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Dear Parents/Carers,

Colour Run

On Friday 3rd July our Events Committee are hosting a Colour Run. This event will take place at 1.30pm.

A course will be set up on the bottom field and parents will have the opportunity to be positioned at "colour stations" ready to take aim at their child as they pass.

We are kindly asking for £3.00 per child as a donation for participating, this needs to be brought to the school office by **Wednesday 1st July** (cash only)

On the day children will need to bring a white or pale t shirt, a pair of shorts or other bottoms and trainers. Please bear in mind that the dyes in the powders may stain clothing so we ask that this is taken into consideration.

Afterwards - To clean from the hair, rinse in cold water first to remove as much powder as possible and then wash thoroughly with shampoo.

If you wish your child to take part, please confirm via Arbor by **Wednesday 1st July**.

There will also be a sperate Microsoft form to complete. This form includes confirmation of various important consents from you as parents in regards to specific health and safety aspects and as such, verbal consents will not be accepted.

Please also indicate whether a parent (1 per child who must have parental responsibility) wishes to attend to participate at a colour station. Additional parents or other family members are welcome to spectate.

IMPORTANT

- Whilst the powder is non-hazardous, it is very important that participants wear eye protection such as swimming goggles or sunglasses to prevent irritation.
- Dust from the powder may be an irritant to asthmatics, or those with other respiratory conditions. If you have any concerns about whether this may affect your child's condition, we recommend that you seek advice from your child's asthma nurse or GP.
- The powders are made from corn starch – if corn is an allergen that affects your child, we recommend that you seek medical advice.
- Please see the material safety data sheet on our website (under parent letters)

It would be wonderful to see as many children as possible participate in what is sure to be a fun date in the school community.

Those children who will not be participating will be able to participate in a small obstacle course and colour in your own t-shirt. Please ensure that you provide white/pale t-shirts and shorts for this event.

Thank you for your continued support.

Your sincerely

Mrs Rathbone
Executive Principal