

Seaburn Dene

Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Important Information - Arrangements for Foundation Stage Sports Day 2023

Our annual Foundation Stage Sports Day is to be held in the small yard **Thursday 29th June**. For those parents, new to our school, this is a family day, with parents/carers being invited to come along and bring a picnic lunch to have with their child which can be eaten on the school field, from 12noon until 12.50pm (weather permitting!).

The Reception Class ONLY - races will be held during the morning session from 9.10am on the school field (approx. 45mins). The children will need to wear their house team colours (T-shirt) and shorts/ trainers.

Unicorn - BLUE
Griffin - YELLOW
Phoenix - RED
Dragon - GREEN

Bring something along to sit on to show your support. Afterwards, we will then be joined by the nursery children to begin our 'fun interactive session', leading up to the family picnic, from midday.

All nursery children and families are invited to join us although parents will be split into two sessions due to large numbers – the first session is from 10.15am and then have picnic lunch or join the second session at 12noon for the picnic lunch and stay for the afternoon. Please complete the Google form (link below) to indicate which session you will be attending. Come along and 'play' alongside the staff and children and have a family picnic with your child. Nursery children should wear their school PE kit for the day.

Parents do not need to attend for the full session but we welcome your support.

At lunchtime (12noon) children will be collected from the small yard and may join their parents for lunch on the small yard or the main field but **MUST** be back - again on the small yard - from 12.50pm to get the register taken for Reception children and those nursery children in for Wednesday afternoon.



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During the afternoon session you may take your child with you to see the older children racing (Yrs 4 to 6) but may not take your child away from school. All children leaving with parents must be signed out with Mrs Wilson/Miss Flanagan, on the day. Children will be dismissed at their usual time and place in school, at the end of the school day.

Children who would normally stay for a school meal, but would like to join their parents for the picnic, must inform the school by **MONDAY 19TH JUNE** so that we have time to cancel their lunches. Changes after this date may have to be paid for. If you cannot attend Sports Day for whatever reason but would like your child to have a picnic with another family member or friend, your permission must be given in writing prior to Sports Day. Any child who does not have written permission will be supervised by members of staff and will not be able to go out onto the field. A special lunch will be provided by the kitchen for those children who are not having a picnic and require a school meal.

Can ALL parents please complete our Google form (link below), not just those having a school meal. This will allow us to identify which children need to be supervised by staff. Alternatively, if you cannot access the form, please reply by Dojo or ask for a paper copy from the school office.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc-mBTAXFKwUsroLdIlCxosqgGGA7-16KkUFak15lhgEnDxlw/viewform?usp=sharing>

If - for weather related reasons - Sports Day is unable to be held, Tuesday 2nd July is our reserve date.

Yours sincerely

Sheena Baker
Systems Manager

