



Dear Parents/Carers

We are writing to inform you of our plans for Sports Day 2024 which is scheduled to take place on **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June**. All children will need to come to school in their outdoor PE kits and with a water bottle plus optional healthy snack. We recommend you keep an eye on the forecast and dress / apply sun cream as appropriate.

Parents and families are invited to watch the races and you are welcome to bring blankets or chairs to sit on. We are using the same format that we have followed in previous years as we feel that the opportunity to combine competitive races with team games allows everyone to shine. Timings for these are shown in the table below. *Most families choose to come to watch the competitive races only.*

<b>9:30 – 11:30</b>	Y1 – Y3 Formal races on the field <b>Refreshments and raffle tickets on sale to families</b>	Y4 – Y6 Activities around the school
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Whilst families are watching the races, we will be selling a range of refreshments for 50p, this will go towards our fundraising. This year, we have also decided to bring back our Sports Day raffle to help with fundraising for school grounds / OPAL projects. We are sure you have all seen the exciting developments of the grounds involved in phase one of launching OPAL. We have more ideas in the pipeline that will be hugely beneficial and exciting to the children but we need to raise some money to fund these. The raffle includes lots of prizes including: One-month family membership to the Mecure gym, £25 New Inn voucher, Foot-tech holiday camp voucher, a 2-day pass to the Alwoodley Primary School Summer Holiday Club (worth £50) plus many more. Raffle tickets will be £2 for a strip of tickets. Please note this will be a **cash only event**.

We are really looking forward to seeing lots of our families at this event.

Kind Regards

Alwoodley Primary School