



12<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

**Re: 2024 Annual House Sports Day – Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2024**

We are delighted to be able to inform you that as part of the Academy's ASPIRE programme, the PE and ODE department will be running our Annual House Sports Day this year.

The Bourne Academy Sports Day is where students have signed up to compete in a number of different athletic events and participation activities which run from Period 1 to Period 4. We run heats throughout the morning where students qualify in their year groups for finals in the afternoon. The whole school can then watch the finals in the afternoon in House Areas on the field and the day will finish between 3:30pm – 4:00pm.

Parent/carers are welcome to watch the track finals, relays, and the Tug of War finals from **2:15pm** on the school field. Only parents/carers who have put their name on the list will be allowed entry to the Academy [www.ticketsource.co.uk/the-bourne-academy](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/the-bourne-academy)

**Maximum tickets per household is 4, only finalists and relay teams compete in the afternoon.**

All students are expected to participate in a sports day event or activity on the day. There are events for everyone including some extra activities that we hope will mean everyone has something they can engage in and win points for their House. It has been agreed that **ALL STUDENTS ARE TO WEAR TBA PE KIT FOR THIS DAY. This MUST be either TBA branded kit, black sports garments with no large logos or fashion labels. BLACK shorts, skorts or cycling shorts need to be of an appropriate length** (see planner uniform page for details) Anyone who feels they will be unable to comply with this uniform request or needs any support should speak to their PE teacher PRIOR to the day. Sanctions will apply for students not in correct uniform.

Students will also need plenty to drink and any other items appropriate to the weather: Sun cream, hats, and PE/ODE hoodies or PE TBA Mid layers – alternative sports clothing is not part of the TBA PE kit policy.

The day will be a celebration of sporting achievements, full of healthy competition between individuals and Houses. Students will have the chance to beat Academy records and one House will raise the trophy for the most sporting House.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

*M. Child*

Mr Child

Subject Leader of PE & ODE

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