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1<sup>st</sup> July 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

**Sports Day - 14<sup>th</sup> July**

Our Sports Day will be taking place at **1.30pm (key stage two gates open at 1.15pm) on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July**. You are more than welcome to watch, count and support every child. During our Sports Day the children will participate in a carousel of events and a running race. Once again our focus will be the Olympic and Paralympic values; friendship, respect, excellence, determination, inspiration, courage and equality. This year we have added the Commonwealth values which are humanity, destiny and equality.

- Please can all children come to school in their P.E. kit. If your child would like to wear a top in the colour of their house, then they are more than welcome to wear this. However, please do not worry too much as the PPSA have purchased coloured bibs to denote which house the children are representing. Please speak to your child's class teacher if you are unsure what coloured house your child is in.
- Please can every child have a sun hat, water bottle and sun cream applied.
- Please could we ask parents/spectators to stand outside the carousel of events area for safeguarding reasons.
- We will be setting out some row of chairs, which you are most welcome to sit on but please could I ask you not to remove the chairs from the area they have been set out. For the sprint races please can all spectators stay on the opposite side of the running track to the children, by the chairs.
- Toilets in KS1 will be available for parents/adults and children (not attending the school) to use in emergencies only. Please do not use the toilets by the hall as the children from the school will use these.
- Children do not need to bring in book bags on this day.

**If the weather looks inclement or it is too hot, I will make a decision whether Sports Day will go ahead as soon as possible and no later than 11am. We will let you know by text, so please ensure we have your correct telephone number.**

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'J Galvin'.

John Galvin  
Headteacher