

## **All Saints Primary School Sports Day 2018**

Dear Parents/Carers,

## ALL SAINTS SPORTS DAY Wednesday 13th June 2018 9:05am – 12pm

All parents and families (the more the merrier!) are warmly welcomed to come along and enjoy our Sports Day. As always there will be lots of fun and games and some positive competitive spirit too!

Children have been competing every 4 weeks in PE on a Wednesday with Mr Noyce in 4 teams, and the results have been displayed by Mr Noyce in the school hall. This has been an incredible way for children to demonstrate their skills within a game situation, understand and demonstrate the sporting values in a competitive way and for our sports leaders and ambassadors to have an opportunity to referee and support the younger children in our school.

We will see the same 4 teams competing during our sports day (Red, Blue, Green and Yellow). Please supply a plain top for your child in their team colour but we kindly request **no** football club shirts. Your child should be able to tell you which coloured group they are in as they met as a group today in school and they have been representing those colours in PE throughout the year. However, if they do forget, you should see it handwritten at the top of this letter! Children are grouped with brothers and sisters in the same colour team.

During the morning, children who perform well in the events, will gain points for their team and at the end of the morning we will present the **Sports Day Cup** to the winning team. There are a number of events for the children to take part in and these will operate on a circuit basis so that all children will be involved at the same time. Children will compete against others in the same year group. To finish the morning there will be a variety of races. We have built in rest breaks for all the competitors throughout the morning and children have already been working as a team to discuss sporting values and races that they would like to participate in.

Thanks also to Mr Noyce (our sports coach) who has been teaching athletics for the last half term as part of the children's PE curriculum, which I am sure you will see applied in their efforts during sports day. Lytchett Matravers Primary school has once again kindly lent us their hurdles to enable us to have high quality hurdle races – children have been working particularly hard during curriculum time to master their jumping skill!

On the day children will come to school at the normal time. Please ensure they are wearing their PE kit (black or navy shorts/trousers, coloured team top and trainers) BUT have their school uniform in their bag ready to change into, later in the day. Please also ensure that your child has already been covered in sun protection cream so they are ready for the event. If there is anyone out there who could support us during the morning with handing out drinks to the children, please inform Mrs Wookey or Mrs Crumpler of your availability! Your support would be much appreciated.

We are also excited to provide refreshments this year, so please bring along some pennies and support our wonderful school.

## **ESSENTIAL ITEMS THAT YOUR CHILD WILL NEED IN SCHOOL:**

PE bag clearly named with their school uniform in
Sensible sports footwear and clothing
Coloured shirt (team colour)
Water bottle (named)
Sun hat (even if it doesn't look particularly sunny!) – remember to name it!

We hope that the morning will be lots of fun and that the children enjoy the competition of trying to win the Cup so please come along and give them your support and encouragement!

Yours sincerely

Lisa Regan