Dear Parents,

BITTERN PRIMARY SCHOOL HOUSE SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2014

The Hastings District School Swimming Carnival will be held on Thursday, 27th February at Crib Point Pool. As part of the selection process to establish a Bittern team, we intend to hold a house swimming carnival on Monday 24th February for Grades 3 to 6. This carnival is a twilight event, starting: 4:30pm and finishing: 7:30 pm enabling the whole family to attend. We are looking to make the carnival a social event and are encouraging families to bring a picnic. A BBQ will also be available: $2.00 a sausage.

Parents will be responsible for arranging transport for their child/ren to and from the pool.

All children are expected to attend the carnival. Events for non-swimmers or those not confident in the water will be offered.

Remember to pack bathers, goggles, towel, hat, sunscreen, drinks and a plastic bag for wet clothes. A deck chair may also help. If time permits, we will have a staff v parents v students relay race.

Cost is $4.00 for all children swimming in an event. There is no further cost for family members attending.

As with every sporting event held, parent support is essential. We have had fantastic support in past years. If you are able to assist in any way, please complete the form below and return as soon as possible.

Children are encouraged to wear their house colours if possible. Could you please complete the consent form and return it to your class teacher, no later than Thursday 6th February 2014. As swimming lessons have not been completed at the time of issuing this note, could you also please indicate whether you feel your child is competent to complete any of the listed disciplines over 50 metres.

Thanks for your co-operation in this matter.

STEVE ESPENSCHIED
P.E. CO-ORDINATOR

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I feel my child can competently complete the following 50m disciplines (please tick to indicate):

Freestyle □ Breast Stroke □ Backstroke □ Butterfly □

I give permission for my child _______________________________ Grade __________

To: attend the Bittern House Swimming trials on Monday 24th of February at Crib Point Pool.

I authorise the teachers in charge of the activities to consent, where it is considered impractical to communicate with me, to my child receiving such medical or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary.

Please find enclosed $4.00 to cover the cost of this activity.

I am ABLE / UNABLE to offer assistance on the day. (PLEASE CIRCLE)

NAME (please print): _______________________________________________

SIGNED: ___________________________________ (Parent/Guardian) DATE: ___________________