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Bowerham Sports Day 2022 - Tuesday 24th May

Sports Day is back!

The day will be split into two parts as usual; competitive sports in the morning starting at **9.30am** and team sports in the afternoon starting at **1.30pm**. Please be aware that all spectators need to leave the field after the morning sports and return from 1.15pm ready for the team sports.

Our morning races are traditional races chosen by the children to compete in and the whole school will be split into their house teams for a carousel of activities in the afternoon. Each team works towards points for their house team, therefore, it is essential that all children come to school in their full school P.E. kit and have plenty of drinks as well as being lathered in sun cream and wearing a hat (fingers crossed for the sun).

Sports day will be going ahead unless the weather is torrential rain. If the weather is awful a decision will made by **8.30am** if Sports Day is going ahead and a message will be sent out via ParentApp after the field has been checked to see if it is safe for the children and spectators. If you hear nothing sports day will be going ahead.

In order to make it enjoyable for spectators, we are providing refreshments, so why not come and have breakfast with us or afternoon tea Wimbledon style. Bacon or Sausage buns will be available for parents to purchase in the morning @ \pounds 2 each and Scones & Strawberries in the afternoon @ \pounds 1 each. Please note this is for spectators and not for our pupils.

Please be aware the car parking restrictions will **not** be lifted and parking will still be limited to 1 hour on the school side of Bowerham Road. Please be respectful and thoughtful to our neighbours and ensure you park safely and appropriately. Also, be mindful that the police may be patrolling the area throughout the day.

Finally, for spectators there will be **a designated area for parents to watch from**. Spectators will **not be allowed** on the race lines at all or to be able to go over to where the children are sitting. This is clearly for health and safety reasons so please ensure your child has everything they need in the morning, as you will not be able to give them anything during our sports day. The running track will be the areas that separate the school from spectators for competitive races in the morning. It may be a good idea to bring a picnic blanket especially if you are sitting on the grass banking.

Please do come along and support your child/ren and the school on what is always a fantastic day for all.

Yours sincerely

Jo Banks Headteacher



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