



## NORDS WHARF PUBLIC SCHOOL

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### Term 4 Swimming Program

Dear Parent / Caregiver,

Students in Years 2 to 6 are eligible to participate in a Swimming Program at Swansea Pool. This year, in following Department of Education guidelines, the program will be held daily over a two week period from Monday, 22nd October to Friday, 2 November 2018.

Instruction will be given by accredited and qualified instructors provided by the pool. There will be 3 ability groups with limited space available.

**Learn to Swim** – maximum 12 places. This class is for students who have little or no swimming ability. This lesson will run for 30 mins with an instructor and 30 mins by a teacher who will continue with fun, safe activities to promote safety in the Water and develop swimming skills.

**Intermediate** – maximum 15 places. This class is for students who can swim 25 meters and focuses on stroke correction and breathing techniques. This lesson will run for 30 mins with an instructor and 30 mins by Miss Crook who is AusSwim trained.

**Life Saving** – maximum 18 places. This class is for students who can competently swim 50 meters and focuses on teaching students **lifesaving skills**. This lesson will run for 60 mins.

All final placement in groups is determined by Swansea Pool Instructors after students complete a swimming test.

**The cost** of the program is \$90 per student. This covers, pool entry, instructors and bus travel to and from the school for the two weeks. The cost is being heavily subsidised by the school.

Students will leave school at 12:30 for a 1.00pm start. Students return to school by 2.30pm.

**As travel will be by bus, parent helpers will not be required.**

**Permission notes and money need to be returned to the office by Wednesday, 17th October 2018. As there are only 45 places in the program, they will be filled on a first in basis, regardless of whether the cut off date has occurred or not.**

**Supervisors will be class teachers and qualified instructors.**

**Requirement:** Students will need to bring their swimmers, towel, sunscreen and goggles. A swimming cap is optional. Please do not send your child with money as there will be no time to purchase from the canteen.

Jarla Brown  
Swim Scheme Coordinator

### Permission note for Term 4 Swimming Program

Return note and money to the office by Wednesday, 17th October 2018

I give my permission my child \_\_\_\_\_ in class \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the two week Intensive Swimming Program at Swansea Pool starting Monday, 22nd October. I understand that places are filled on a first in basis and that numbers are limited. **I have enclosed payment of \$90.**

My child will need to be enrolled in the (please circle)

**Learn to Swim** – Non Swimmer **Intermediate** – Swim 25 metres **Life Saving** – Swim 50 metres or more

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Parent / Guardian Signature