

## FOOTY FOCUS PROGRAM

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This year we are committed to starting a '**Footy Focus Program**' for students in years 4-6. All students both male and female in these years are eligible to participate. Please be aware we will be teaching all aspects of the game including tackling and safety. Students will be able to tackle during games and in drills with full supervision.

The program will run every Thursday from 7.30am – 8.15am in terms 2 and 3. The program is completely free and will be run by Mr Gardiner. Its focus is on participation and skill development at all levels. It will also cover fitness, healthy eating, goal setting, umpiring and refereeing and speaking and listening components. It commences in **Week 2, Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May**.

This year I hope to have Peel Thunder, Fremantle Dockers and also the West Coast Eagles come into the school and run AFL clinics with the students.

This program is a school based program and requires all students involved to meet the following commitments.

- 90% attendance across the 2 terms of the program.
- Being a positive role model within the school and community
- Following of school and classroom rules in regards to uniform and behaviour.
- Help refereeing and umpire AFL games during lunchtime breaks.

Students who do not meet these requirements will be removed from the program.

If your child would like to be involved in this exciting program please complete the form provided.

If you have any queries or questions please speak with Jamie Gardiner  
(P.E. Teacher)

Thank you

Jamie Gardiner  
Physical Education Teacher

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I acknowledge that my son/daughter \_\_\_\_\_ will commit to the Footy Focus Program for the weeks of **Term 2 & Term 3**. I understand that my child will be required to wear a change of clothes in the morning and then change into their school uniform before school starts. If my child's attendance to the program falls below 90% I understand they will be asked to leave the program.

Parent/Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: / / 2017

Student signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: / / 2017