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ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Dear Parents/Carers,

Our school athletics carnival is always a day of lots of fun. As it is considered a normal school day, all students who are turning 8 this year or older are expected to attend the carnival. Students will participate in 100m, 200m, 800m, Long Jump and High Jump. Some field events will be conducted at school at a later date. Students will compete in their **AGE GROUP** which is determined by the **AGE THEY TURN IN 2021**.

This year, **all students will travel to and from Mingara on the buses provided**. Therefore, no parents/carers are to drop students at Mingara. An additional bus has been booked to eliminate crowding. Students are required to be at school before **8:45am for roll call**.

As the Athletics Carnival is being conducted at Mingara Athletics Centre, **parents and spectators are permitted to attend**. Parents and spectators **must** comply with current Covid-19 physical distancing practices. Spectators **will be** required to register their attendance at the event. It is important to limit interaction between students and spectators therefore, parents/spectators will be asked to position themselves in separate areas/spaces which will be marked by Mingara. Any parent/spectator or participant who is unwell, **must not** attend.

- Where:** Mingara Athletics Centre
- Date:** Friday 19th March, 2021
- Depart:** Niagara Park Public School at **9:00am (Roll Call at 8:45am)**
- Travel:** Red Bus Company
- Cost:** \$7.00 (this includes bus fare and entry into Mingara)
- Final Date For Payment:** **Wednesday 17th March, 2021**
No money will be accepted on the day of the carnival

Requirements: Students are encouraged to wear their house coloured T-shirt and appropriate footwear (spikes can be used in Long Jump, 100 and 200 metre events only), hat, warm tracksuit and blanket/towel/tarpaulin to sit on in case the seats in the new grandstand are wet.

Please complete the permission slip below and return to the office with your payment. Remember to check with the office if you feel you have fees in advance and wish to use them for this excursion.

Yours sincerely,

Dane Hartshorn
Sports Coordinator

Vicki Young
Principal (Relieving)

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I give permission for my child _____ of class _____ to attend the school athletics carnival on Friday 19th March, 2021 at Mingara Athletics Centre.

I understand travel is via bus and that **my child needs to be at school by 8:45am for roll call**.

Child's Special Needs: _____

Signed: _____ (Parent/Carer) Date: _____

If payment is made online, my receipt number is: _____