



## Online Form - Engadine Zone PSSA Swimming Carnival

Activity Name:	Engadine Zone PSSA Swimming Carnival
Date/Time:	Tuesday 5 March 2024 8:15am - 3:00pm
Description:	<p>Your child has been selected to represent our school at the Engadine Zone PSSA Swimming Carnival on Tuesday 5 March 2024.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>* Students are required to meet Miss Ross at 8:15am under the COLA at Engadine West PS.</li><li>* Students will have their names marked on the attendance roll and walk with Miss Ross to Engadine Leisure Centre.</li><li>* The carnival commences at 8:45am sharp.</li><li>* The carnival will finish at approximately 3:00pm and students will walk back to school escorted by Miss Ross.</li></ul> <p>PAYMENT INFORMATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>* Competitor fee: \$6.20</li><li>* EWPS silicone swim cap: \$7.50</li></ul> <p>Competitors are required to wear an EWPS swim cap. Students may wear their cap from previous years or borrow a school cap to wear at the carnival at no cost. If your child borrows a cap, it must be returned to Miss Ross at the completion of the carnival.</p> <p>Your child's account will be invoiced the competitor fee plus EWPS swim cap fee if required. A payment link will be sent via email.</p> <p>Parents are required to pay a spectator fee of \$2.00 at the pool entrance, if attending the carnival.</p>
Venue:	Engadine Leisure Centre (Anzac Avenue, Engadine)
Transport:	Walking - escorted by the teacher
Dress Code:	Full sports uniform including a hat
Food:	Fruit break, recess, lunch and a water bottle
Please Bring:	Students will need to bring: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>* sunscreen</li></ul>

	<p>* a towel</p> <p>* wet weather gear to wear whilst not in the pool</p> <p>Students are not permitted to bring mobile phones or smart watches. These must be signed in at the school office prior to leaving school.</p> <p>Please ensure all belongings are labelled.</p>
<b>Additional Information:</b>	The Sydney East Regional Swimming Carnival is to be held at the Homebush Swimming Centre on Monday 11 March 2024. If your child qualifies for the Sydney East Regional Swimming Carnival, they will be provided with relevant information on the day.
<b>Due Date:</b>	Thursday 29 February 2024

\* indicates a required field

I have read the above details and give consent for my child, to attend the Engadine Zone PSSA Swimming Carnival \*

☐ Yes ☐ No

Student Name:

Parent/Carer Name: \*

Parent/Carer Phone Number: \*

Additional needs of my child:

Please select one option below:

My child will borrow an Engadine West PS swim cap to wear at the carnival at no cost. If damaged, however, I agree to pay \$7.50 to replace the cap. I understand my account will be invoiced \$6.20 to cover the cost of pool entry:

☐ Yes

☐ No

I wish to purchase an Engadine West PS swim cap for \$7.50. I understand that, with the cost of \$6.20 pool entry, my account will be invoiced a total of \$13.70:

☐ Yes

☐ No

**My child already has an Engadine West PS swim cap. I understand that my account will be invoiced \$6.20 to cover the cost of pool entry:**

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

NSW Health has advised of very high rates of cryptosporidiosis, a diarrhoeal disease, in the community. The main symptom of cryptosporidiosis is watery diarrhoea and stomach cramps. Fever, vomiting and loss of appetite occur less commonly. Most healthy people will recover within 3-7 days, although symptoms can persist for up to 30 days. Pools are of significant concern because they are a potential source of outbreaks affecting many people. Cryptosporidium is not easily destroyed by chlorine at the normal operating concentrations found in pools.

**To mitigate transmission risk at our upcoming school swimming carnivals, students experiencing gastrointestinal symptoms such as diarrhoea within two weeks prior to the event will not be allowed in the water. Parents/carers are to:**

- **inform the school if your child is experiencing, or have experienced in two weeks prior to the carnival, gastrointestinal symptoms such as diarrhoea.**

Students are reminded to wash hands regularly with soap and water and avoid swallowing pool water to further reduce transmission risk. More information on cryptosporidiosis can be found here:

**Cryptosporidiosis fact sheet – NSW Health**

(<https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/Infectious/factsheets/Pages/cryptosporidiosis.aspx>)

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**I acknowledge that this activity is required to be held in accordance with any current NSW health COVID-19 Public Health Orders and the NSW Department of Education's policies and procedures. I acknowledge and accept that there is a risk that my child may be exposed to COVID-19 whilst attending and participating in this activity. I confirm that my child will not attend school if displaying any symptoms of illness, and/or if directed to isolate under health orders:**

- ☐ Yes

**Parent/Carer Signature: \***