



Little Gaddesden C.E. Primary School

Headteacher: Mrs C. Geoghegan

23rd May 2019

Sports Week 2019 - 24th - 28th June

Dear Parents

We have a very exciting week of sport running from Monday 24th June to Friday 28th June.

The week will include some new sports/activities for the children to try as well as opportunities for competition and a whole school trip to Phasels Wood on Wednesday 26th June for some Outdoor and Adventurous Activities. This week will be partly funded by our Sports Premium money but we are also asking for a voluntary contribution of £12 per child to cover the cost of the specialist sports coaches as well as the trip to Phasels Wood Activity Centre.

Children should wear their PE kits and trainers all this week (see below for details of Wednesday's trip to Phasels Wood) and a t-shirt in their house colour on Thursday and Friday. The children will be working in their house groups on the Thursday and Friday is Sports Day.

There will be no Golden Mile before school this week.

Wednesday 26th June

Today we will be having a whole school outing to Phasels Wood where the children will take part in four different outdoor and adventurous activities throughout the day. The children will stay in their class groups and the activities will be appropriate to the different year groups and will include things such as orienteering, cresta run, pedal racers, team challenges, bungee trampolines, climbing walls, archery, abseiling and more!

To save costs we are asking that the children be dropped off at Phasels Wood Activity Centre at 9.30 and be picked up at 3pm. A map of how to find the activity centre is attached to this parentmail.

Children will need suitable clothing and trainers for outdoor activities (suncream, raincoats - both?!), and we would ask that the children have their little Gaddesden hoodies or sweatshirts.

Children in classes 3 & 4 will need to bring a packed lunch and a drink.

As children in classes 1 & 2 qualify for Universal Infant Free School Meals, the kitchen will be providing a packed lunch for all children in these classes. The lunch will include a roll, a piece of fruit, a cookie and a bottle of water. We will be asking the children in school for their choice of roll.

Friday 28th June

Friday will be Sports Day. The children should arrive at 9.30am with races starting at 10.0am. Everyone is invited to come and picnic in the school grounds following the races. Those having school dinners will receive a school lunch. Following feedback from previous years' we have decided that you are welcome to take your children home at 1.15pm.

You can pay for Sports Week and give your consent via your School Gateway account. This is our preferred option and means you don't need to send payment or a reply slip back to school.

Alternatively, please complete and sign the slip below together with your payment and return to the School Office.

Please can we ask that all payments are received by Thursday 13th June.

Yours sincerely

Charis Geoghegan
Headteacher

Sports Week

I give permission for _____ to take part in Sports Week 2019.

I enclose £12 towards the cost of the week and will make arrangements to drop my child off at Phasels Wood on Wednesday June 26th at 9.30 and collect at 3pm.

Signed: _____

Date: _____