Dear Parents,

On **Friday 24th April (Term 2, Week 1)** we will be holding our annual **Cross Country Carnival** at Victoria Park (showground). The carnival will be held between 9.30am and 2.30pm approximately. We will be walking to and from Victoria Park leaving school at 9.30am and returning at 2.30pm (approx). (The backup day for this will be on Friday 1st May in case of poor weather.)

The children will need to bring **morning tea, lunch** and plenty of **water**. They will also need a **hat**, suitable **running shoes** and lots of **sunscreen**. Please ensure if your child is **asthmatic** that they carry their medication (ie. puffer) on **them** and if necessary take their spray before their race. There is **no** cost involved.

**The running distances are as follows:**
- 8/9 years – 2000m
- 11 years – 3000m
- 10 years – 2000m
- 12/13 years – 3000m

**As per our current safety and supervision policy all students must come to school, not go directly to Victoria Park. Class Rolls will be marked at school. Children will not be allowed to walk home directly from Victoria Park. Thank you for your co-operation with this safety procedure.**

**Please Note:** Year 2 Students who turn 8 this year are invited to compete in the 8/9 years race. This is optional. These students should be capable runners. Only these Yr 2 students will come to the carnival and remain at the carnival for the day with Mrs Hindmarch.

**ALL OTHER YEAR 2 STUDENTS WILL REMAIN AT SCHOOL.**

Please fill out the permission note and return to school by **Thursday 2nd April** We look forward to a very enjoyable day.

Yours sincerely,
Michelle Friend and Peter McCarthy
Coordinators

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I give permission for my child _______________________________ of class ____________________________

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Victoria Park on **Friday 24th April** and also give permission to attend on the backup day of the **Friday 1st May** if required. I understand the children will be walking from the school to Victoria Park at 9.30am and returning at approximately 2.30pm.

Contact number: ____________________________ Date:___________________

Please list any relevant medical conditions which may affect your child’s participation