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Dear Parents/Carers,

It is with great excitement I can announce we have a date for our Tournament of Minds Regional Competition.

It is Sunday 22nd August 2021.

Location; Mitchell High School, 52 Keyworth Drive, Blacktown

The facilitators apologise that it is further than the anticipated Penrith region, however, Western Sydney University were unable to meet COVID-19 regulations and maintain their university routines to host the event.

Times for the day will be allocated soon. We have been told we will be offered a late morning or afternoon time slot due to travel from the Mountains. I will inform you of the time as soon as I know.

Transport to and from Mitchell High School will be by private vehicle. Please inform the school if you are having any trouble arranging this. I will meet students at the venue. Parents are allowed to watch the Long Term Challenges in the audience if they so choose. No one is allowed to see the Spontaneous Challenge except the judging panel.

What to wear; students need to wear black, with pieces added as per their challenge. Black leggings and a black top will be provided for students to wear for the day. I will transport other props and costume parts down to the venue.

Some other significant Tournament dates to keep in mind are;

- Sunday 12th September NSW State Final
- Saturday 16th October International Final (fingers crossed!)

More information will be provided, as we get closer to the date. The Tournament students are doing a fantastic job!

Please return the signed permission slip below to me by Monday 26th July.

In keeping with our Student Welfare Policy, only students whose behaviour has been appropriate will be permitted to attend. If your child has had more than one Behaviour Conference this term or a Blue or Yellow card, their attendance on the excursion will be in doubt. An interview with Mrs Hardge may be necessary to discuss the attendance of your child. Should your child's attendance be in doubt, you will be contacted in the near future.

Best Wishes
Rhiannon Harris

I give permission for my child _____ in class _____ to attend
Mitchell High School on Sunday 22nd August.

I will transport my child to and from the event

_____ (full name)

_____ (signed)

My child will be transported to and from the event by

_____ (full name)

_____ (signed)