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North District Multi-Sport Year 4 Gala Day Term 4 2017

Dear Parents and Caregivers

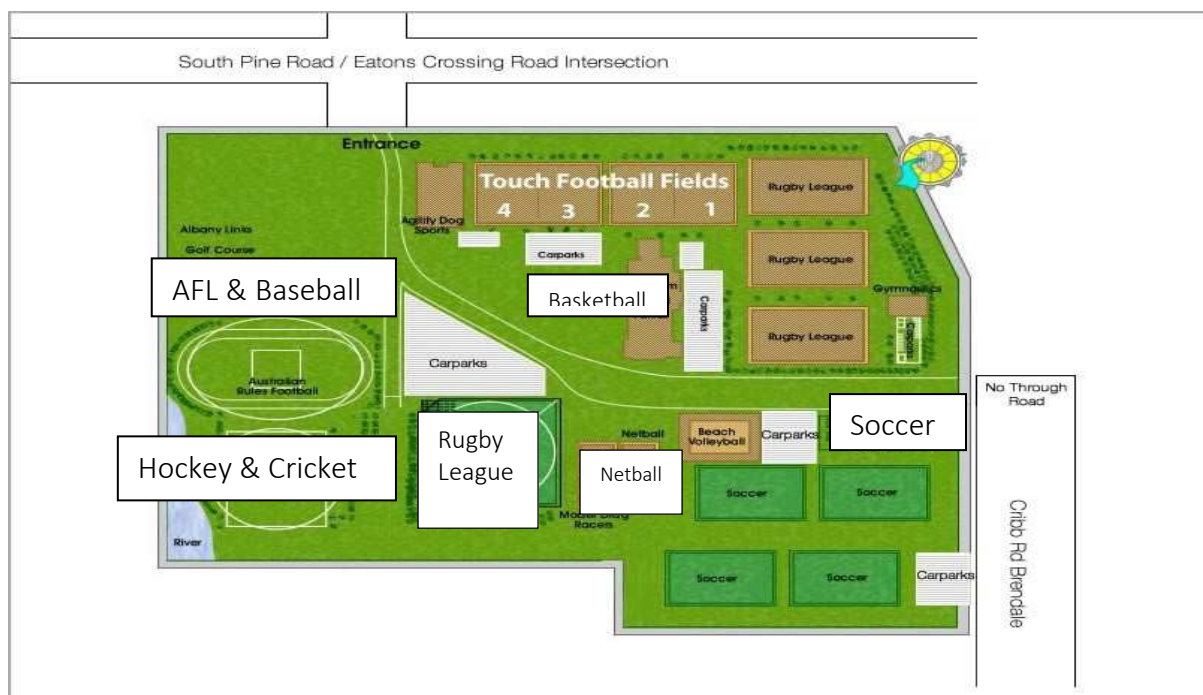
Next term, our Year 4 students will be involved in a Multi-Sport option for Term 4 interschool sport.

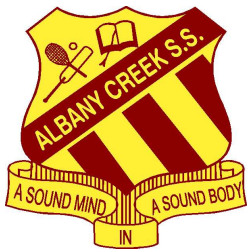
All Year 4 students will participate in eight different sports over the four gala days. These sports cover most of the sports offered in Term 2 and 4 Gala Days that were supported by North District Sports. This Year 4 Program for Term 4 will provide a solid foundation for Year 5 Gala days in 2018.

To ensure an inclusive approach, the students will be participating in a skill development session and modified games for each of the eight sports. These sessions will be led by qualified staff with the assistance of teachers from participating schools. All students will be required to participate in each of the sports offered. These sports include Netball, Rugby League, AFL, Basketball, Hockey, Cricket, Baseball and Soccer.

On each of the specialised Gala Days, the students will participate in two of the sports offered. These sports will be on the same oval or in close proximity so that the change from one sport to another between 1.10pm and 1.20pm can be smooth.

Tentative venues will be as per the map that follows.





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Group 1: AFL and Baseball

Group 3 Rugby League and Netball

Group 2 Hockey and Cricket

Group 4 Soccer and Basketball

The first of the four gala days will be Friday 6th October. The remaining Gala days are Friday 13th October; Friday 27th October and Friday 3rd November.

The students will be travelling by bus and leaving the school each day at approximately 11:30am and returning by 2:45pm.

Requirements:

Students will be required to wear suitable attire to participate in these activities. Dresses are not considered suitable. Footwear must be worn by all students. Hats are compulsory and must be worn during all activities held outside. Each student should have a water bottle as some venues have only a small number of water taps or bubblers.

Shin Pads are compulsory when playing soccer and hockey. The school will have a supply of long socks and shin pads for children who do not have their own.

Rugby League will see a combination of League and Touch skills incorporated into the games. Skills taught will be consistent with games played and may include some very basic tackling drills. These are safe and controlled activities designed to introduce all students to the skills required to play Rugby League.

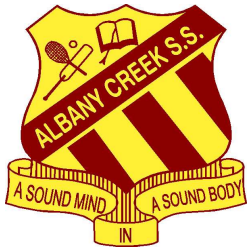
Baseball and cricket will play modified games using plastic equipment. This equipment will be supplied.

All students rostered to participate in Netball will be required to be actively involved. This includes all boys participating.

Our teachers will have supervisory roles and will assist during games.

This is another initiative of local schools to provide all of our Year 4 students with opportunities to participate in a variety of coaching sessions and game activities. We are encouraging every student in Year 4 to participate.

All students need to pay a \$5 sport levy. The cost for the bus for the 4 weeks is \$25. **So the total amount payable is \$30.**



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Payment options by **Thursday 5th October** are as follows:

- Cash - permission slip and payment placed in the money box in the office foyer.
- Q-Parents – payment via invoice on Q-Parents and **permission slip returned to class teacher.**

Parents and caregivers are more than welcome to attend the venues.

Thank you for your continued support and promotion of opportunities for the students.

Kind regards

Paul Kingston
Principal



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I give / do not give permission for my child _____ (Class 4: ___) to travel by bus to Brendale Sports Complex and participate in Term 4 Gala Day.

- I acknowledge that the Department of Education and Training does not have Personal Accident insurance cover for students.
- My child has no especially important medical conditions you need to know about.

OR

- My child has the following medical condition/s you need to know about:

My payment option:

- Online payment via QParents of \$30
 \$30 Cash

Parent/Caregiver Signature: _____ Date: _____