



September 16th, 2016

## **“Jackson Cup” Soccer and Netball Carnival: Years 3-6**

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Grandparents,

Merimbula Public School is holding their annual **Jackson Cup** on **Friday, September 23, 2016**. Students in Years 3 to 6 will leave school at **9.05am** and walk to Berrambool Oval to play either soccer or netball\*. Students should dress in house colours but need to ensure they are being sun smart by wearing a broad brimmed hat, applying plenty of sunscreen and having a water bottle available. There will be no lunch orders on the day. Children will need to bring recess but will be provided with a sausage sizzle for lunch.

**For soccer players**, shin pads are compulsory and they are encouraged to bring these from home. The school has a limited supply of shin pads that students can borrow. Students **WILL NOT** be permitted to wear soccer boots this year. **ALL** students will be wearing sneakers. **For netball players**, fingernails must be short and jewellery (including wristbands) cannot be worn.

The Jackson Cup is about having a go and showing good sportsmanship. Children do not have to be the best player but the best sport! All children are expected to play unless written permission has been given to the class teacher.

At the conclusion of the cup, all children will be returning to school for their usual end of day routine. If your child is walking home from Berrambool, written permission will need to be brought to the carnival on the day. Also, if collecting your child from Berrambool, they will need to be signed out from the recording desk at the pavilion.

Stage 1 and Kindergarten students will be participating in their own sports day back at school (between 12 and 1.25pm). Stage 1 teachers will provide more details of the ‘Infant’s Jackson Cup’ day.

Parents and caregivers are welcome to attend the Jackson Cup. We look forward to seeing you there!

**\*Boys and girls have the choice to play either sport.**

Yours Sincerely,

Adam Hughes  
Jackson Cup Coordinator

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### **JACKSON CUP PERMISSION NOTE**

***This permission slip MUST be returned to the classroom teacher or completed on ‘School Stream’ by Wednesday September 21, 2016.***

Dear Teacher,

I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ of class \_\_\_\_\_ to walk to Berrambool Oval to participate in the Jackson Cup on **Friday 23rd November, 2016**. I give permission for him/her to take part in the Sausage Sizzle, and receive an ice-block treat at the end of the carnival.

*Current Medical Concerns/Information:* \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Parent/Caregiver*