



Monday 6 September 2021

Dear Parents and Caregivers

2021 SJMS SPORTS DAY

The SJMS Sports Day is quickly approaching and preparations are well underway to prepare students to engage in activities promoting an active and healthy lifestyle. This year, we are excited to announce that Sports Day will take place at SA Athletics Stadium, as Norwood Oval will be unavailable.

The focus on the day, is for students to work towards achieving goals at their own pace, be part of a team and encourage others to do their best.

At this stage, a maximum of two parents/caregivers per child will be able to attend. All adults must check in using the QR code, wear a mask and maintain physical distancing at all times.

The Sports Day details are as follows:

- When:** Friday 22 October 2021
- Where:** SA Athletics Stadium, 145 Railway Tce, Mile End South
- Time:** In the permission link on Skoolbag, you will see different options to select for your child/ren to leave the venue on the day. This information is crucial to the planning and coordination of buses for the day, please ensure it is completed by Thursday 23 September as changes cannot be made after this date. Students arrive at school (both William and Bridge Street) by 8:30am when the bell will sound. Students go to class where the role will be taken and then students will be bussed to the venue from 8:45am. At the conclusion of the carnival (approximately 2:15pm) students can leave directly from the venue with their parent/caregiver (after being signed out through their class teacher), or be bussed back to their school site for normal pick up or OSHC.
- OSHC:** OSHC will be available for all SJMS students as per normal. Please ensure you have booked into OSHC for the day by Monday 18 October.
- Wear:** House colour t-shirt (no singlets – as per Sun Protection Policy, t-shirts must have sleeves), school shorts and sneakers.
- Bring:** School hat, plenty of water, sunscreen, snacks, lunch.

All new students have been assigned to House Teams. Please check with your child's class teacher if you are unsure of team assignments.

Please note that all students are required to attend Sports Day.

If you would like to actively volunteer on the day, you are required to have the following documentation in place:

- Catholic Education SA Police Check
- CESA Volunteer Application Form
- RRHAN-EC (volunteer) certificate

I look forward to enjoying this special day with the SJMS School Community.

Yours sincerely

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