Dear Parent/Guardian,

Chifley College, Bidwill Campus will be conducting a Lifesaving/Swim School for all Year 7 students from Monday 24th November to Friday 28th November inclusive at Emerton Leisure Centre.

The students will be attempting lifesaving awards from the ‘Swim and Survival’ awards of the Royal Lifesaving Society of Australia. ALL students from non-swimmers to very competent swimmers will be catered for. Basic resuscitation will also be taught. This is an excellent program for students to learn and/or improve their swimming ability, a necessary skill in the Australian lifestyle.

This Swim School is COMPULSORY for ALL Year Seven students. There are NO classes at school on these days for Year Seven students.

Students will make their own way to the pool and meet the teachers on the grass at the entrance of Emerton Leisure Centre each day at 8:50 am. Roll Call will be completed and then they will enter the centre.

Students are to bring swimmers, shirt to wear in the pool (white only please), towel (2 if it’s cold and rainy), hat, sunscreen, food and plenty of water.

Students will spend the whole day at the pool.

They will be dismissed from the pool at approximately 2:15pm each day and will be expected to go straight home.

The COST of entry to the pool each day is $3.00.

Please complete the Permission Note attached and fill in the ‘Swimming Ability’ section stating the number of metres/laps the student can swim without stopping using any stroke. If they are a non-swimmer, write ‘none’. This will enable us to put the students into groups according to their ability. Return notes to the PDHPE staff room ASAP.

Mr Hicks & Mrs Black.
(PDHPE: phone 9628 2222)

Mr. M. Burnard
Principal