

21st March 2018

Year 2 Aqua Safe Swimming Program

Dear Parent/carer,

Charles Conder Primary Schools is excited to be offering Year 2 students the opportunity to acquire essential life skills in water safety and survival through Royal Life Saving ACT.

The ACT Education and Training Directorate provides substantial funding for Year 2 students in ACT Public Schools to participate in the Royal Life Saving ACT Aqua Safe program – the program is a series of 5 practical lessons focussed on general water safety and personal aquatic survival skills. This targeted approach will ensure every participating student has the opportunity to access structured aquatic activities during primary school. In past years the program has involved 10, thirty minute lessons, however this year each lesson will run for 1 hour. This is to provide students with a greater in-depth focus for each session.

The cost of the program is \$50 per student.

Please read the following important information below. You will need to register your child for participation via Royal Life Saving ACT's dedicated schools' programs website (**the permission note issued by the school will not enrol your child into the program**). Instructions on how to register are provided below.

If you do not have online access, hard copy forms are available at the front office.

Hard copy forms should be returned to school no later than **13th April**.

Our program will begin on **30th April** and end on **4th May**. Students will attend a 60-minute lesson each day for 5 days. Our program will be held at **LAKESIDE LEISURE CENTRE, GREENWAY**. You are more than welcome to attend and observe your child's progress throughout the program, please be aware that there may be a spectator fee to pay to watch your child.

Payment

Payment for the program will be made online at the time of registration unless otherwise arranged with the school. Please talk to the school if you are unable to pay on line (i.e.; no credit card), you will be issued a unique voucher number after payment to the school has been made. The cost of the program is \$50 including daily bus transport.

Student Registration

To register online please follow this link www.royallifesavingact-enrol.com.au click on REGISTER and use your child's **registration code** below: (if you have more than one child attending they may have a different registration code, please make sure that you use the correct registration code as this relates to the program they are attending as well as the time slot they are in. Thank you)

Your child's registration code:

AS1035CHCO18

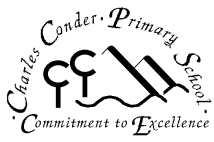
IMPORTANT: The online enrolment portal will automatically close **3 business days** (Closes Tuesday night at midnight) prior to our program start date. Please ensure you have registered your child by this time. **If your child/ren have not been registered online or a hard copy handed to the school or RLSSA ACT office they will not be able to participate until this has been done.**

If you experience any difficulty with your online enrolment, please contact Royal Life Saving ACT directly on 62605800. For all other enquiries, please contact the school.

Sincerely,

Jason Walmsley-Principal

Jon Tucker-Swimming Coordinator



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I give permission for _____ to attend the Year 2 Aqua Safe Swimming Program at the Lakeside Leisure Centre from Monday 30th April – Friday 4th May.

I understand that transport will be by bus. Students will be picked up each day at 10.15 and will be return to school by 12.15pm.

Staff accompanying students 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. Parents should be aware that staff members are not responsible for injuries or damage to property, which may occur 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 authorize the teacher in charge to make arrangements, medical or otherwise, necessary for the welfare of my child, and agree to meet any costs incurred. I have read the information regarding this excursion and agree and understand what they contain.

I have notified the supervising teacher of any medical condition that may affect my child's participation in this school sporting event.

Medical condition(s) - Continue overleaf if required _____

Treatment plan _____

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____ **Print Name:** _____

Parent contact details:

Name _____ Relationship _____ Mobile phone _____

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____
