

# MOUNT AUSTIN PUBLIC SCHOOL

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## School Swimming Scheme 2016

Dear Parents/Carers,

Arrangements have been made to include a learn to swim program in our school curriculum.

The Department of Education and Training School Swimming Scheme is an intensive learn to swim program which develops water confidence and provides students with basic skills in water safety and survival. The Scheme is conducted over ten days. Each daily lesson is 45 minutes.

Students who have not reached a satisfactory standard of water safety and survival skills and are unable to swim 25m confidently unaided in deep water are eligible to participate in the School Swimming Scheme. The Scheme focuses on weak swimmers in Year 2 (**must be at least 8 years old**) and Year 3 but provides for weak swimmers in Years 4 to 6 as well as students with special needs such as new arrivals in Australia and students with disabilities.

**Where:** Wagga Swim School.

**When:** Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September to Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September (10 days in total)

**Cost:** \$90 for the 10 days. This includes a swimming cap.

**What to Bring:** Students will need to bring their swimmers to school in a plastic waterproof bag with a towel and a hat. Please ensure that your child comes prepared each day and that all belongings are clearly labelled with their name. Sunscreen is not required as instruction will take place indoors.

**Students will not be permitted to return to school in wet swimmers or have their swimmers on all day. Girls must have their hair tied back off their faces.**

Students will be assessed during the School Swimming Scheme for all water safety skills without wearing goggles.

If your child is eligible for the Scheme please complete and sign the form attached and return it to the front office with payment by Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July. **NO LATE ENROLMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE AS INSTRUCTORS AND GROUP SIZES NEED TO BE FINALISED WITH WAGGA SWIM SCHOOL. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM THE PROGRAM WITHOUT PRINCIPAL APPROVAL.**

If you would prefer not to pay the whole amount at once, please take advantage of our offer to accept payments of \$30 for the first week and 6 payments of \$10 after that. Due dates will be 21<sup>st</sup> July \$30, 28<sup>th</sup> July \$10, 4<sup>th</sup> Aug \$10, 11<sup>th</sup> Aug \$10, 18<sup>th</sup> Aug \$10, 25<sup>th</sup> Aug \$10, 1<sup>st</sup> Sept \$10. Permission note **MUST** accompany the first instalment.

Regards

Melinda Mack  
Coordinator

Anna Middleton  
Principal

## Mount Austin Public School School Swimming Scheme 2015

I hereby consent to the attendance of my son/daughter.....in class.....  
at the School Swimming Scheme classes to be held at Wagga Swim School from Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September to  
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September.

I understand travel will be by bus and the total cost for the 10 day program is \$90.

I enclose (please tick)

☐ \$90.00 being full payment

**OR**

☐ \$30.00 being 1<sup>st</sup> instalment due by 21/07/16 and I will send \$10 per week due each Thursday for  
the following 6 weeks

***(Office use only)***

2 <sup>nd</sup> Instalment due 28/07/16	\$10.00 paid.....
3 <sup>rd</sup> Instalment due 04/08/16	\$10.00 paid.....
4 <sup>th</sup> Instalment due 11/08/16	\$10.00 paid.....
5 <sup>th</sup> Instalment due 18/08/16	\$10.00 paid.....
6 <sup>th</sup> Instalment due 25/08/16	\$10.00 paid.....
7 <sup>th</sup> Instalment due 01/09/16	\$10.00 paid.....

**Please send all payments directly to the office to enable all payments to be recorded immediately.**

In the event of injury or illness I also authorise (on my behalf) the seeking of such medical assistance that my  
child may require. Special needs of my child of which you should be aware (eg allergies, asthma, sensory  
impairment, etc):

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Signed..... (Parent/Carer) Date: .....