2016 Swimming Carnival

DATE: Friday 5th February 2016

MARSHALL: 9.45am at school to board buses. 10.15am start at pool
Leaving pool around 2.15 pm for return to school.

VENUE: Ballina Pool

COST: Cost per student is:
$12 (this includes bus fare and entry to the pool).
$8.50 (this is for bus only if children have a season pass to BALLINA pool)

If you have a current season pass for Ballina pool, you must include a photocopy of it with your permission note.
ALL children are expected to travel by bus to the pool. (But can be taken home by parents once signed out at the recorders desk) This enables accurate numbers to be kept and wrists bands to be provided before we go to the pool.

WHO: Children turning 8 years and older in 2016

FOOD: Advisable that children bring own food and drinks.
Some food will be available from Pool Canteen. Children are not to buy soft drink or any products containing nuts.

WHAT TO BRING:  
WHAT NOT TO BRING:

Food and drinks (water)  Crepe paper/streamers
Hat and sunscreen/zinc/towel  Cameras
Small amount of money  Electronic games

POOL BOOKING: The Pool is booked for this event for COMPETITORS ONLY. Only students whose parents have nominated they can swim 50 metres unaided will be permitted to compete.
All children who participated in the swimming program at Ballina pool (with Francis) are expected to swim in their age race as they have confidently demonstrated that they can swim 50m. They will not be expected to swim in the other stroke or longer races.
Due to Departmental guidelines and availability of supervision no other person is permitted to swim in the pool.
Spectators (students and parents) are welcome, however entry to the pool is also $3.50.

Regards

Ginny Latta
Principal
I give my informed consent for my child to participate in the Teven-Tintenbar Public School Swimming Carnival at Ballina Pool on Friday 5th February 2016. I have enclosed:

☐ $12 (this includes bus fare and entry to the pool).
☐ $8.50 (this is for bus only as my child has a season pass to BALLINA pool. A photocopy is attached.

Child’s Name: ____________________________________ class: ______________

In relation to the proposed structured aquatic activities (please sign against ONE preference)

____________________ My child is permitted to go in the water - complete section below

____________________ My child is not permitted to go in the water

Signed parent / care giver

PLEASE ENSURE THIS NOTE IS FILLED IN CORRECTLY WITH YOUR CHOICES AS CHANGES WILL NOT BE PERMITTED ON THE DAY.

My child is permitted to go in the water (please sign against ONE preference)

A non swimmer: 
My child is unable to swim (no wristband provided) SPECTATOR ONLY

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

Based on the information given, our school will then issue your child with a red, blue or green wrist band.

NOTE: ONLY STUDENTS WITH GREEN WRISTBANDS WILL BE PERMITTED TO SWIM IN 100M AND INDIVIDUAL MEDLEYS

We always need helpers at our swimming carnival. If you can spare some time, please make yourself known to Mrs Latta or Mrs Lasserre at the pool on the day of the carnival.

COMPLETED PERMISSION NOTE MUST BE RETURNED BY TUESDAY 2nd FEBRUARY 2016.
NOTES RETURNED THE DAY OF THE CARNIVAL WILL MEAN YOUR CHILD WILL BE ATTENDING AS A SPECTATOR ONLY.