

Dear Parents/Carers,

Ad Astra Infant School Sports Day

9th June 2023

One of the most exciting events of the school year, Sports Day, is fast approaching. The children are beginning to prepare for Sports Day during their PE and outdoor games lessons, and we would like to invite you to come along and support the children with lots of enthusiasm and your loudest cheers.

The dates and times for each year group are listed below: EYFS: Monday 26th June — 9:30am start (healthy picnic approx. 11:15-11:45) Year 1: Tuesday 27th June — 9:30am start (healthy picnic approx. 11:15-11:45) Year 2: Wednesday 28th June — 9:30am start (healthy picnic approx. 11:15-11:45)

We have pushed the start time back by 15 minutes this year to ensure that the children have enough time to get changed and be fully ready before the big event. The Sports Days will take place on the playing field at Ad Astra Infant School. In the event of poor weather and cancellation, you will be notified by text message at the earliest opportunity. In anticipation of hot, sunny weather (fingers crossed), please ensure your child brings a water bottle and a sunhat to school and that <u>sun cream is applied before</u> <u>they come to school.</u>

The children will enter and leave the playing field with their class and will stay with their class as they move around to the different events. Please move around with your child's group, as they try and earn as many points as they can for their class.



Following the success of our 'healthy picnic' in previous years, we would love for you to join us for this again this year. After the children finish their events on the field, we will hold a healthy picnic. We will aim for the children to eat at around 11:15am and will finish at 11:45am when the children will go back to their classrooms. If your child has a hot school meal booked for this day, you can either cancel it and provide one from home, or we will arrange for a packed lunch to be provided instead. If you already provide a lunchbox, please do so as normal. In the case of poor weather, the children will eat their packed lunches in their classrooms.

We look forward to seeing you at our Sports Day to support the children as they participate in this fun and enjoyable event.

Yours faithfully,

Mr B Watt Physical Education Leader



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