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CATHOLIC COLLEGE

9th February 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians

The Grade 3 – 6 College Swimming Carnival will be held on **Friday 16th February** at the Clarence Aquatic Centre. **The carnival will run from 10.00am – 2.15pm. The 50m events will be held first with the 25m events due to start at approximately 11.45am.**

The carnival is designed to ensure all students are able to participate in a range of events at a distance with which they are comfortable. 25m events in all strokes are held across the pool at the shallow end while the 50m events in all strokes are held down the pool starting at the deep end.

Students in Grades 4, 5 and 6 will need to select if they are going to compete in either 25m events or 50m events. It is not possible to compete in both. **Grade 3 students will participate in 25m events in the shallow end only.** Selection for the school swimming team for Grade 4, 5 and 6 is taken from the swimmers in the 50m events. Grade 3 students only compete in 25m events and their selection is taken from these events.

If your child is in grade 4, 5 or 6 please discuss with your child the distance they feel comfortable with and fill in the form below. Please return this form to your **class teacher by Wednesday 14th February.**

Buses will depart both campuses at 9.00am and students will be transported back to their campus at the completion of their carnival.

Full school sports uniform is to be worn on the day. The children are to wear their bathers under their sports uniform and bring their underwear, towel, brush/comb, morning tea, lunch and a drink in their bag. Please ensure all items are clearly named.

Swimming caps must be worn in the pool when students are participating in events. All students need to bring a swimming cap in their house colour for personal use.

Please ensure students remember to bring any medication that they may require.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Nicole White
HPE Teacher

Mr Brendan Gill and Mr Joe Sandric
Co Principals

Grade 3 – 6 College Swimming Carnival

My childwill compete in the 25m events/ 50m events at the school swimming carnival on the 16th February. (Please circle)

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