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Dear Parents and Carers,

NSWPSSA State Knockout Competition

Your child has been selected to represent Corrimal Public School as part of our Girls/Boys Touch Football Team in the 2024 NSWPSSA State Knock Out Competition. We would like to congratulate you on this wonderful achievement, and we wish the team all the best for a very successful tournament.

In trialling against other students from our school, your child has demonstrated an impressive level of skill, behaviour, teamwork and overall attitude. As representatives of CPS, they will be expected to maintain these high standards leading up to and during the competition. Our selected students have been made aware that they may be replaced on the team if their behavioural choices at school fall below expectations. We do not anticipate this occurring, however, as both teams are comprised of motivated, responsible students who have made us very proud so far this year.

Training has already taken place at school and will continue to be held each week, for the remainder of the term.

Round 1 of the competition will see both our Girls and Boys teams facing off against **Corrimal East Public School**. Matches will be held during school hours. If our teams are successful in making it through to the next round, you will be notified of the next date/location.

DETAILS OF EXCURSION				
Venue	Corrimal East Public School – Duff Parade East Corrimal			
Day/Date	Wednesday 1 May 2024			
Times	Start	Students will leave approx. 9.20am	Finish	Students will be back before home time
What to Wear	Full sports uniform – students can bring specialised boots in their bag (no sharp studs)			
What you need to bring	School bags with packed lunch, recess, drink bottle and school hat			
Transport	Walking with teacher supervision			
Organising Teacher(s)	Mr Connor			
Activities	Touch Football			
Cost	NIL			

If you would like any additional information, please contact the organising teacher at the school on 42844 231.

If you would like your child to attend, please complete the attached Consent Form and return by

Wednesday, 10 April 2024

Regards

Mr Dominic Connor
Organising Teacher

Mrs Rachel Brown
Relieving Principal

Concussion Clearance

The Australian Medical Association recommends students being symptom free of concussion for 14 days before returning to sport.

- If your child sustains a concussion, or experiences any concussion symptoms, in the 14 day period prior to the event commencing, you must report this to team officials, and a medical clearance is required in order for your child to participate in the event.
- Medical clearances can be attached to this consent form or can be submitted to team officials separately.

Important Information

In the event of injury, no personal injury insurance cover is provided by the NSW Department of Education for students in relation to school sporting activities, physical education lessons or any other school activity. The Department's public liability cover is fault-based and limited to breaches by the Department of its duty of care to students that may result in claims for compensation.

Parents/Carers are advised to assess the level and extent of their child's involvement in the sport program offered by the school, school sport zone, region and state school sport Associations when deciding whether additional insurance cover is required prior to their student's involvement in the program. Personal accident insurance cover is available through normal retail outlets.

Parents/Carers who have private ambulance cover need to check whether that cover extends to interstate travel and make additional arrangements, as considered appropriate.

The NSW Supplementary Sporting Injury Benefits Scheme, funded by the NSW Government, provides limited cover for serious injury resulting in the permanent loss of a prescribed faculty or the loss of use of certain prescribed parts of the body. The Supplementary Scheme does not cover medical costs or dental costs. Further information can be obtained from <https://www.icare.nsw.gov.au/injured-or-ill-people/sporting-injuries/payments/#gref>. Further information regarding student accident insurance and private health cover is provided at <http://app.education.nsw.gov.au/sport/file/1449>.

I give permission for my son/daughter _____ of Class _____ to attend the **Excursion** as outlined on the previous page:

NSWPSSA State Knockout Competition – Wednesday, 1 May 2024 – Mr Connor

Student Code of Conduct (Student to complete)

I (name) _____ agree to abide by all the rules of the events and to obey all requests given to me.

SIGNED: _____
Student signature Date

Please complete the following to assist us to support your child on the excursion. It is important that you provide any information that may be important for us to know given the activities the students will undertake

Parent/Carer Acknowledgment and Consent

- I have read the information provided and I hereby consent to my child participating in this event.
- I acknowledge that this event/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 at this event.
- I confirm that my child will not attend if displaying symptoms of illness, and/or if directed to isolate under public health orders.
- I acknowledge that my child will be under the duty of care of the supervising teacher during the event.
- In the event of any accident or illness, I authorise the obtaining, on my behalf, of an ambulance and any such medical assistance that my child may require. I accept full responsibility of expenses incurred.
- I acknowledge that if my child sustains a concussion, or experiences any concussion symptoms, in the 14-day period prior to the event commencing, I am required to report this to team officials. I further acknowledge that, should this occur, my child will only be permitted to participate in the event, if a medical clearance is provided.
- I affirm that, to the best of my knowledge, my child has no medical condition or injury that places them at risk by participating in this sport activity.

Name: _____

SIGNED: _____
Parent/Carer Date

School Sport Unit

Code of Conduct

The School Sport Unit Code of Conduct underpins core values of the NSW Department of Education in which every student is known, valued and cared for. This code of conduct applies to all students, parents, teachers, officials and spectators when attending events coordinated by the NSW Department of Education School Sport Unit.

Students and participants code of conduct

- ✓ Give your best and demonstrate exemplary sportsmanship at all times
- ✓ Play for your own enjoyment and benefit
- ✓ Cooperate with team mates, coaches and all officials - without them you do not have a competition
- ✓ Follow the rules at all times
- ✓ The School Sport Unit and all sporting associations have a proud record – strive to uphold it both on and off the sporting arena.

Teachers, team management and officials' code of conduct

- ✓ Place the safety and welfare of students above all else
- ✓ Set a good example for students/participants
- ✓ Teach students the rules and to be respectful of all officials
- ✓ Develop student potential and support learning with positive feedback and encouragement
- ✓ Keep well-informed of the rules, skills and coaching/officiating requirements
- ✓ Adhere to policy and mandatory reporting requirements.

Parents and spectators code of conduct

- ✓ Model good behaviours and encourage children to have fun and enjoy participating
- ✓ Focus on effort and performance and not winning or losing
- ✓ Be respectful of officials decisions and encourage other parents and spectators to do the same
- ✓ Abide by NSW Department of Education policy of a smoke and alcohol free environment.

Note

The School Sport Unit may impose disciplinary measures on an individual or organisation for a breach of this code of conduct. Any disciplinary measure imposed will be consistent with NSW Department of Education policy.