



SIR THOMAS FREMANTLE SCHOOL

A CO-EDUCATIONAL SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS AGED 11-19

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Re Sports Day 2019: Thursday 27th June 2019 (10am – 3.30pm)

We are very excited to be writing to you about the best event in the sporting calendar, Sports Day! It takes place on **Thursday 27th June** and we hope to see as many of you there as possible. The event is compulsory for all students and the school site will be closed for the entire day.

During School Games (lunchtime PE clubs) students have been gathering House Points to be added to the Sports Day results which should make for an exciting day. As usual, Sports Day shall include a variety of track and field events with each student competing in individual and team events to gain as many points for their House (Neptune, Hussar and Spitfire) as possible. The last events of the day will be the 100m finals and the relay events finishing at 3.30pm. There will also be the opportunity to compete in House Tug of War and Basketball, all other ways to gain House Points.

In the morning your child will need to travel to school in their usual manner. They will then be transported to Stowe on coaches for a 10am start at the athletics track. Your child will need to come to school in their full, (clean!) Sir Thomas Fremantle PE kit: this includes trainers, socks, shorts/skort, polo shirt, fleece and/or rugby top. Black, blue or white hats can be worn. Alternative brands or hoodies/track suit bottoms are not permitted. **We advise that sun cream is applied and a sizeable refillable water bottle be brought along.**

To cover the costs of the day we are asking for a **£2 donation** per student, payable via your child's ParentPay account.

On the day we are going to have a BBQ and a snack bar available for all students and spectators to keep your energy up throughout the day. This includes meat and vegetarian options with plenty of water and drinks available. This will be **cash only**: a menu and price list is attached for your information. If your child qualifies for Free School Meals food will be provided for them.

Please let us know how your child will be travelling home from Stowe by clicking on the following link and completing the online form: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=OCWXWqz5xUO-imNRDP1vWZbmnNK4jZhAlqGwQlz-smhUQkvLSVITTTFCROIWSINTRFRBS0ExMkc5WS4u>. We will arrange our transport to and from Stowe on the basis of these responses so please note that you will not be able to change your preference once the form has been submitted. Please submit your responses by **Friday 7th June 2019**.

If you would like to come and support your child you are welcome to come to Stowe's athletics track at any time throughout the day: the postcode for your Sat Nav is MK18 5EH. There is a large car park 5 minutes' walk from the track, to which you will be directed by security on the gate.

If you have any questions or queries please do not hesitate to email us: reception@sirthomasfremantle.org

Yours sincerely,
PE Department

