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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are looking forward to welcoming you to our Sports Afternoon tomorrow. At this moment, the weather looks to be cloudy with a very small chance of rain, so I am hoping that we will not have to rearrange the date as a result of poor weather!

To ensure that the day runs both smoothly and safely, I would like to share the following important information with you:

- Parents and carers should enter the field via the **Cricket Club gate from the car park** and walk around the outside of the cricket pitch to our playing field. Unless a prior arrangement has been made, entry will not be possible through the main school gates.
- We politely ask that parents and carers **do not go beyond the metal gates into the school setting** itself for safeguarding purposes.
- The **Cricket Club toilets will be open for adults and any non-school siblings** to use. School staff will accompany Himbleton children to the toilet as needed throughout the afternoon.
- The Friends of Himbleton will be selling **ice-creams and 'posh squash'**.
- Although the weather forecast is for the afternoon to be cloudy, all children should have had **long-lasting high factor suncream applied before school**. They should also bring a **named water bottle and sun hat**.
- Children should **remove jewelry and watches** before school.
- In order for Delta Sports to set up for the afternoon, we kindly ask that parents and carers **do not arrive to set up for picnics before 11.40am**.

The approximate timings for the afternoon are as follows:

12.00pm – Children will arrive at the field and will be dismissed to parents and carers to enjoy their picnic lunches, or will find a space to enjoy their lunch with staff if parents and carers are unable to be present.

12.40pm – Teachers will gather children in their classes so that they can go back into school, complete the afternoon register, go to the toilet and prepare for the afternoon.

1.00pm – Start of the athletic activities.

2.15pm – Races.

3.00pm – Winners of the House Sports Day cup announced, after which children will return to classrooms to collect any belongings before being dismissed to parents and carers **on the field**. Children staying for any after school activities or care will remain in school.

As you will see when you arrive on the field, there are running lines marked for races and boxes marked for athletic-type activities. Children will have a 'base' at the top of the field and we ask that parents and carers spectate from the sides of the athletic activities or from the bottom section of the field. If we have a concern about a child, we will bring them to you. For the races, we ask that parents and carers remain at the bottom half of the field, towards the cricket pitch.

We hope that this will be a memorable day for everyone; the children have certainly been enjoying the new style of sports afternoon, supporting each other and developing a sense of team spirit through working together in their House groups. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask your child's class teacher,

Best wishes,

Mrs Shaw