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## Swanmore C.E. (Aided) Primary School

4<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Dear Parents

## THURSDAY 12th JULY 2018 – SPORTS DAY (If wet, back up date of Friday 13th July)

## INFANTS: SPORTS DAY: 9.15AM FOLLOWED BY PICNIC LUNCH

## JUNIORS: SPORTS DAY 12.15PM PICNIC LUNCH FOLLOWED BY 1.30PM RACES

This year we will be continuing with our new tradition of whole school inter-house sports day. At 9.15, Years R, I and 2 will begin their races. This will be followed by 'fun sports' activities – prepared and run by the Y6 children. You will be asked to collect your children from their classes after the races and take them around the activities on the field. We then invite families to join us for a picnic lunch on the field from 12.00pm, so please do bring your rugs and packed lunches along! In this interval, Year 6 will share the great British tradition of a tug-of-war competition between their Houses. In the afternoon KS2 will have their Sports Day using the track and compete in a variety of races.

We have gazebos for the children to shade them and water bottles will be taken outside. The Governors/FOSPS have kindly said they'll run teas and coffees. Please do remember to provide sun cream and hats, especially as the weather has been very hot recently! Year 3 will also be running an enterprise stall selling refreshments in the morning.

We hope this will continue to be a great school community event, where families can come and enjoy a day together and celebrate the great achievements of the children. Should you not be able to join us, please do not worry as I hope family friends will let children sit together at lunch.

**INFANT UNIVERSAL FREE SCHOOL MEALS** Children in Years R, I and 2 are entitled to universal free school meals. However, we have found that on recent school trips most parents have supplied a packed lunch for their child. The kitchen will be supplying hot meals only on Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> July, if needed.

Yours sincerely

J Paterson Headteacher