Your child has the opportunity to try out for the Edwin Flack District Swimming Carnival to be held on Wednesday 4th March, 2015. To compete they must be able to swim 50 metres competently in one or more of the recognised strokes – Freestyle, Backstroke, Breast Stroke or Butterfly. The regulations are very strict as the winners of the District Event go on to Divisional, Regional and State Finals. It is important that students enter events under the condition that they can swim 50m in their preferred stroke. In previous years, students have had difficulty with the distance. It may be advisable for students to practise the 50m in their preferred stroke before the trials.

The school trials will be held on Tuesday 17th February at Koo Wee Rup Swimming Pool from 9.30-12pm. As this is the second full week back of the new school year it is important that children wishing to compete return the form below by the date indicated, to get an idea of how many participants we will have. Students will travel by bus to and from the pool. If you can assist I would be most grateful as there are a number of events to determine for each age group. Please let me know on the return form. Students will be required to bring their own towel, goggles, sunscreen, hat, drink bottle and lunch. It would be preferable if students could be wearing their bathers under their clothes so that we can get started as soon as we arrive.

The age groups are 10, 11 and 12/13 years. The age group categories are recognised by your child’s age on 31st December 2014 (i.e. if your child has turned 11 or is turning 11 this year, they would be in the 11 years age group).

The cost for the pool hire and bus will be approximately $12.00 per child.

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND ANY MONEY TO SCHOOL THIS YEAR. PAYMENT IS DUE SECOND WEEK BACK IN 2015.** Another notice will go out early next year for payment to be made.

If interested, please complete the slip below and return to Ms Roman before the end of school on Tuesday 16th December 2014.

Camelia Roman, P.E. Co-ordinator

Child’s Name: ___________________________  Grade: __________

Child’s age at 31st December 2014: ___________________________

Events for which he/she wishes to try out:
- Freestyle
- Back stroke
- Breast stroke
- Butterfly

I am available to help with the trials on the Wednesday: YES □  NO □

Name __________________________________

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