



Figtree Public School

Respect, Safety, Learning

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CENTRAL WOLLONGONG SOUTHERN GALA DAY YEARS 3 - 6

- SPORTS:** Soccer - Stage 2 AND Stage 3 Girls
Dragon Tag - Stage 2 Boys
AFL - Stage 3 Boys
- DATE:** Friday 26th May, 2023
- VENUE:** Thomas Dalton Park, Fairy Meadow
- TIME:** 9:15am – 3:00pm (normal school times)
- TRANSPORT:** BUS to and from Thomas Dalton Park, Fairy Meadow
Depart school at 9:15am
Return by 2:45pm
- COST:** \$10.00
Payments can be made online on 'Pop' using the title 'Term 2 Gala Day'.
- NEED:** Wear full sport uniform
Shin pads (Girls must wear them for soccer. Please provide if you already have pair as the school has a limited supply)
Hat (compulsory)
Sunscreen
Food for lunch and recess
Water bottle(s) (compulsory) *** please no glass bottles ***

NOTE: ensure all belongings are clearly labelled with name.

**** THERE WILL BE NO CANTEEN FACILITIES AVAILABLE****

Supervising Teachers: Mrs Calderaro, Ms Shannon, Mrs Darby, Ms Haberkorn, Mrs Diamant.

Please read over the Student Code of Behaviour and ensure your child is aware of the Code of Conduct prior to attending the Gala Day.

Please remind your child about SUNSMART and the need to bring a hat and their own sunscreen to be applied throughout the day.

All students will depart school by bus and return to school by bus. No students will be permitted to be dropped at the venue or picked up. Thank you for your understanding.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Diamant on (02) 4271 6888.

Please return the permission note to your child's class teacher by Friday 12th May, 2023.

Erin Diamant
Gala Day Coordinator

Melissa Harding
Principal



Student Code of Behaviour

- When chosen to represent the school at Central Wollongong PSSA, Northern Illawarra Zone, South Coast Area, State, Gala Days or any other external sporting event, students are expected to behave in an exemplary manner both on and off the sports field. This includes wearing a full school sports uniform. When representing the school students may be expected to wear representative shirts.
- Full school sports uniform includes wearing a school hat and necessary safety equipment for specific sports (i.e. helmet, shin pads, mouth guard etc.) Soft studs are only to be worn while playing rugby league, rugby union, touch, AFL and soccer. They must be removed upon return to school. The same applies to shin pads and other safety gear.
- Students are to sign a Player Code of Conduct prior to attending Central Wollongong PSSA sport, district trials and Gala Days (competitive and non-competitive) and any other external sporting event. It is expected that students uphold the Player Code of Conduct at all times, which they must agree to and sign. Failure to do so will result in behaviour management procedures being put in place, as stated in the school's Student Welfare Policy.
- The convenor will contact the school if there is a breach of this code of conduct by any student attending sports and trials.
- Players, parents, spectators, teachers and coaches must all abide by the District PSSA Code of Conduct Policy.
- The school reserves the right to suspend a student's participation in sporting activities if their behaviour is inappropriate in any school activities.

GALA DAY CONSENT FORM – YEARS 3 - 6

1. Student Details (Please print clearly)

Student Full Name: _____ Class: _____

2. Medical Details

Does your child have allergies? **YES / NO.**

If **YES**, please provide information: _____

Does your child suffer from asthma? **YES / NO.**

If **YES**, please provide information: _____

Has your child suffered a head injury / concussion in the last 10 days? **YES / NO.**

If **YES** a medical clearance must be attached.

Other important information: _____



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GALA DAY CONSENT FORM – YEARS 3 - 6

Parental Consent

- I have read the information issued and I hereby consent to my child participating in this event.
- I understand that my child will be under the supervision of teachers and sporting professionals.
- I have sighted the enclosed Code of Behaviour and agree that if my child seriously contravenes behavioural expectations, he/she may be immediately excluded from playing in any team. Should this eventuate, I accept full responsibility for my child upon notification of his/her exclusion by the supervising teacher.
- In the event of any accident or illness, I authorise the obtaining, on my behalf, an ambulance and any such medical assistance that my child may require. I accept full responsibility for all expenses incurred.
- To the best of my knowledge, my child has no medical condition or injury that places them at risk in participating in this sport activity.
- I give permission for my child to travel by bus to and from the venue.

SIGNED:

(Parent /Caregiver)

(Date)

SPORT REPRESENTATIVE CONSENT FORM

Sport: Term 2 CWPSSA Gala Day (AFL, Dragon Tag, Soccer)

Date: 26th May 2023

Time: 10am-2pm

Venue: Thomas Dalton Park
Fairy Meadow

Equipment: Shin pads
(for girls' soccer)



Return this consent form to your school by Thursday 11th May. **If we do not receive a signed consent form by this date, your child will not be allowed to attend the event.**

Student details (please print clearly)

First name: _____ Surname: _____

Date of Birth: _____ School: _____

Parent/Caregivers details (please print clearly)

First name: _____ Surname: _____

Address: _____

Suburb: _____ Postcode: _____

Phone: (M) _____ (W) _____

Email: _____

Student Medical Details (please print clearly)

Medicare Number: _____ Exp Date: _____

My child is allergic to: _____

Does your child/ward have an ASCIA action plan? **YES or NO** (please circle).

If **YES**, a copy must be attached to this consent form.

Please detail any medical or additional requirements which the team manager should be aware of, including any behaviour management or other specialised plans. (Copies of details / plans to be attached).

Concussion Clearance

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

If your child/ward sustains a concussion, or experiences any concussion symptoms, in the 14 days period prior to the event commencing, you must report this to team officials, and a medical clearance is required for your child/ward 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 and caregivers are advised to assess the level and extent of their child's / ward's involvement in the sport program offered by the school, school sporting zone, region and state school sport associations when deciding whether additional insurance cover is required prior to their child's/ward's involvement in the program. Personal accident insurance cover is available through normal retail insurance outlets. Parents 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 use of some prescribed part of the body. The Supplementary Scheme does not cover medical expenses 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: <https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/sport/File/1449>.

Privacy Notice: The information requested in this note is being collected by the Department of Education. The Department will use the information, in connection with your child/ward's participation in this event, for the following purposes:

Administration.

Communication with parents/carers; and

For the health, safety, and welfare of your child/ward.

Additionally, the Department will use Information about your child/ward's Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander status for the purpose of implementing its Aboriginal Education Policy in the context of representative sport.

The provision of all information requested in this note is voluntary, however (except for information about Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander status), your child/ward may not be able to participate if it is not provided.

The Department might share the information requested in this note with health care providers if your child/ward requires urgent medical attention. All personal information will be held securely and disposed of securely when no longer needed.

You have the right to access and correct the information you provide in this note. If you wish to do so, please contact the South Coast School Sport Unit.

Permission to Publish Student information

The DoE may publish or disclose information about your child/ward for the purposes of event promotion and sharing results. This information may include your child's / ward's name, age, and school. It may also include information collected during this event such as photographs, live streaming, sound, and visual recordings of your child/ward. The communications in which your child's/ward's information may be published or disclosed include but are not limited to:

The event program and results

Public websites of the Department of Education including the School Sport Unit website the Department of Education intranet (staff only), blogs and wikis

Department of Education publications including the school newsletter, annual school magazine and school report, promotional material published in print and electronically

the Department of Education, School Sport Unit, and school social media accounts on networks such as YouTube, Facebook and Twitter

Local and metropolitan newspapers and magazines and other media outlets

Parents should be aware that when information is published on public websites and social media channels it can be linked to by third parties and may be discoverable online for several years, if not permanently. Search engines may also cache or retain copies of published information.

Permission to Publish: I have read the information about disclosing and publishing student information (above) and

I give permission

I do not give permission

for the Department to publish and disclose information about my child/ward in publicly accessible communications. This permission remains effective until I advise otherwise. I understand that if I have not given permission to publish, my child's/ward's name will not appear in event programs and results.

SIGNED:

(Parent/Caregiver)

(Date)

Parental/Carer Acknowledgment and Consent

- I have read the information provided and I hereby consent to my child/ward 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 any symptoms of illness, and/or if directed to isolate under public health orders.
- I acknowledge that my child/ward will be under the supervision of team officials during the event.
- I have sighted the Code of Conduct and acknowledge that if my child/ward seriously contravenes behavioural expectations, they may be immediately excluded from the team. Should this eventuate, I accept full responsibility for my child/ward upon notification of their exclusion by the team manager including the cost of return transport.
- 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/ward may require. I accept full responsibility for all expenses incurred.
- I acknowledge that if my child/ward 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/ward 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 in participating in this sport activity.
- I confirm I have completed the “Permission to Publish Student Information” section.

Name: _____

SIGNED: _____

(Parent/Caregiver)

(Date)



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Parent Code of Behaviour

- Remember that children participate in sport for their enjoyment, not yours.
- Encourage children to participate, do not force them.
- Focus on your child's efforts and performance rather than whether they win or lose.
- Encourage children to play according to the rules and to settle disagreements without resorting to hostility or violence.
- Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- Remember that children learn best by example. Appreciate good performances and skillful plays by all participants.
- Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.
- Respect officials' decisions and teach children to do likewise.
- Show appreciation for volunteer coaches, officials and administrators. Without them, your child could not participate.
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.