

17th July 2021

Dear Parents,

Following the announcement on Monday from the Prime Minister, I wanted to update you on our plans for events during the rest of the summer term to enable you to make arrangements accordingly. Unfortunately, as I am sure you will all understand, we have had to modify our arrangements for Sports Day and the Leavers' Assembly to comply with the current guidance for schools. The safety measures we currently have in place will remain until we receive further guidance from the Department of Education.

Sports Day on 15th July (Reserve date - 22nd July)

Sports Day will take place on Thursday 15th July. If we need to cancel this due to the weather, Sports Day will take place on Thursday 22nd July.

To allow us to invite you to join us for Sports Day we will be running the races in two groups, one for the Garden Class (Years R, 1 and 2) and one for the Meadow Class (Years 3,4,5 and 6). We are able to invite two family members per sibling group; this allows us to minimise the numbers attending.

The Garden Class will compete in their races first. If you have children in the Garden Class, you are invited to arrive at school between 1:30 and 1:35pm. Races will commence at 1:35pm and finish at 2:15pm.

Family members who do not have children in the Meadow Class will leave school as soon as the Garden Class races are complete. You will also be able to take your children home with you at this point.

The Meadow Class will compete in their races second. If you have children in the Meadow Class, you are invited to arrive in school between 2:30 and 2:35pm. Races will commence at 2:35pm and finish at 3:15pm. Once the races have finished you will leave and your children will also be able to leave at this point.

We will be unable to allow family members to use school facilities so please ensure you go to the toilet before you come and bring your own chairs / blankets to sit on.

Please note that in order that you can plan, these arrangements will stay the same in the event of us needing to use the reserve date, even if guidance changes.

Leavers' Assembly on Friday 23rd July at 2pm

Due to the restrictions, we are only able to invite four family members for each year six pupil. In order to follow the government school guidance families will be allocated a seating area and we ask that you remain seated for the duration of the assembly. I understand this may be disappointing for people who can't attend but unfortunately this is the only way it can go ahead.



In the event that school guidance changes before this date and it is possible we will invite families from other year groups.

Test and Trace

In order to comply with Test & Trace for these events please let me know, by email, the names of those who will be attending each event. Please provide details by Friday 2nd July. Thank you

Many thanks for your continuing support and understanding. Kind regards

Teresa Bosley