

 **Dear Parents and Guardians,**

We are delighted to announce that our annual **Sports Day** will take place on **Wednesday, 17th June 2026**. This exciting day is always a highlight of the school year, and we look forward to celebrating sport, teamwork, and community spirit together. We warmly invite you to come along and cheer on the children as they participate in a range of fun and engaging activities.

Children need to come dressed in PE kit, with securely tied trainers and a t-shirt in the colour of their house team. Parents are welcome to wear the colour of their child/ren's team to show extra support!

 **Schedule for the Day:**

- **10.30am:** All our pupils will take part in a **carousel of inclusive sporting activities** in mixed age and mixed House Team groups. These are designed to encourage **enjoyment** and **participation** and certificates will be awarded to pupils demonstrating the highest levels of school values during these activities. Events are scored and points earned will be added to the afternoon events.
**Parents and spectators are not permitted for this part of the day but we will capture photos of the events to share on our social media.*
- **1:00pm:** **Gates open for parents to arrive.** Our PTA has organised for self-serve refreshments will be available to purchase. Feel free to bring a picnic blanket, chairs and refreshments for your comfort.
- **1.15pm:** Gates locked to ensure site safety.
- **1.15pm – 3:00pm:** Races begin. Classes will take turns to engage in a **series of competitive races and team-based sporting activities**, showcasing their skills, determination, and teamwork. 1st, 2nd and 3rd places will be awarded with points earned towards the team's score.
- Time permitting there will be a toddler race for any aspiring young athletes of pre-school age!
- We will **close the event** with the announcement of the **Winning House Team** and award the trophy to the Team Captains. **All children will return to their classes** to collect their belongings before being released to parents collecting from the **class doors**. Sycamore pupils can be collected at the gate to Sycamore outdoor area (on the field).

We will be **selling ice creams** at the end of the day should you wish to cool down with a chilly treat!

We hope you will be able to join us and help make the day special for the children- it is an ideal opportunity to relax, chat with other families, and enjoy the day together. Your support always adds to the joy and energy of the event.

If you have any questions or require further information, please don't hesitate to contact the school office.

 Kind regards,
Tunstead Primary School