



## St Nicolas and St Mary Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School

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8<sup>th</sup> June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Community Games is a major event for all children in key stage 2 organised and run by Shoreham Academy for all of the primary schools in Shoreham. It was last held in 2019 when all our year groups won overall.

These are friendship games whereby year groups participate in one of 5 different activities with points gained for displaying our School Games Values of determination; passion; respect; honesty; self-belief and teamwork.

This year, your son or daughter will be asked to choose one of the events from: Team building workshop; gym/dance; football; basketball and benchball. We will try to meet their first choice but due to restrictions on numbers in each event, may need to ask some to choose a different activity.

The games will be held as follows:

Year 3 - Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June 9.00 – 12.00

Year 5 - Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June 1.00 – 4.00

Year 4 - Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June 9.00 – 12.00

Year 6 - Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June 1.00 – 4.00

**Year 3 and year 4** will need to be dropped off at Shoreham Academy (at the end of the car park near the front entrance) between 8.35 and 8.50. They should arrive with their normal things (lunch) wearing their PE kit with a light top or coat (as appropriate for the weather) and a bottle of water. They do not need their school uniform on that day. As with any school, it will be busy with nearly 500 children being dropped off so please plan ahead. Please bring your child and make contact with the class teacher so that they can be registered as present. Parents are unable to stay and watch as the games are being held during school hours. We will walk all of the children back for lunch after the games finish at 12.00.

**Year 5 and year 6** will walk to Shoreham Academy after lunch in time for a 1.00 start. They will be wearing their PE kit for the games and should have a light top (appropriate for the weather) and a bottle of water. The children should be collected from the 4G all-weather pitch at 4.00, unless they have permission previously given to the Office to walk home in which case they will be allowed to go. As with any school, it will be busy with nearly 500 children being collected or leaving so please plan ahead.

We would welcome any offers of help to walk the children to Shoreham Academy.

Please confirm that you understand the drop-off or pick-up arrangements on Ping by Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June.

With best wishes,

D Butler  
PE Specialist Teacher