The School Swimming Carnival is to be held at Dapto Pool on Friday the 6th of February and will run all day. The swimming carnival is compulsory and all students must attend as there will be no lessons run at school. Year 7 and Year 10 peer support leaders will also complete a proficiency swim at the carnival, so they can attend the year 7 camp.

Students are to meet at the pool for an 8.28 roll call. The carnival will finish at 2.00pm and students will be dismissed from the pool at this time.

Students who catch a bus to school will either walk to the pool from school or be transported via the school’s mini bus. Only students arriving on late buses will be transported to the pool. Students will be supervised while walking. Students will not be supervised once they are dismissed at 2.00pm.

Entry to the pool will cost $3.00

Students should wear either house colours or PE shirt.

Students should bring their own hats, sunscreen, lunch and drinks, however, there will be canteen facilities available.

The program for the carnival is as follows:

1. 200m Medley
2. 100m freestyle
3. 50m breaststroke
4. 50m freestyle
5. 50m backstroke
6. 50m butterfly
7. House Relays
8. Dash for cash
9. Novelties

**Note:** There will be two divisions for each race, a serious event and a point’s event for your house where anybody can dive in and get wet and score points for your house. There will be a free swim lane. All students attending will swim a 25m proficiency swim, which will enable them to take part in future excursions involving water sports. The fastest 3 swimmers (4 swimmers in 50m Freestyle) will be eligible to compete at the zone carnival. The zone carnival is to be held on the Tuesday the 17th of February at Dapto pool.

If you qualify for the zone carnival and are unable to compete you **must** inform Mr Cattle before the zone carnival. (Especially if you are a member of a relay team. It is unfair for the 3 members of the team if you do not turn up. You must arrange a replacement swimmer with Mr Cattle to take your place.)

If you have any questions regarding the carnival, please contact Mr Cattle

Yours in swimming

Mr Cattle