



Middle School House Swimming Carnival

Tuesday March 15th, 2022 9:30am-3:00pm- Kardinia Aquatic Centre, South Geelong.

Dear Parents,

This year's House Swimming Carnival aims to involve all students from Year 3 - 9 in both a competitive and non-competitive capacity. The College believes participation in House Competition is an integral part of the school sport program and asks all parents to support us in our aim of having our students participate. The program has been designed to cater for the swimming ability of every student with a **Championship** and **Novelty** section included in the program.

In the **Championship Events** students can compete in Freestyle, Breaststroke, Backstroke and Butterfly. Chosen students will compete in either Freestyle or Medley relays. The **Novelty competitions** involve activities held on the grass area and in the pools at Kardinia. These events are open to all students who wish to participate.

The procedure for the school day, Tuesday March 15th is as follows:

1. Students are to wear full Sport uniform to and from school (**house coloured polo shirts only please**). Bathers: Girls One-piece swimsuit, Boys: Speedo's or Navy-Blue Swim Shorts, towel packed. Christian College Bathers and Caps can be purchased from the Uniform Shop. Rash vests are optional for the event.
2. Students will be transported to Kardinia Pool at approx. 9:00am and will return to school for dismissal at 3:40pm (as normal).
3. **A Christian College broad brim hat must be worn.** Please ensure all garments including hats are clearly marked with your child's name and Homeroom.
4. Once at the venue students can dress up in **House Colours!** We certainly encourage this as it adds to the house spirit and atmosphere of the day! **There will be a best dressed competition this year!**
5. Students are not to wear hairspray, zinc cream or nail polish while swimming and streamers are to be kept out of the pool area. (This is a requirement of Kardinia Pool).
6. Students are encouraged to provide their own lunch, drinks, sunscreen and medical requirements (i.e. asthma inhalers).
7. **The kiosk will be available during the day** for some healthy options if students wish to purchase food.

NB: If you wish to drop/collect your child from the pool, please write to your child's Homeroom Teacher by **Friday March 11th**, explaining the time (no earlier than 8:15am and no later than 2.45pm). Students are collected from the entrance of Kardinia Pool only. A staff member will meet students and sign them out. **No** student is permitted to walk home from Kardinia Pool.

We are excited to be offering an invitation to all parents/guardians to join us at this year's House Swimming Carnival to see your children perform and soak in the House Spirit. Due to the current guidelines issued by the Victorian State Government and the COVID -19 operating protocols for Kardinia Aquatic Centre, parents/guardians will be asked to show proof of vaccinations to the staff at Kardinia pool on entry, and we will have a designated area for parents/guardians to view events in the FINA pool. We respectfully ask that any visitors remain in this area, rather than mingle amongst the student group.

Yours faithfully,

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