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Dear parents/carers,

This year, we are so happy to announce that we have organised for a sports week to take place during the week beginning 12.07.2021.

During this week, each year group will have an allocated sports afternoon, in which they will take part in six fun, athletic events. For this afternoon, we invite parents and immediate family on to the school premises to spectate during this event.

The dates for each year group are as follows:

Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Tuesday 13.07.2021	Wednesday 14.07.2021	Thursday 15.07.2021	Friday 16.07.2021

The timings of this event are as follows:

13:00 – 13:15:

Parents to arrive. Please enter via the school gates on to the front playground, adjacent to the field. Mr Tharme will welcome you to the school and point you in the right direction. Please note, the car park will not be open for parking.

13:15 – 13:25:

The children will be brought down from their classes and sat in their groups.
Please do not approach the children for safeguarding and to ensure the smooth running of the afternoon. Mr White will deliver a briefing and the afternoon will begin.

13:25 – 15:00:

The children will stay in their group and rotate around the six activities (approximately 15 minutes each) run by school staff.
Parents can follow their child's group to each activity but must remain in the designated 'Spectator area' and not interfere with the running of the event.
Throughout the afternoon, the events will be competitive within each group but the emphasis of the afternoon will be on building sportsmanship, resilience and respect.
Please ensure that you model these behaviours to the children throughout the afternoon.

15:00 – End of school day:

The children will return to the centre of the field for a debrief. The children will be taken back to their classes to collect their things and get ready for home.
Mr Tharme will open the front gates again. Parents and carers can leave the school premises or make their way to their usual collection point.
Children will NOT be allowed to be collected at this point. They MUST return to class with their teacher for safeguarding reasons.

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During these afternoons, pupils and members of the CPTA will also be selling cakes and refreshments on the front playground.
On the day of your child's sports day, please send in ***a donation of cakes*** that can be sold during the afternoon. Money raised from this will be spent on resources or events in the year group.

On this day, children must attend school in their PE kit.
If possible, they should wear a T-shirt of the colour of their house team:

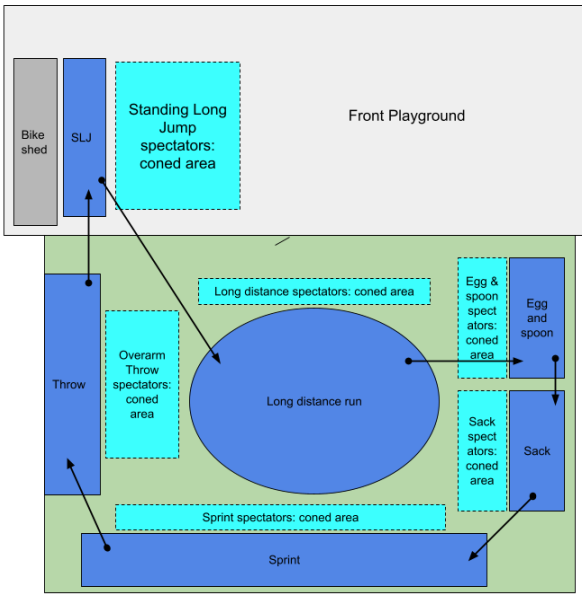
Bournemouth	Weymouth	Poole	Swanage

The six events taken part by all children will be:

Sprint	Long distance run	Standing long jump	Overarm throw	Sack race	Egg and spoon race

The children will earn stickers for their placement in the event and will also be awarded an effort sticker regardless of placing.

Please see below a map of the school premises being used during the afternoon:



We really hope that you are able to join us on this day and we are so looking forward to seeing the children enjoying this event.

Kind regards

Mr L Tharme & Mr K White
Vice Principal & PE leader

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