

ACTIVITIES WEEK POOL DAY PERMISSION NOTE

Dear Parents and Carers,

Get ready for a splash of excitement! Week 10 Activities Week is just around the corner, and we're thrilled to announce that one of the highlights will be a fantastic pool day at the amazing Dickson Pool. Please see below the details about all the fun planned for your child during this eventful week.

The completed permission notes and payment should be returned to the Finance Office by **Friday 6th of December (Week 8, Term 4 2024)**.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Venue: Dickson Pool, 152 Cowper St, Dickson ACT 2602

Date: Thursday 12th December.

Time: 9:00 am -3:00 pm

Transport: ACTION Buses from School to the pool and return by 3:00 pm.

Cost: \$17 (this cost covers bus transport, pool entry and staffing)

Food: Students will need to bring their own food and drink to sustain them for a day of physical activity. Drink Bottles can be refilled at the venue. Students are encouraged to bring their own food but some food may be available via a canteen run by Dickson Pool. Students are not able to leave the venue during the day to purchase food.

Clothing: Sun safety is a priority. Swimmers, including a sun safe t-shirt, towel, hat, sunscreen, backpack, drink bottle, change of clothes.

Teacher in charge: Teegan Townsend

Mount Stromlo's front office can relay messages to staff and students on the excursion during school hours. Withdrawing from this excursion with less than 3 school days' notice requires a medical certificate for a refund to be granted. If you have any questions regarding this excursion, please contact Teegan Townsend on 6142 3444 or email teegan.townsend@ed.act.edu.au

Regards
Teegan Townsend
Executive Teacher - HPE Faculty
Mount Stromlo High School

Permission for Dickson Pool Day

As a part of this assessment and to help ensure the safety of your child, please provide the following information:

1. **Name of Child:** _____

2. **School Year:** _____

3. **My child can swim:** No

Yes

4. **Distance my child can confidently swim:**

10m

25m

50m

100m

5. **I agree to my child taking part in swimming / aquatic activities associated with this excursion.**

Name of Parent / Carer: *(please print)* _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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I give permission for my child _____ to attend the **ACTIVITIES WEEK POOL DAY** on Thursday 12th December 2024. **(Week 9, Term 4)**.

- Have there been any changes in your child's medical status since you last provided the school medical information? Yes No

If yes, an updated [Medical Information and consent](#) is required to be completed

- Will your child require medication to be administered during the excursion (e.g. allergy medication, pain relief)? Yes No
- Is there any additional information you need to provide to support your child's participation in this excursion? Yes No

If yes, please provide these details to your child's teacher.

Staff accompanying students on excursions will take all reasonable care while the students are in their charge to protect them from injury and to control and supervise their behaviour and activities. I agree to my child participating in the activities associated with this excursion mentioned previously. I have discussed with my child the need for sensible behaviour on this excursion. I authorise the school to make arrangements for the welfare of my child (including medical or surgical treatment) in an emergency and I agree to meet the associated costs. I have provided to the school all medical information relevant to my child attending this excursion.

Parents should be aware that staff members are not responsible for injuries or damage to property which may occur on an excursion where, in all circumstances, staff have not been negligent. Parents should warn children of the risk to themselves, to others and to property, of impulsive, wilful or disobedient behaviour. I agree that my child will be under the authority of the school for the duration of the excursion and that the school is authorised to return my child to school or home at my expense if the school considers that circumstances warrant such action. I give permission for my child to travel by private car, driven by a staff member or parent, in an emergency.

It is customary for the school to request a financial contribution towards meeting the cost of your child's participation in this excursion. The school has made every effort to keep costs for this activity at a reasonable level. We have an equity fund which can be used to provide financial assistance for students where parents are unable to meet the requested contribution. If, however, there is insufficient total funding available to meet the cost of the camp/excursion, regrettably, we may not be able to proceed.

Full name of parent (please print): _____

Signature of parent: _____ Date: / /202__

PAYMENT SLIP

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Student Name: _____ TEAM :_____ Amount Enclosed \$_____

Payment Options: Fee Code: **POOLDAY**

Quickweb Cash Cheque

Online payment is the preferred method of payment via the Mount Stromlo High School website

On-line Credit/Debit Card Westpac Quickweb : <http://www.mountstromlohs.act.edu.au/payment>

Payments can also be made in person with cash, cheque or EFTPOS

If you need any assistance with funding support please contact Melissa Wales at the finance office at Melissa.Wales@ed.act.edu.au.

If you fill in this form, your personal information and that of your child will be collected and handled by the ACT Education Directorate (EDU) This information is necessary for us to manage student participation in excursions, and support the welfare and safety of your child. If you do not consent to supply us with this information your child will be unable to participate in the excursion. Normally, we will not use or disclose this information for another purpose, without your consent, unless you would reasonably expect us to use or disclose the information for a related purpose. Normally we only share information with school staff and, where necessary, parents or volunteers assisting with the excursion in order to appropriately and effectively manage the excursion. The Directorate has a privacy policy that explains how we handle personal information, including how we handle privacy complaints. The policy is available on the Directorate's website (www.det.act.gov.au) on the About Us page.