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Dear Parents/Carers,

Our popular annual Fun Run event will be held on **Friday 5th May, from 1.15pm** onwards on the main playing field.

Whilst the success of the Fun Run has always been its non-competitive nature, many of the older children are proud of the number laps they complete.

The Fun Run will take place on the field behind the school. The older children will begin running first, with classes coming out on to the field at five-minute intervals, with the Year R classes coming out at approx. 1.35pm.

It will be carefully and safely organised to ensure that every child of any ability will be able to run or walk within their capabilities and still feel that they have made a contribution. The emphasis will be on “fun” and fitness, it will **not** be a race and the children will be able to run at their own pace and stop whenever they wish.

Please provide a **named water bottle** that can be available for them outside during the run, this will be refillable during the afternoon from school. Parents will **NOT** be able to pass drink (or food) to the children as they run.

If the weather is warm please ensure that your child has a named sun hat to wear, with sun cream applied before school.

**Children are asked to wear their normal PE kit for the fun run.
ie, coloured house t-shirt, plain black or navy-blue shorts, plimsols/trainers –
(NO sports or football kits please) – House t-shirts only.**

We will assess the weather and conditions underfoot on the day when deciding if it is safe for this event to go ahead.

If the event is postponed, parents will be informed via text message.

Every child will carry a special card which will be stamped at every “half lap”. Their adults will write the total number of laps achieved on their Fun Run card, which will then be brought home after school, so that they can keep it if they wish to. Please note that this will not be a sponsored event, as we appreciate the financial pressures in the current climate.

The amazing PFA team will be selling refreshments, cake and ice cream.

We are, very grateful of your support. We look forward to seeing you as “supporters” on the day.

Yours sincerely

Mr. I Witts

Headteacher



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