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#### **Zone Athletics Carnival**

13 August 2025

Dear Parents,

Your child has qualified for the 2025 Zone Athletics Carnival

This letter is to provide you with information regarding the **Zone Athletics Carnival**, details of which are outlined below.

Date: Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> August 2025

**Excursion to:** (New Venue) Harold Corr Oval Werrington Lakes, 32 Herbert St

Cambridge Park

**Dress:** All competitors must wear their school (sports) uniform. Please note,

students will NOT Be able to compete if not in uniform. Zone shirts or singles are not to be worn. Suitable footwear is compulsory for all events. Spiked shoes are permitted in all track and field events, except 800m and 1500m events. Spikes are permitted however; needle spikes are not and any competitor wearing needle spikes will be asked to remove them before competing. Starting blocks are permitted for all track events except 800, and 1500m events and the second and subsequent runners in relay events, however, they cannot be pegged into the ground. Students should bring a school

hat, sunscreen, recess, lunch and water.

Organising Teacher: Mrs Nelson

**Transport:** Private vehicle. Parents are asked to transport their child to and from

the event.

Parents are to park in designated areas and walk their child to their school's area, set up around the track to meet their teachers. Please note: parents are not permitted to or enter the track area — this is reserved for officials and competitors only. Athletes will be

able to leave upon completion of their event or events.

**Cost per student:** \$15 for carnival entry (This is a PSSA cost and includes spectator

entry).

Payment Method: Via Sentral Parent Portal

Permission & Payment

due by:

13<sup>th</sup> August 2025



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Principal: Adam Wynn

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If your child successfully gains a place in the Sydney West Cross Country Team, you will be required to purchase a Zone shirt or singlet (depending on what your child would prefer to compete in) for \$40.

Athletes are asked to stay in their school area when not competing. When your child completes their race, they will be assisted by officials to the finishing area before returning to their school area. Please ensure spectators, teachers and athletes who are not competing remain off the field and track. There will be a first aid area set up near the track should any athlete require it. Once athletes have completed their event, they will be directed back to the school area.

Important Information: In the event of injury, no personal injury insurance cover is provided by the NSW Department of Education for students in relation to school sporting activities, physical education lessons or any other school activity. The Department's Public Liability cover is fault-based and limited to breaches by the department of its duty of care to students that may result in claims for compensation.

Parents and Caregivers are advised to assess the level and extent of their child's involvement in the sport program offered by the school, school sport zone, region and state school sport

associations when deciding whether additional insurance cover is required prior to their child's involvement in the program. Personal accident insurance cover is available through normal retail insurance outlets. Parents who have private ambulance cover need to check whether that cover extends to interstate travel and make additional arrangements as considered appropriate.

The NSW Supplementary Sporting Injury Benefits Scheme, funded by the NSW Government, provides limited cover for serious injury resulting in the permanent loss of a prescribed faculty or the use of some prescribed part of the body. The Supplementary Scheme does not cover medical expenses or dental costs. Further information can be obtained from www.sportinginjuries.com.au Further information regarding student accident insurance and private health cover is provided at:

http://www.sports.det.nsw.edu.au/spguide/activities/general/resources/protection.php#medi

Please Note that all athletes, teachers and spectators are to follow the PSSA's code of conduct (attached).

Please complete the permission information and make payment via the Sentral Parent Portal.

Should you need any further information, please contact Mrs Nelson

**Felicity Nelson** 

**Coordinating Teacher** 

Adam Wynn

Principal

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#### **Privacy Notice**

The personal information provided on this permission note, will be used by the Department of Education and Communities for general administration and communication and other matters of welfare relating to your child at this event. The provision of this information is voluntary but your child may not be able to participate if it is not provided. This information will be stored securely and may be amended at any time by contacting the team management.

**Publishing student information:** The Department of Education and Communities may publish or disclose information about your child for the purposes of sharing his/her experiences with other students, informing the school and broader community. This information may include your child's name, age, information collected during this event such as photographs, sound & visual recordings of your child.

The communications in which your child's information may be published or disclosed include but are not limited to:

- Public websites of the Department of Education and Communities including the School Sport Unit website at www.sports.det.nsw.edu.au
  - the Department of Education and Communities intranet(staff only), blogs and wikis
- Department of Education and Communities publications including the school newsletter, annual school magazine and school report, promotional material published in print and electronically including on the Department's websites
- Official Department and school social media accounts on networks such as YouTube, Facebook and Twitter.
- Local and metropolitan newspapers and magazines and other media outlets.
- Parents should be aware that when information is published on public websites and social media channels it can be linked to by third parties and may be discoverable online for a number of years, if not permanently. Search engines may also cache or retain copies of published information.

Permission to publish: I have read the information about disclosing and publishing student information(above) and				
	I give permission		I do not give permission	
for the Department to publish and disclose information about my child in publicly accessible communications. This permission remains effective until I advise otherwise.				
SIGNED:	* ,			
	Parent/Caregiver		Date	

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### Office Staff to complete

Activity details to be added to the Sentral Parent Portal for Parents to acknowledge.

I give permission for my child to attend the Zone Athletics carnival at Harold Corr Oval Cambridge Park on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> August 2025

Yes

I understand that I am responsible to transport my child to and from the event

Yes

If you will not be transporting your own child, please list below the full name of who you have authorized to transport your child to and from the carnival

I have read and understand the attached Privacy notice and have read the information about disclosing and publishing student information and for the Department to publish and disclose information about my child in publicly accessible communication. This permission remains effective until you advise otherwise.

Yes/no

