## **McAdam Avenue School**

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## **Grade 5 Swim Program**



Dear Parent/Guardian,

This is to notify you that the Grade 5 students at MAS have the opportunity to participate in a learn-to-swim program as part of their physical education curriculum. The program follows a combination of the skills which include the Lifesaving Society's Swim to Survive drowning prevention program which helps to give children the skills of knowing what to do if they should unexpectedly fall into deep water.

During the 4 week instruction period, students are put in one of two groups, according to their skill level. Each student is assessed individually and placed in a group accordingly in order to learn as much as possible and maintain safety of all participants. Children may move between groups as the session progresses. Two instructor/lifeguards are provided for the program.

The swim program will be conducted at the Fredericton Indoor Pool adjacent to the Nashwaaksis Middle School. Your child will be travelling by bus to participate in the program for 4 consecutive Thursdays beginning May 3 – May 24, 2018. The cost per student is \$5.00 to help with bussing. Payment can be made on line using 'School Cash Online' or sent into the teacher by April 30<sup>th</sup>.

Please note wearing "aquasox" type footwear is acceptable and children with planter warts must wear them. If you require further clarification on the program or have any questions, feel free to contact the school or the Fredericton Indoor Pool.

Sincerely,

Miss McCabe and Mrs. Burnett