



LIHIR INTERNATIONAL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Lihir International Primary School Swimming Carnival

Thursday 19th October, 2017

First Race 4pm – students please arrive by 3:45pm

Dear Parents

Our school Swimming Carnival is this Thursday 19th October, beginning at 4pm.

In order for students to be well rested for this event school will finish at 12:45pm and students are required to report to the pool at 3:45pm.

Children have chosen the events they wish to participate in and a full program of events is attached to this note.

You will notice the program includes some events that have more than one age group or boys and girls swimming in the same race – judges are aware of this and points will be awarded for each age group in each race.

For example: 9 and 10 Year Old Boys 25 Metres Butterfly - 9 year olds will be judged as racing against the 9 year olds and the ten year olds racing against the 10 year olds. Girls will also be judged against girls and boys against boys. Team and individual points will be awarded accordingly.

During the Swimming Carnival, children will need to be in the marshaling area and ready for their races. If a child is not in the marshaling area and ready to move to their race they will miss that race.

The marshaling area is on the ocean side of the pool. This will be a busy area as students prepare for their races – we ask parents to watch and support from the oval side of the pool.

Kindy children will be the responsibility of their parents before and after their swimming event and we ask that Kindy children are not in the marshaling area during the Swimming Carnival.

Prep children will also need to return to their parents following their swimming event.

Presentation of Age Champions, Good Sports Awards and the Samuel Karabus Memorial Shield to the winning team will occur at Friday morning's assembly.

Following the Swimming Carnival, a hamburger will be provided for all students, families and school staff so please join us for this at the conclusion of the carnival.

If your child is not going to be here for the swimming carnival can you please let Miss Collins know, as soon as possible, to help with organisation of teams and events.

If you have any questions regarding Thursday evening's LIPS Swimming Carnival please contact Miss Collins at school.

Kind regards

Greg Neville
Principal