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Sports Day - Thursday 4th July 9:45, Furness Academy Track

Sports Day for Year R/1/2/3/4/5/6 this year will be held on Thursday 4th July from 9:45am until 11:45 am at Furness Academy (back for normal lunch arrangements). Children will walk to and from the track in their teams, therefore older children will be helping escort the younger children alongside their designated staff member. Your child's teacher should have informed you colour team he or she is in (see the notice on the doors by the Sports Hall or Class Dojo). Children can come to school on the day in sporting clothes to match their team colour. If they don't have clothes to match their team colour, don't worry; just come in sportswear (tracksuit bottoms, t-shirt, shorts or hoodie). Your child may also wear trainers for the day.

All parents, carers and grandparents are most welcome to come along and support the children. As last year, we have tried to put members of the same family into the same team, to enable you to watch your children more easily. We welcome you to arrive after 9:40 as the children will begin to make their way to their first activity. The event will start with a carousel of activities and spectators will move around the track with their child/ children's team. We will finish off with flat races, on the track.

Please park on Park Drive (avoiding the yellow zig zag lines and double yellow lines) or, if possible, walk.

It is extremely important that all spectators follow the rules listed below whilst at Furness Academy:-

1. No smoking in or on any part of the school property or grounds. The Academy would also like you to refrain from smoking by the gates, as this does not set a good example to the children.
2. No alcoholic drinks to be taken onto the school grounds or to be drunk by the gates.
3. No swearing or other foul language.
4. Please remember this is a school environment and dress appropriately. Please keep shirts on!
6. Mobile phones should only be used for emergency purposes or to take photos of your **own** child. Many parents do not wish their child's photo to appear on Facebook, please respect their choice and only post photos of your own children.

We want the day to be an enjoyable experience for everyone including the children who will have worked so hard on their sporting events. We therefore ask that you respect the above rules and understand why they are in place. If anyone is found to break any one of them then they will be asked to leave the grounds.

If the weather is hot, please make sure that your child has a sun hat and apply sun cream before they come to school. Staff are not allowed to apply sun cream to children. Your child will be taking their school water bottles and we will have a drinks station to top up empty bottles whilst there. Please do not try to entice your children with a bought drink whilst at the track as it is unfair on other children.

Let us all work together to make the day a fantastic one!

Mr S Herbert