## **Fern Hill Sports Day**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Once again, we will be holding our annual Sports Day at Dinton Field on Friday 24th May. The events for Reception to Year 2 (KS1) children will take place in the morning and for the Year 3 to 6 (KS2) children in the afternoon with a whole- school picnic lunch, which you are warmly invited to attend.

KS1's Sports Day will run from 9:15 - 11:30 am. KS2 children will start to arrive at Dinton Field from 11:45 am, ready for a whole-school picnic lunch at 12:00 pm. KS2 Sports Day will run from 12:30 - 3:00 pm.

All <u>KS1</u> children will need to be dropped directly at <u>Dinton Field</u> between 8:50 - 9:00 am where their class teacher will be waiting. Please <u>do not</u> take your KS1 child to school in the morning as all of the staff will be at Dinton Field. This will enable us to get the events underway as promptly as possible. The children will walk back to school with their class teacher in time for afternoon classes and be dismissed <u>from school</u> at the end of the day.

KS2 children should go to school as normal in the morning and will be brought to Dinton Field by their class teachers for 11:45 am. After the picnic lunch, they will have their Sports Day which will finish at approximately 3:00 pm. Please collect your KS2 child from Dinton Field at 3:00 pm. This should enable any parents with children in KS1 to collect them from school on time. In order to ensure the children's safety, please be patient when collecting your child at the end of the day as class teachers will need to sign each child off on their register.

Please be aware that there is <u>no parking</u> at Dinton Field. Walking will be the easiest method to get to and from the event. Dinton Field is behind Latchmere School and adjacent to St Agatha's School.

We do not have permission to sell any refreshments so please do bring your own drinks or snacks.

Your support at Sports Day is always warmly appreciated and the children really do enjoy you being part of their day. We would kindly ask that you make yourselves comfortable at the end of the field, by the buildings, where you will have a great view of all the running events. If you wish to move around the field to watch each of your children's other events, please can you stay on the <u>outside edge</u> of the field away from the central area. This will enable the children to take part in the events safely and everybody else will have a clear view of all events. You are welcome to take photos on the day but please take care not to publish these photos or put them on a public website or any social media.

Please could you ensure that your child is dressed <u>for the whole day</u> in a t-shirt which represents their house colour (Richmond = Green, Coombe = Blue, Hampton = Red, Kingston = Yellow), a pair of shorts, trainers and a cap. They will also need a named bottle of water. Please apply sun cream before your child comes to school.

If you would like to join in our picnic lunch, please collect your child from their class 'base' when lunchtime is signalled. The class teachers will have a tick list in order for them to monitor each child's whereabouts. Please be patient when collecting your child and make sure that the teacher has ticked their name before you take them. You will then be responsible for your child until they return to their teacher.

To save your child carrying a lunchbox to Dinton Field, if you know that you will be attending, please could you keep their lunch with you until needed. At the end of lunchtime, the children will need to be returned to class teachers where registers will be taken to ensure that everyone is back safely.

Children in receipt of Free School Meals will be provided with a packed lunch from school. This does not include the Universal FSM Incentive which children in Reception to Year 2 currently receive. All children in Reception and Years 1 to 6 not in receipt of FSM must bring their own packed lunch.

- KS1 children to be dropped at Dinton Field between 8:50 am and 9:00 am and collected from school at 3:15 pm as normal
- KS2 children to be dropped at school as normal in the morning and collected from Dinton Field at 3:00 pm
- All children to be dressed in house colours.
- There is a picnic lunch so all children will need a packed lunch.

We hope that you enjoy Sports Day and that the children have a fun and active day.

Mrs Lawn, PE Lead.

## **Tree Tops Breakfast Club**

If your Reception/KS1 child is booked into Breakfast Club on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May, they will be walked to Dinton Field by staff members in time for Sports Day.

## **Tree Tops After School Club**

KS1 will be as normal. KS2 children will be walked back to school with staff and taken to Tree Tops to be registered.

Please complete the reply slip below and return to your class teacher by Tuesday 21st May.

KS2 children only
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will be collecting my child from Dinton Field at the end of Sports Day.
Another person will be collecting my child from Dinton Field at the end of Sports Day. Please state their name here:
My child will be coming back to Fern Hill at the end of Sports Day and collected from school.  My child will be coming back to Fern Hill at the end of Sports Day and will need to be taken to Tree Tops.

Class: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_