Chilton Primary School



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Dear Parents and Carers,

It is that time again... but with a slight twist! This year's Sports Day will look a little different: our Celebration of Sport will take place over two days on the Key Stage Two playground and field – with Year groups allocated to one of those days:

Monday 19th July – Year 3 and 4 at 9:15 and Reception at 13:45 Tuesday 20th July - Year 5 and 6 at 9:15 and Year 1 and 2 at 13:45

Whilst we fully appreciate that the government plans to have relaxed all legal requirements around the pandemic from the 19th, we will still be running these events as we see fit to keep our community safe. With cases rising, we do not want Sports Days potentially spreading the virus and ruining summer plans. Therefore, we invite one parent/adult per child to attend Sports Days. We also ask that you abide by this out of respect to children, staff and other parents and understand our reasons for running events in this way. We do not want to spend Sports Days policing the actions of parents, so please do adhere to our request of one parent or adult attending per child. Unfortunately, younger children or siblings will not be able to attend on this occasion.

Here's the details of the days:

Children will be asked to wear a brightly coloured t-shirt (any colour) with their usual PE bottoms (navy or black shorts / tracksuit bottoms) and they will wear this kit to school and keep it on all day on the day of their event. Year 6 children only will need a change of clothes for their afternoon on the 20th. Due to the lack of shade on the field, if the weather is forecast to be hot, please remember water bottles, hats and sun cream.

After registration at normal times, children will walk up to the Key Stage Two playground. Feel free to cheer as the classes are announced! Children will stay with their class bubbles and will take part in a smaller carousel of activities, applying the skills they have learnt this year in their PE lessons to the competition for their House Teams. They will move through each numbered event in order. A map will also be available on the day.

At the end of the carousel of activities, children will congregate in their classes in sections on the field. There will then be an opportunity for sprinting races for each year group for both boys and girls to find out the fastest runners in that year. Spectators will be welcome to assemble on the edge of the field to watch and cheer but please remember to socially distance. This year, we would like to continue our Leavers' Race where children in Year Six will participate in a fun Chilton Challenge, consisting of an assault course. Sadly, this year there will be no Mums', Dads' or Toddlers' races. We will then move over to the playground where awards will be given. This year, staff will be looking out for children who have demonstrated the School Games values (Self belief, Determination, Honesty, Team Work, Passion and Respect) and special awards will be given out to those children who have highlighted them. The Sports Day Cup will also be awarded to the winning team after which the children will head off back to class.

We hope you can join us in celebrating our year of sport and thank you for your continued support in respect of the changes. Many thanks,

Mrs K Law, Head of School and Mr. Wheeler, PE leader

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