Dear Parents

As part of the Sporting Programme for Term 4, a Surfing programme will be offered to the Year 6’s.

The aim of the programme is to increase awareness of surfing and beach safety in our community and to introduce and further develop children both safely and economically to the sport.

The programme will run for 6 weeks at Trigg beach.

The Year 6 group will attend in two sessions. Session 1 (9-10am) – C2 and half of C1 and session 2 (10-11am) – C5 and the remaining half of C1.

Lesson Dates: 27/10, 3/11, 10/11, 17/11, 24/11 and 1/12.

The programme is conducted by the W.A. Surf Riders Association who will provide professional coaches at the ratio of 1 coach per 8 children. Children will be grouped according to swimming and surfing preferences and ability levels.

All equipment is provided. This includes surf boards, wetsuits, helmets and sunscreen. Children will need to provide their own towels and bathers and change into school uniform after the session.

Transport will be by bus from school to Trigg beach and return.

The programme will commence with a lecture by a representative from the coaching programme. Following this, the remainder of the programme will be surfing at Trigg Beach.

The cost of the entire programme including transport, coaching and equipment hire will be $90, which must be paid in full to the class teacher by 22nd of September 2016. If a student does not pay they are unable to attend lessons and any missed lessons cannot be refunded. Payment plans can be organised prior to the payment due date so please contact Janene Heron (Manager Corporate Services) in the office on 9307 6365.

As we live in ocean side suburbs this course is both relevant and practical. I’m sure the children will find many benefits in it. We look forward to your support.

Thank you,
Year 6 teachers
Consent Form for Surfing Programme at Trigg
To be returned signed to the school by Friday September 22nd 2016

Contact Information:

Home:          Work:          Mobile:

I give permission for ______________________ to participate in the surfing program and to travel by bus under staff supervision, from Hillarys PS to Trigg Beach.

I have enclosed the payment of $ 90  [ ]

OR

Payment has been made by direct deposit to the school account on ................. (Date)........................

Receipt Number ..........................

Direct Deposit details as below:
Hillarys Primary School
ANZ Whitfords
BSB 016494
Account: 3408 43493

Signed: ______________________ Parent Name: ______________________ Date: ___________

Following recent discussions about child restraints in buses, families are advised that the bus being used for this excursion will not be fitted with seat belts. Please contact the office if you wish to discuss these arrangements.

Note:
Staff accompanying students on excursions will take all reasonable care while the students are in their charge to protect them from injury and to control and supervise their behaviour and activities. Parents/guardians should be aware that staff members are not responsible for injuries or damage to property which may occur on an excursion where, in all circumstances, staff have not been negligent.

In the case of excursions not involving an overnight stay, costs incurred as a result of accident or illness are the responsibility of the parent/guardian.

Parents are required to inform the organisers well before the scheduled excursion departure of any change to their child’s health and fitness so that appropriate supervision may be arranged. Where it is considered necessary, school staff will arrange medical assessment and treatment for students.