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Dear Parents

TEAM SELECTION: Cross Country Running Competition

LOCATION: Down Grange Sports Complex, Basingstoke

DATE: Monday 14th February 2022

TIME: 1:00-3:30pm

Your child has been chosen to represent the school in this competition. This is an outdoor competition and children will be supporting the other children whilst not running themselves. The weather is likely to be very cold and possibly wet too so children will need warm sports clothes to wear while they are not running as well as a waterproof coat. The children will be running on a field, due to the time of year and the nature of cross country running they will likely get very muddy. It is essential that your child has trainers that securely fasten to run in. If it is particularly muddy and if your child already has them, football boots/AstroTurf trainers may be a good option. Children will require a bottle of water to take with them.

The first race is due to start at 2:00pm. Children will have lunch as usual at school and will then be transported to the competition by coach at approximately 1:00pm. During the afternoon, they will be accompanied by myself and other adults from the school. The competition is due to finish at 3:10pm and we will transport them back to Winklebury Junior School. We expect to arrive back at approximately 3:30pm. (The traffic leaving Down Grange can be incredibly busy and one year we were delayed.)

Please complete and return the attached form as soon as possible, and no later than Monday 7th February, giving your permission for your child to attend, or advising that they do not wish to participate.

There is a behaviour expectation, both in school and while out representing the school. Children who cannot demonstrate excellent behaviour will not be allowed to attend the competition.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Branch
P.E. Manager

Cross Country Running Competition

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Child's Name..... Class.....

MY CHILD DOES NOT WANT TO GO TO THIS COMPETITION PLEASE OFFER THEIR PLACE TO ANOTHER CHILD

MY CHILD WILL BE COMPETING – I have completed the form below.

Important medical details:

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Contact number on the day of the competition

Name..... Number.....

This is very important, as we may need to contact you if we are due back at school earlier or later than expected.

End of the day arrangements

- My child will be collected from Winklebury Junior School at around 3.30pm
- I give my child permission to walk home from Winklebury Junior School at around 3:30pm

Photographs

- I give permission / I do not give permission for my child's photograph to be used on the school's Facebook pages and the school website.
- I give permission / I do not give permission for my child's photograph to be used in the Winklebury Community Magazine / Basingstoke Gazette / Basingstoke School Games Organiser's website

I give permission for my child to take part in the above competition and training and understand my child will require a water bottle, securely fastening shoes (NO plimsolls) and warm clothes for when they are not running.

Signed Parent / Guardian