



Dear Parents,

From
the SWAG leadership
your servants in Christ

Welcome back to SWAG for another year. We hope you have all had a safe and relaxing break and are ready to take on 2005. It has been an eventful time in world events, we hope that if any were touched closely by the Tsunami that our Lord will provide all the support and comfort you need. The power of nature is a fearsome thing and reminds us all never to lose sight of the creator or respect as we venture out ourselves.

On to the business of SWAG for this term:-

First of all congratulations to Jonathan Lee on being awarded the Bronze Duke of Edinburgh award. Well done!

This is a short SWAG term (8 weeks) due to the placement of Easter. Never the less we still have the usual action packed program.

- 19th February we will be having a combined soccer afternoon with a boys group from Ashfield Presbyterian Church. We will meet at Penshurst Church and travel to Ashfield. (final details later)
- 12th March we are having a family picnic at Hanging Rock. Not really just in Royal NP so you don't have to worry about mysterious disappearances. We will be meeting at Garie car park and walking to Era Beach for lunch and a swim and some adventuring or games. This should be a great opportunity for us all to spend some time and catch up, so please join us, the walk is far less than strenuous. (final details later)
- The last Tuesday of term (22nd March) we will be meeting at Oatley Park for a treasure hunt and dinner. This was a hit last year so we thought, when you're on a good thing.....

That's about it for activities just a few other things to take note of.

- We will have some shirts from the collection if your darlings have grown over Christmas so please sort through the pile.
- In an bid to encourage full attendance Jumbucks are going to be deducted if a boy does not come on a Tuesday without letting a leader know beforehand. So encourage your son to give one of us a ring if they didn't get there homework done or whatever.

Any questions, make sure your talk to one of us on Tuesday.

Again and as always thank you for entrusting your sons into our care, we are fully aware of how much a privilege it is to share our lives and love for God with your boys. Don't forget to tell you friends if they have boys between the ages of 8 and 15.

Yours in Christ's service

The SWAG Leaders.

Permission Slip

I give my permission for _____ to attend the Soccer afternoon with SWAG on 19th February. I understand that he will be traveling in a leaders car.

I agree to the procedures as set out in the SWAG form of indemnity .

Signed _____ Date _____

Medicare No. _____ Contact Phone _____

Permission Slip

I give my permission for _____ to attend the Picnic at Hanging Rock with SWAG on 12th March. I understand that he will be traveling in a leaders car.

I agree to the procedures as set out in the SWAG form of indemnity .

Signed _____ Date _____

Medicare No. _____ Contact Phone _____