

Excursion Information for Parents

Tuggeranong Region Athletics Carnival

Dear families

The following details relate to an educational excursion to **Woden Park Athletics Field** which is being organised for selected students from years 2 – 6.

Purpose of excursion: for selected students to represent Farrer PS at the Tuggeranong Region Athletics Carnival. (Students qualified to participate through the Farrer athletics carnival in term 1).

Dates/time: Monday 21 August 2023.
Approximately 8.30am – 2.30pm.

Activities: Track and field events – 70m and 100m for 8 years and 9 years students. 100m, 200m, 800m, shot put, discus and long jump for 10 – 12 years students.

Your child _____ of class _____ has qualified to compete in the following events:

Boys / Girls	70m	100m	200m	800m
_____ years	Shot Put	Discus	Long Jump	

Please see attached program of events

Clothing and equipment:

- School uniform or, a school sports shirt will be available.
- Children are required to wear appropriate sports attire and shoes.
- We ask that children bring a fruit / vegetable break, lunch, snacks and a water bottle.

Transport: Parents will need to transport their child to and from this event. **Please arrive at the venue at least 30 min before your child's first event.**

It is the responsibility of the driver to ensure that he/she carries the required driver's licence, that the vehicle is registered and insured, is roadworthy, and the number of passengers does not exceed the seat belt provision of the vehicle.

Group Size: 47

Staff attending: Brett Maron + member of support staff.

Cost: \$10

The school has made every effort to keep cost for this excursion at a minimum level. If necessary, parents or students can confidentially discuss support to meet the cost of the excursion with the Principal.



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Please contact the front office if you would like to speak with the Principal.

Notes and money to Farrer front office by: Monday 14 August 2023

Excursion risk assessment: available on request at the front office.

Contingency: if the event is postponed due to the weather (or any other reason), a message will be sent out to all participants through SAS.

Behavioural expectations Children need to apply school expectations by being safe, respectful, responsible learners during this experience.

Staff accompanying students on excursions 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 on an excursion 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.

If students choose to engage in behaviours which are considered inappropriate and harmful to others, parents/carers may be contacted and asked to collect their child from the excursion.

Kind regards,

Brett Maron
20 July 2023

ACT PRIMARY REGION TRACK AND FIELD CARNIVAL PROGRAM OF EVENTS

	GIRLS					BOYS					Session
	8 Years	9 Years	10 Years	11 Years	12/13 Years	8 Years	9 Years	10 Years	11 Years	12/13 Years	
8:30am			800	800	800			Shot Put	Long Jump	Discus	1
9:30am			Shot Put	Long Jump	Discus			800	800	800	2
10:30am	70	70				70	70	Long Jump	Discus	Shot Put	3
			200	200	200						
11:30am	100	100	Long Jump	Discus	Shot Put	100	100				4
								200	200	200	
12:30pm			100	100	100			Discus	Shot Put	Long Jump	5
1:30pm			Discus	Shot Put	Long Jump			100	100	100	6



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Excursion Permission Note for Parents

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I give permission for my child _____ in year _____ to attend the Farrer Primary School excursion to **Woden Park Athletics Field on Monday 21 August 2023** for the **Tuggeranong Region Athletics Carnival**. I understand I **need to organise transport for my child to and from the event** and other details as outlined in the Excursion Information for Parents (including contingency plans).

I agree to my child participating in the activities associated with this excursion mentioned previously. I have discussed with my child the need for expected behaviour on this excursion. I authorise the school to make arrangements for the welfare of my child (including medical or surgical treatment) in an emergency, and I agree to meet the associated costs. I have provided to the school all medical information relevant to my child attending this excursion.

I agree that my child will be under the authority of the school for the duration of the excursion and that the school is authorised to return my child to school or home at my expense if the school considers that circumstances warrant such action. I give permission for my child to travel by private car, driven by a staff member or parent, in an emergency.

The Medical Information and consent form only needs to be completed once/year prior to the first excursion unless there are changes to the details on this form. Are there any changes to this form?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, an updated *Medical Information and Consent Form* is required to be completed (available through the front office).

Will your child require medication to be administered during the excursion (e.g. allergy medication, pain relief)?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, please complete a *Medication Authorisation and Administration Record* (available through the front office).

Is there any additional information you need to provide to support your child's participation in this excursion?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, please provide these details

Please provide the following information:

Medicare No:		Private Health Fund:		Membership No	
Ambulance Fund: Parents are responsible for ambulance costs outside the ACT.					

Name of Parent/Carer: (please print) _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Contact number on the day: _____



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Payment information

Tick Payment Type for the amount of \$10.00

Student name: _____

1. ☐ Cash

2. ☐ **QUICKWEB (preferred payment method)** by going to **Farrer Primary School's Website** click on the **PAYMENT TAB**, you will be redirected to our Westpac Bank account- this is a secure page. Enter the following information when requested.

Fee Code: TuggAths

3. ☐ EFTPOS at front office

Front office use only

Date payment was completed: _____

Staff member: _____

If you fill in this form, your personal information and that of your child will be collected and handled by the ACT Education Directorate (EDU) This information is necessary for us to manage student participation in excursions and support the welfare and safety of your child. If you do not consent to supply us with this information your child will be unable to participate in the excursion. Normally, we will not use or disclose this information for another purpose, without your consent, unless you would reasonably expect us to use or disclose the information for a related purpose. Normally we only share information with school staff and, where necessary, parents or volunteers assisting with the excursion to appropriately and effectively manage the excursion. The Directorate has a privacy policy that explains how we handle personal information, including how we handle privacy complaints. The policy is available on the Directorate's website (www.det.act.gov.au) on the About Us page.