day.

**Travel:** All students will travel to school first. After roll call, they will walk with their class and supervising teacher to the Albury Swim Centre. **It is expected that all students will travel to and from the carnival with their class.** Parents and caregivers are invited to attend. There will be a cost of \$3.00 for all spectators that is to be paid upon entry to the venue.

**Clothing:** Students will need to wear swimmers under their sports uniform or clothing in their house colours at the start of the day. They will also need to bring a towel, underwear to change into at the end of the carnival, sunscreen, a hat and a drink bottle with water.

**Food:** It is recommended that children bring a packed lunch, as the lines at the canteen can be long. The canteen will be available for some hot food, drinks, icy poles and lollies only. Please do not rely on the canteen for your student's lunch as waiting times and availability of food can vary.

**50 Metre Event Selection:** Due to technological difficulties and time restraints, **students who wish to participate in 50m, 100m and Medley races must nominate what races they would like to participate in by Tuesday 6 February.** Nominations will not be accepted after this date.

Events in the 25 metre pool will be held for students who do not wish to participate in 50m, 100m or Medley races.

### Events for selection in the school team for the District Carnival

- In the 50m pool, students who are **capable swimmers**, will be competing in their straight timed finals for **50m, 100m, Medley events, covering all strokes.**
- Students who place 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> **overall** in these events (times approved), will be eligible to attend the Zone Swimming Carnival on Thursday 22 February.
- Points will be awarded, and records will be kept. All points will go towards the House Point Trophy.

***Please return the attached permission note and money by  
Tuesday 6 February to the Office.***

Alex Takle & Bradley Fyffe  
**Swimming Carnival Coordinators**

Lianne Singleton  
**Principal**



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**Please return this note and money to the office in a sealed envelope, clearly labelled with child's name and class by Tuesday 6 February 2024**

**For the safety of your child please indicate by TICKING the most appropriate statement below.**  
Please tick one of the below statements in relation to your child/s swimming ability.

- A non-swimmer:** My child is unable to swim
- A weak swimmer:** My child is comfortable and confident in shallow water but cannot swim very well
- An average swimmer:** My child is a reasonable swimmer but is not very strong or confident in deep water
- A strong swimmer:** My child is a strong swimmer and is very confident in deep water

In relation to the proposed structured aquatic activities (please circle response):

My child is **permitted** to go in the water.

My child is **not permitted** to go in the water.

SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer

Date

**Student details (please print clearly)**

First name: \_\_\_\_\_ Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

**Student medical details**

Please detail any medical or special needs which the team manager should be aware of.

**Parent/Carer details**

First name: \_\_\_\_\_ Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_

of Class \_\_\_\_\_ to attend and participate in the **Albury Public School Swimming Carnival,**

**Thursday 8 February at Albury Swim Centre.** I acknowledge and consent to the DoE's information provided.

Signed parent / care giver: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please tick relevant boxes.**

I give permission for my child to have emergency medical treatment if required during this activity.

I enclose **\$8.00** for the swimming carnival (or have paid online). **Receipt Number:**.....

I enclose **\$5.00** for the swimming carnival as I have a **season ticket** for the Albury Swim Centre

**Receipt Number**..... **Season Ticket Number**.....

My child is in Year 2 and will be 8 years old. They are a competent swimmer and able to compete in 50m events.

## DoE Parent Acknowledgement

### Concussion Clearance

The Australian Medical Association recommends students being symptom free of concussion for 14 days before returning to sport.

- If your child/ward sustains a concussion, or experiences any concussion symptoms, in the 14 days period prior to the event commencing, you must report this to team officials, and a medical clearance is required in order for your child/ward to participate in the event.
- Medical clearances can be attached to this consent form or can be submitted to team officials separately.

### Parent/Carer Acknowledgment and Consent

- I have read the information provided and I hereby consent to my child/ward participating in this event.
- I confirm that my child will not attend if displaying symptoms of illness, and/or if directed to isolate under public health orders.
- I acknowledge that my child/ward will be under the duty of care of the supervising teacher during the event.
- I acknowledge that if my child/ward seriously contravenes behavioural expectation, they may be immediately excluded from the team. Should this eventuate, I accept full responsibility for my child/ward upon notification of their exclusion by the team manager including the cost return transport and accommodation.
- In the event of any accident or illness, I authorise the obtaining, on my behalf, of an ambulance and any such medical assistance that my child/ward may require. I accept full responsibility of expenses incurred.
- I acknowledge that if my child/ward sustains a concussion, or experiences any concussion symptoms, in the 14-day period prior to the event commencing, I am required to report this to team officials. I further acknowledge that, should this occur, my child/ward will only be permitted to participate in the event, if a medical clearance is provided.
- I affirm that, to the best of my knowledge, my child has no medical condition or injury that places them at risk by participating in this sport activity.

### Important information

In the event of injury, no personal injury insurance cover is provided by the NSW Department of Education for students in relation to school sporting activities, physical education lessons or any other school activity. The Department's public liability cover is fault-based and limited to breaches by the Department of its duty of care to students that may result in claims for compensation.

Parents/Carers are advised to assess the level and extent of their child/ward's involvement in the sport program offered by the school, school sport zone, region and state school sport Associations when deciding whether additional insurance cover is required prior to their child/ward's involvement in the program. Personal accident insurance cover is available through normal retail outlets.

Parents/Carers who have private ambulance cover need to check whether that cover extends to interstate travel and make additional arrangements, as considered appropriate.

The NSW Supplementary Sporting Injury Benefits Scheme, funded by the NSW Government, provides limited cover for serious injury resulting in the permanent loss of a prescribed faculty or the loss of use of certain prescribed parts of the body. The Supplementary Scheme does not cover medical costs or dental costs. Further information can be obtained from <https://www.icare.nsw.gov.au/injured-or-ill-people/sporting-injuries/payments/#gref>. Further information regarding student accident insurance and private health cover is provided at: <https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/sport/file/1449>.