



AVONDALE GRAMMAR SCHOOL SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2010

13th October 2010

Dear **Avondale Families**,

Avondale Grammar Swimming Carnival, 2010

The staff and students are looking forward to our Swimming Carnival on **Tuesday, 19th October 2010** and hope many of you can join us. This carnival will only be cancelled if extreme weather conditions prevail in the afternoon / evening.

The carnival this year is being held at Toa Payoh Swimming Complex. The carnival will commence at 6pm and finish at approximately 8.30pm.

Event Details

Date: Tuesday 19th October
Time: 6pm – 8.30pm/845pm
Venue: Toa Payoh Swimming Complex
301 Toa Payoh Lorong 6
[Click Here for Map](#)

Running Schedule

5:45pm All students and parents arrive at Toa Payoh Swim Centre; all students must be accompanied by a parent for the duration of the carnival

6pm – 845pm The carnival begins; all ages will participate from Kindergarten to Year 6

Supporters:

The evening carnival is designed to promote a “family” atmosphere so please come along and support our annual swimming carnival.

Students are required to wear their Country Colours (Norway –red, Argentina -blue, Ghana - green). Students will also need to have swimmers, towel, goggles (if needed), water bottle, and a snack

Important points to note:

- Students must bring their own snack and water bottle. There will be extra water on hand for the event.
- Students must be wearing their flip flops, bathers and their country coloured t-shirts. If you do not want your child to wear caps supplied by the school, please buy one for your child prior to the evening with their designated country’s colour.
- Children should get into the spirit of the evening by organizing banners and chants for their teams (no confetti as the swimming complex does not allow this)

- Children who suffer from Asthma should bring their medication with them. The school cannot supply additional puffers as this is prescription only supply.

Preschool Students:

Preschool children will not participate in the Carnival (due to the depth of the 50m pool), however they are very welcome to come and cheer for their siblings and friends and for their countries.

Parent Volunteers:

We will need parent volunteers on the evening to help marshal and assist the younger children in Kindergarten and Year 1 swim in their lanes. If you can help out please either contact PA Co-President Sam Barber or email admin@avondalegs.com.sg

Dinner:

Bring along sandwiches, snacks and drinks to sustain yourselves and your children during the carnival.

The Pool Canteen:

This is 'out of bounds' to Avondale students as it is in a different section of the complex. However parents wishing to purchase snacks or drinks may wish to make use of this facility given that it is an evening event.

Forms to Print, Sign and Submit

The Permission Slip/Indemnity Form needs to be submitted to the Classroom Teacher by **Friday 15 October 2010**. Please click on the form below:

(1) [Permission Slip & Indemnity Form](#) Kindergarten to Year 6 Students

School on Wednesday 20 October:

To allow some recovery time, school on Wednesday 20 October will commence from 10:30am with recess. Should this not suit your family's needs supervision will still be available from the normal time of 8:30am. School bus services will operate later in the morning and the bus company will contact families affected to advise them of the specific adjusted pick-up time for their children.

We look forward to an enjoyable evening with everyone getting into the spirit of the event.

Kind regards,

Andrew Coote
Head of Avondale Grammar School