

Dear Parents/Carers,

## ALL SAINTS SPORTS DAY Friday 14th June 2019 9:15am – 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!

As you may know, children have been competing in 4 teams in Friday PE with Mr Noyce. These competitions have taken place every five weeks throughout the year. The colours are **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 have spoken to Mr Noyce today in PE about sports day. However, if they do forget, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher. Children are grouped with brothers and sisters in the same colour team.

During Sports Day 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. I am sure you will see their skills applied in their efforts during sports day. Lytchett Matravers Primary School, once again has 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 this skill!

On Sports Day morning 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, Mrs Regan or Mrs Crumpler of your availability! Your support would be much appreciated.

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 and teamwork in order to try to win the Cup. Please come along and give them your support and encouragement! Yours sincerely

Lisa Regan