



June 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

Sports Day Finals on Thursday 4th July 2019

This year our Sports Day will be held on Thursday 4th July at Abbey Stadium in Redditch. All pupils must wear full PE kit, depending on the weather they may also need a coat or sun cream.

We have coaches booked to transport the pupils to and from the stadium. The coaches will leave school at approximately 8.45am and return to school at approximately 2.30/2.40pm, pupils will then be dismissed to go home. If you wish your child to remain on site until 3.05pm, then please sign and return the slip below. For those children who are on education transport, they will come home in a taxi at the usual time.

As we will be out of school all day, every student will need a packed lunch and plenty of drinks as there is no facility to buy food at the running track. If your child receives free school meals and you would like them to be catered for then please fill out the attached form below and send it back into school to reception by Friday 28th June. We will then ensure they receive a packed lunch for the day.

Pupils will have the opportunity to compete for their house in a full programme of track and field events that will see either Durham, York or Exeter crowned as DEC Sports Day 2019 Champions. Each pupil could compete in any two events plus a relay event. This could either be two track events (100m, 200m etc) or two field events (javelin, shot-put etc) or one of each.

In the spirit of the Olympics, all pupils have completed a 6-week activity block within PE lessons to develop their performance and represented their house in the qualifying heats for every activity. With bronze, silver and gold targets, every pupil has already worked hard to earn points towards their house's overall total. The sports day finals will enable pupils who won their qualifying heats to proceed to represent their house teams at sports day.

All pupils will have a brilliant opportunity to experience the atmosphere of a senior athletics event which includes developing key personal attributes of team spirit and sportsmanship. For spectators, there will also be the opportunity to get involved in some games activities alongside the athletics including badminton and volleyball.

Yours sincerely

Mr M. Dunn
Headteacher



Dame Elizabeth Cadbury

Return to Reception

Sports day on Thursday 4th July 2019

I, Parent/Carer of _____ would like my child to remain on the school site until 3.05pm, when they have returned from Abbey Stadium on Thursday 4th July 2019.

My child is entitled to a Free School Meal and **I would/would not** like them to receive a packed lunch on Sports Day. [Please delete as applicable]

Signed _____

Date _____

