COMO WEST PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Stage 3 Picnic Day

Surf Awareness at Elouera Beach

Picnic day venue	Elouera Beach
Date	Thursday 8th December 2022 (Week 9)
Cost	$36.50 paid online
Time	10am-1pm (Please be at school by 8:15 for an 8:30 departure. Students will arrive back before the afternoon bell)
Transport	Walking and Train
Due date	Payment and waiver form due by Monday 21st November

Dear Parents/ Caregivers,

An excursion to Elouera Beach, Cronulla has been organised as an end of year outing for Stage 3 students. The picnic day includes a Surf Education program that will be conducted by trained lifeguards. The students will be fully supervised by SEA (Surf Educate Australia) staff and Stage 3 teachers. The program will involve water and beach-based activities, which are learning requirements in the PDHPE syllabus. Students will be placed in groups depending on their swimming ability. This excursion is dependent on weather and surf conditions. Any changes will be advised in the Skoolbag app.

Transport to and from Elouera Beach will be by train. We will be walking to Como Station at 8:30am. All students travelling will need an Opal card with their fare preloaded. Students will then be walking from Cronulla Station to Elouera Beach. Time: Students are required to be at school by 8:15 for roll marking and they will return to school before 3pm.

Students are to bring: Hat, swimsuit and or board shorts, towel, wetsuit optional, shoes or thongs, drink bottle. All students are required to apply sunscreen prior to the start of the course. SEA will provide: Rash shirts for sun protection and identification, rescue & first aid equipment will be on hand if required.

SEA Australia also requires the completion of an online waiver form. The link for this form is:

http://www.seaaustralia.live/school-waiver-form

When it asks for the teacher email, you MUST copy and past this email address for it to register: comowest-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Stage 3 teachers

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I give permission for _____ of class _____ to attend the Surf Education program at Elouera Beach on Thursday 8th December 2022. I understand my child will travel by train and that I need to send my child to school with a pre-loaded Opal card.

As part of this program, students will be involved in water and beach-based activities. These activities are supervised by qualified SEA staff and teachers trained in emergency first aid, CPR and anaphylaxis.

PLEASE SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS TO SIGN:

My child IS NOT to go swimming _____
(Parent/Caregiver)

My child is a poor swimmer _____
Requires a floatation device to swim (Parent/Caregiver)

My child is an average swimmer _____
Can swim 25m without assistance (Parent/Caregiver)

My child is a good swimmer _____
Can swim 50m without assistance (Parent/Caregiver)

Special needs of my child that you should be aware (e.g allergies, medication)

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Name of Parent/Caregiver _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____
(Parent/Caregiver)

Online payment of $36.50

Receipt number _____ Date: _____