



ST ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC COLLEGE

20th September 2017

2017 Schools Triathlon Challenge

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Students from Grade 4 and 5 have the opportunity to participate in the School Triathlon Challenge (STC) on Friday 8th December at Bellerive Beach. The Grade 6 students will be in Canberra at this time. The STC was started in 2008 with the aim on promoting healthy lifestyle choices for school students.

The triathlon can be completed individually or as a team event. Students can enter as an individual and then participate as a team member for the one payment of \$20. The entry fee of \$20 covers the entry fee and an official backpack, swim cap, finishers cap, wrist band, fruit and water. The course is flat and the times and distances are listed on the attached information sheet.

Students are to wear the school sports uniform, including a school hat, sunscreen and enough food and water to sustain them for the day.

The College will provide transport to and from the triathlon for the students. We would appreciate the assistance of any parents, especially those with trailers who may be able to transport bikes to the venue on the day.

Swim leg- wetsuits are allowed, but as it is short they are not compulsory. Swimming caps will be provided and goggles are optional.

Ride leg- helmets are compulsory. You must make sure that your bike is in good condition with tyres pumped up hard.

Run leg- Good running shoes are required and you must run with a top on with your number pinned to the front.

Please return the **permission slip, entry form and \$20** to the office by **Tuesday 27th September**.



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It is necessary to have the entry forms back by the end of this term as the organisers require all entries no later than the end of week one term 4.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions on 62290200, email nicole.white@catholic.tas.edu or visit the triathlon website www.schoolstriathlonchallenge.com

Mrs Nicole White
HPE Teacher

Mr Joe Sandric and Mr Brendan Gill
Co Principals

I give permission for who is in grade to participate in the Primary schools triathlon on Friday 8th December.

I am able/unable to help with the transportation of _____ number of bikes to and from the venue.

Name..... Signature.....

Phone number..... Email.....