

16 May 2018

Dear Parents / Carers,

### **Sports Day**

In response to feedback from both parents and pupils, we have chosen to make some changes to our sports mornings this year. We have decided to add a more competitive element to the event and have chosen to hold both of our sports mornings at the Hornchurch Stadium / Athletics track. We feel this change of venue naturally lends itself to competition and will support the parking issues we have had in the past. Our sports mornings will continue to be all inclusive, with children competing and scoring points for their house teams. However, there will also be individual prizes for children with the highest points in each year group.

### **Key Information**

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> June: KS2 Sports Morning 9:30-12.00pm at Hornchurch Stadium / Athletics track**

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June: KS1 Sports Morning 9:30 – 11:30pm at Hornchurch Stadium / Athletics track**

Clothing – children will wear their school PE kit but we would encourage them to wear a **plain** t-shirt in their house team colours: red for St. Laurence, blue for St. Andrews, green for St. Chad and yellow for St. Cedd.

If the weather is hot, please ensure your child has a hat in school and sun-cream applied before school. Children should have their drink bottle in school as usual so they will take this with them to each event throughout the morning.

If it is wet weather, the sports morning will have to be postponed. Our reserve dates are Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June for KS2 and Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July for KS1. The same format and changes would still be in place but we have not been able to book the stadium for our reserve dates so the sports morning would then be held on the school field instead.

We are excited about this new format and we will endeavour to ensure it continues to be one of the highlights of the school sport calendar.

Yours in Sport

Mrs Lee