

## AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM THINGS TO KNOW- WHAT TO BRING

Thank you for booking your child into one of our after-school programs; please ensure you have read the information below to make sure your child gets the most out of the sessions and things run smoothly for them:

**Food.** We suggest packing a small, healthy snack for them to eat before the session starts-something that will give them some energy for the 60 minutes. We have allowed 10 minutes between the end of school and our session starting for this snack to be eaten. If your child's session is running for 90 minutes, please pack 2 small snacks, one for after school and one for the midsession break- they will need to refuel.

**Drink**. Please make sure your child has a drink bottle with water for the session- having children run off to a drink tap is time consuming and interrupts the flow of the program.

**Hat.** Please ensure your child has a hat for Terms 1 & 4- just like at school, they are compulsory for these terms. It is suggested that you pack a separate hat for Kelly Sports as we find that a lot of children leave their school hat in their classroom, so having one in their bag just for use for Kelly Sports would be great!

**Comfortable Clothing.** Make sure they are wearing runners and sporting attire- a school dress is not ideal for girls as it is restrictive. If they need to change into shorts/pants and runners after school, this is fine- again, there is time to do so before the session starts.

**Special Instructions.** We want to see all the kids that attend the program have a fun and successful time. If your child needs to be handled differently to others, please let us know. Send an email, or bring along written tips on how your child is best taught. The more we know about your child, the better their experience will be.

**Drop Off/Pick Up.** We are always happy for parents to stay and watch, but we also don't mind having the children stay with us and participate whilst you use that extra hour to do whatever it is you need to do. We often find children participate better and are less distracted when parents/carers are not there, but of course, the choice is yours.

If you are coming at the end of the session, make sure you arrive on time to collect your child. If you think you will be more than 10 minutes late, please make other arrangements for someone to collect your child and let Paul know via SMS on 0413 080 025- please do not call as he cannot answer the phone during coaching. This is especially important if the person collecting your child is not listed under your child's booking, as we cannot let children go home with someone we do not have written permission for. Otherwise, if you will be less than 5-10 minutes late, please let Paul know via SMS as well, so we can let the coach and your child know.

Please note that as per the T&Cs available when you signed up, 1.5. Late pick-up fees will be charged at the discretion of the Program Manager: anyone picked up late, may incur late fees of \$15 per 15 minutes or part thereof (after the first 10 minutes).

**Child Absences.** If you know ahead of time that your child will not be attending a session, please let us know via email natasha@kellysports.com.au or via SMS to Paul- 0413 080 025. Please note that as per the T&Cs available when you signed up, 2.3 Kelly Sports Missed Sessions: no refund will be given where a session is missed unless Kelly Sports has been contacted and advised of a student's absence a minimum of 24 hours before the session commences.

We understand sometimes children get sick the day of a session or things happen without notice; however, we still must pay the coach/es wages and hire fees for the use of facilities, so we ask for your understanding of this policy.

Cancellations. Cancellations will NOT occur for wet weather or heat (except in extreme circumstances). We have spoken to all schools and whilst not all of them will give us access to an indoor space, we are allowed to use any undercover/shady space we like, to modify and run our program on such days. Whilst we may not be able to run the exact program on that day, we will modify the program to suit the space and we will do as many drills and skills as possible for the time we have the children. If you decide to pick your child up from the program due to the weather, please note that a credit/refund will not occur unless you have notified us 24 hours prior as per the above dot-point (Child Absences).

Just like everyone, our staff are human and do get sick; a lot of them also study and work other jobs so they are not with us full-time. If one of our staff members is ill and we cannot find a cover within our employee pool, we do try to access staff from other Kelly Sports franchises, but it is often not doable, as they are already running their own sessions elsewhere. This is the ONLY reason why we might have to cancel sessions, and it may be at late notice, which we understand is frustrating for you and your children and we do apologise for this. We do our best to give you as much notice as possible, but sometimes it will be at the last minute.

If a session is cancelled by us, as per the T&Cs available when you signed up, 2.2 Kelly Sports Cancelled Sessions: If a session has to be cancelled and a catch-up session is not available, that fee will be carried forward and credited to the next term.

On occasion, we have had schools notify us a week (sometimes less) in advance of a change to the school calendar that may affect the running of one of our sessions, if this is the case, we will inform you as soon as we find out and will apply a credit to the account as above.

**Facebook & Instagram.** Some days there will be images of what we did that will be posted on the "Kelly Sports Metro South East-Melbourne" Facebook & Instagram pages. This may include some photos/videos of your children. You will need to "like" Kelly Sports Metro South East-Melbourne page to see this in your newsfeed. Please inform us via your child's booking if you don't want photos of your children included on the Facebook page. We take note of this before posting photos online.

If you would like a copy of our terms and conditions as you cannot remember them, please let us know and we will forward it to you.