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Dear Parent/Carer

2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021

**Re: Sports Day**

I am writing to confirm that we have managed to get an ice cream van booked for our Sports Day event on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2021. Therefore, could your child please bring in £1 for their ice cream and hand it in at the collection box at the main gate on Wednesday morning.

I have had to write a detailed Risk Assessment in order for this event to go ahead which includes informing the police of the date and time of the event.

I know it is going to be extremely tempting for some parents/grandparents to try to watch sports day over the wall from the main road (Westcroft) however, if the police do attend and feel that social distancing rules are being breached, I have been informed that they will ask us to stop Sports Day and bring the children back indoors. This would be devastating for the children and I am therefore asking that you PLEASE DO NOT come to the school wall to try to watch your child(ren).

We will try to video races and will be posting photos and footage on our website and You Tube channel. I totally understand how awful it is for a parent and other family members to miss out on Sports Day but this is about creating memories for our children and trying to keep things as normal as possible for them. As always, the children will come first and I thank you in advance for your understanding and assistance in this.

Yours sincerely

*Mrs D Cross*

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