**KENNEDY REGION SWIMMING CARNIVAL**

Date: 17th of March 2018

Time: 4:30pm – 8.00pm

Dress: Group colours and appropriate swimming attire.

Venue: Northern Beaches Leisure Centre

Cost: $9.00 for swimmers or $25 per family - A sausage sizzle and drinks on sale

NOTES:

1. Numbers and membership details need to be given to region one week in advance - by 24th February to scout shop. This is important to ensure appropriate pool staffing for safety.

2. All scouting members need a C4 which will be collected by GL’s. Non members are allowed to participate under parental supervision. These children are to follow the same rules as all the scouting youth members.

3. Since time is short, please assist with getting the youth members organised for race heats.

4 For races please listen to your race marshal rover, they will advise age divisions for each section.

6. Each Group is to provide the following:

1. A First Aid Kit suitable for this activity
2. 2 or more extra adults for helping Run events / activities around the pool must be able to get wet. Section leaders or other parents to be with the groups rotating. A roster for leaders per group will be released prior to the event
3. Permanent marker

7. A means of distinguishing each competitor and group by using the following colours, points will be given to the best dress group. These must be a waterproof material.

Alice River Yellow

Belgian Gardens Orange

Bluewater Red

Ingham Green

Kirwan Teal Blue

Pimlico Mundingburra Purple

Loam Island Light Blue

Woodlands Navy Blue

Wulguru Lime Green

Lower Burdekin White

Charters Towers Black

Mt Louisa Mango

Please make sure that whatever you use does not come off, break up in or discolour the water!!!

8. All swimmers competing are to be accomplished swimmers over the distance specified. (A minimum of 50m for over 10 years of age and 20m for under 10 years of age).

9. Points are awarded to 1st (5), 2nd (3) and 3rd (2). There will be no points awarded for any of the land activities. All scouts that enter the pool will get a point for participation. The judge’s decision is final. Trophies for the winning GROUP will be awarded based on place points gained in races per population.

10. All inflatable toys are banned from any pool during the event. Any dangerous pool side behaviour from youth or adults will not be tolerated, including running, pushing others and flips. Youth are only to enter pools during their allocated times and under the supervision of an adult.

11. Sausage sizzle and drinks will be available for purchase in the allocated dinner times. Please refrain from purchasing between activities and during other activities.

12. Groups will be responsible for thoroughly cleaning the area that they occupy before leaving the venue, with venue to be evacuated by 7:40pm.

13. Group areas: Marquees this year will be limited to 1 3x3 marquee per 15 participants. The area will be marked on the site map (north shore blvd side of the main pool) and groups may only set up in the allocated areas due to use for activities.

14. Before the event gets under way there will be a briefing and all participants and adults/leaders are expected to attend this on the grassed area and listen to the instructions.

15. Leaders make sure you bring your swimmers there will be a leaders relay at the end of the event especially for you. ( Venturers and Rovers will be accepted to make numbers for teams for smaller groups)

GROUPS COOPERATION AND PREPARATION FOR THIS ACTIVITY WILL ENSURE A SUCCESSFUL AND ENJOYABLE NIGHT FOR ALL

Thanks,

Florence Bay Rover Crew