

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2022

## Sports Day – Reception to Year 6 Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May 10:15 - 13:30

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you will have seen from previous communication, our sports day and Jubilee picnic will be taking place on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May. You are warmly invited to join us to celebrate and support this event which will start at 10:15 and finish at 13:30.

All children should come into school on this day, wearing their school PE kit, including trainers with their school jumper. As the children will be outdoors all morning, please can you ensure that your child arrives at school with plenty of water, wearing sunscreen, and a sun hat.

Gates will open to parents and carers at 9.45am to allow you enough time to locate your child's class before the event begins.

The children will be participating in a carousel of sporting activities in their classes, which will be located on the playing field and playgrounds. With each activity the children will earn points towards their House. Like last year, we are very fortunate to be joined by year 9 sports leaders from Oasis Academy Coulsdon, who will be running the activity stations for our pupils.

After the carousel, the children will be taking part in class running races on the main track. Please sit on the spectator side of the track which will be the opposite side to where the children are sitting. Please continue to supervise younger siblings, as the races can be very fast paced.

When the races have concluded, the points awarded for  $1^{st}$ ,  $2^{nd}$  and  $3^{rd}$  positions will be added to the house points collated during the carousel. We will announce the winning house before the picnic commences.

Family members who are coming just for the picnic should arrive at 12.30pm and go straight to the school field. If you plan to join your child for lunch, please bring a blanket/rug and your picnic to share with your child/children. Please ensure food does not include any nut products as we have several children at school who have severe allergies. It is also important to remind parents that alcohol must not be brought into school. If you are unable to attend, you may either provide your child with a packed lunch, or request a school picnic lunch, payable via ParentPay. Any children whose parents are not able to attend will eat with their class teacher.

We hope that you can attend and are really looking forward to this event. Should we need to cancel due to poor weather conditions, we shall notify you as soon as possible via a Byron text alert.

Yours sincerely,

James Norris

**Deputy Principal** 







































