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Dear Parents /Carers,

Sports morning and afternoons

Tuesday 12th July, 1:30pm – 3pm (Reception) Wednesday 13th July, 9:30am – 11:00am (Year 1 and Year 2) Wednesday 13th July, 1:30pm – 3pm (Year 3 and Year 4)

You are invited to Lawnside Academy's sports morning and afternoons. The opening ceremonies will start at 9.30am and 1:30pm prompt, with races and activities commencing straight afterwards.

We anticipate finishing roughly an hour and a half after the start time.

You are most welcome to come and support your child and their class at these events. A number of events will happen simultaneously in order to keep all of the children as active as possible. The main races will all be taking place on the track in the middle of the field so you won't have to be in two places at once if you have a number of children at the school. We are aiming for all children to compete in all events offered!

Our aim is to balance competitive races and fun team events. All the events are designed to develop the children's core athletic skills of running, throwing, jumping and balancing.

We ask that your child comes to school already in their PE kit; wearing appropriate Lawnside Academy colours (red shirt and black shorts). All jewellery, including earrings and friendship bracelets, should be removed and shoulder length hair tied back. We also encourage the children to bring a bottle of water, a cap or sun-hat and be already wearing sun-lotion.

Children who take part in the afternoon sport sessions will be allowed to leave school with their adult(s) once all of the events have finished (you may also collect another child if they are in a different key stage). If you are not present then you are able to pick up your child at the usual time on the school playground.

Also, our ice lolly stand will be open once all of the events have finished on the allocated time slots, fingers crossed for the sunny weather!

Yours sincerely Mr Vince <u>PE Lead Teacher</u>