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KS2 Sports Day - **Wednesday 21st June**

Doncaster Athletics Track- Keepmoat Stadium

Dear Parents / Carers,

We warmly invite you to attend our KS2's Sports Day on Wednesday 21st June. We are delighted to inform you that this year, our sports day will be held at Doncaster Athletics Track at the Keepmoat Stadium!

This is an exciting event for the school which we are sure will be a huge success. Children will travel by coach to the stadium from 9am and return back to school for dismissal at the usual time of 3:30pm. Coaches will run on a shuttle service collecting and dropping children off.

The stadium holds a capacity of 500 people so we hope many of you can make the day to support your children. The gate will be manned by members of staff at all times to allow spectators to arrive and leave as they please.

We will be charging £1 per ticket for this event and any money raised will be put towards buying new kits and residential and educational visit clothing for KS2 children. Due to the capacity of the stadium, you can only purchase a maximum 2 tickets per child. Please specify how many tickets you would like on the reply slip and pay the appropriate amount on ParentPay. Payment can be made using the attached barcoded letter at your nearest PayPoint or by logging into your ParentPay account. Tickets will then be sent home with your child nearer to the event. If not all tickets are sold by Friday 9th June, we will release the rest of the tickets on a first come, first served basis. A text will be sent out to notify you if or when these become available. **There will be no entry to the event without a ticket.**

Children will be split in to 4 teams and will move around different events throughout the day. Children will be allocated a team prior to the event and will compete against the other teams, gaining points for events, to have an overall winner. The focus for the day is not only about the competitive element but more importantly also about teamwork and participation.

The tuck shop on site will be open to sell hot and cold drinks, ice-creams and light snacks. The stadium will also be selling bacon and sausage sandwiches on arrival and burgers / hot dogs at lunch time. These are only available to spectators and are organised by the athletics stadium with all profits going to them.

There will even be an opportunity for spectators to take part in their own race and tug of war. Please come prepared in appropriate clothing should you wish to take part!



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Order of the day is as follows:

- 9am - commence transport of children to Keepmoat Stadium.
- 9.45am - warm up
- 10am - events begin
- 12pm - lunch break
- 12.30pm - events re-start
- 2:30pm - children begin to return to school
- 3:00pm - site cleared
- 3.30pm – children dismissed from class as usual

During the event, all gates into the Stadium will be locked, except for the main gate, which will be manned by a member of school staff at all times. This is to be used for evacuation or exit and entrance by spectators only. Toilets facilities are available on site.

Please note:

- **All children must arrive to school at normal time in their PE kit (white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers)**
- **All children must bring a sunhat and a drinks bottle filled with water.**
- **Please apply sun cream to your child before school. Children can bring sun cream to be reapplied by themselves throughout the day.**

Children will also require a packed lunch. For those in receipt of free school meals please tick below if you wish to provide your child with their own lunch or if your child requires a school packed lunch on that day. **Please ensure all forms are returned by Friday 9th June to ensure we have time to order a school packed lunch.** We cannot guarantee a school packed lunch can be ordered for form received after this date.

This is a fantastic opportunity for our children to showcase their talents within an athletic stadium using professional equipment.

Thank you for your continued support in what we hope to be the first of many events at Doncaster Athletics Track.

Jade Bates PE Subject Leader



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I give permission for my child _____ in class _____ to take part in the sports day on Wednesday 21st June at the Keepmoat Stadium.

I require 1* or 2* (*please circle as appropriate) and I will make payment for these via ParentPay.

Tickets are priced at **£1** each. Please make payment using this barcoded letter or by logging on to your ParentPay account.

Please specify below by ticking appropriate box;

My child is in receipt of free school meals and requires a packed lunch

I will provide my child with a packed lunch

Please ensure all forms are returned by Friday 9th June to ensure we have time to order a school packed lunch.

Signed _____

Date _____

[] I **give permission** for any photographs taken of my child to be posted on our social media sites.

[] I **do not give permission** for any photographs taken of my child to be posted on our social media sites.



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