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Swansea High School

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Principal: Mrs Robyn Leggatt

7th August, 2017

Dear Parent,

As part of Year 9 PDHPE program students are currently looking at road safe behaviours. Bstreetsmart is an inspiring initiative of the Trauma Service at Westmead Hospital. Westmead's Trauma Service is constantly reminded through their hands on work that young people aged between 15 – 30 are disproportionately represented in road trauma. As a result, they have a strong commitment to Road Safety Education.

The Bstreetsmart presentation aims to provide students with an understanding of their responsibilities as a driver and as a responsible passenger, information and strategies to avoid serious injuries and death and information on how to reduce risk taking behaviour through greater awareness of the consequences of distracted driving, inattention, speeding, drink and drug driving and driver fatigue.

Bstreetsmart will be held at the Qudos Bank Arena, Olympic Park. Last year over 19,500 students from 178 high schools attended the event. Feedback of both students and teachers received rate the event very positively with many schools attending consecutive years.

All students in Year 9 will be required to attend this curriculum-based excursion to the Bstreetsmart presentation on Thursday 17th August. Students **MUST WEAR FULL** school uniform on the day. Students need to meet at Swansea High bus shelter at 7am to load coaches. The anticipated time of return will be 3:20pm.

In an effort to minimise the costs on parents to this valuable event, the school will provide the coach transport to and from the venue. Students will need to pay \$5, payable to the Front Office by Wednesday 16th August. Families who are experiencing financial difficulties are encouraged to contact either the Principal or Mr Carter (HT PDHPE).

Yours sincerely,

Robyn Leggatt

Principal

Rod Carter

Head Teacher PDHPE



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SWANSEA HIGH SCHOOL DAY EXCURSION

Year 9 Bstreetsmart Presentation
Thursday 17th August 2017



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The school has organised an excursion for Bstreetsmart Presentation at Qudos Bank Arena Olympic Park on Thursday 17th August 2017.

The excursion has been planned to supplement the following: Yr 9 PDHPE Road Safety Program.

The cost of the excursion is \$5.

No refunds unless the excursion is cancelled. Payment and Permission note is due by Wednesday 16th August 2017.

No payment will be accepted without a permission slip, below.

Travel will be by Private Coach. The students will depart School at 7am and return to School by 3.30pm.

Accompanying staff is R Carter, B ewer, A Bruton & K Macinnes. The teacher with emergency care training is all teachers attending.

Students are to wear school uniform. Students are to provide their own lunch.

Robyn Leggatt
Principal
7/8/17

R Carter
Head Teacher

✂..... Please detach and return to front office by Wednesday 16th August 2017✂

PERMISSION NOTE AND PAYMENT SLIP

This permission note along with the payment slip must remain together.

Year 9 Bstreetsmart Program
Thursday 17th August 2017

Invoiced \$5

I do ☐ /do not ☐ consent to.....participating in an excursion to Year 9 Bstreetsmart Program at Qudos Bank Arena Olympic Park, on Thursday 17th August 2017.

I agree to the organisation arrangements above.

My son/daughter has the following special needs that the teacher needs to be aware of (please provide full details and include any relevant medical details.).....

I give ☐ /do not give ☐ permission for my child to receive medical treatment in case of emergency. To the best of my knowledge, he/she has no medical condition, physical ability or injury, which puts him/her at risk by participating in this activity.

Parent/caregiver signature

My emergency contact on the day

Date

In the event of injury, no personal injury insurance cover is provided by the NSW Department of Education and Training for students in relation to school sporting activities, physical education lessons or any other school activity. Parents and caregivers are advised to assess the level and extent of their child's involvement in the sport program offered by the school, school sport zone, region and state school sport association when deciding whether additional insurance cover is required. 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 Injuries Benefit Scheme, information regarding student accident insurance and private health cover is provided at <http://www.sports.det.nsw.edu.au/spguide/activities/general/resources/protection.php#medi>

The personal information provided on this permission note, will be used by the Department of Education & Training for general administration and communication and other matters of welfare relating to your child at this event. The provision of this information is voluntary but your child may not be able to participate if it is not provided. This information will be stored securely and may be amended at any time by contacting the team management. Please be aware that the media exposure at this event may result in your child's name, school details and or photograph appearing in a Newspaper, on Television or be used for Department of Education and Community purposes, such as in reports and or training units and may appear on the Department of Education & Communities website or the School Sport Unit website at www.sports.det.nsw.edu.au If you have any other concerns, please contact your school.