

Archbishop Tenison's

CHURCH OF ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Carers

# Sports Day 2025 – Croydon Arena Wednesday, 9th July 8.20am to 14.30pm

I am writing to you with important information regarding Sports Day on <u>Wednesday</u>, 9<sup>th</sup> July at Croydon Arena.

Please find important information below:

## **Croydon Arena Address:**

Albert Road South Norwood London, SE25 4QL

# Suggested Travel to the Arena:

**By Bus:** via the 197 or 312 bus from Croydon to South Norwood Swimming Pool, Portland Road. From the swimming pool, walk across the road via the pedestrian crossing and walk down Sandown Road or Oakley Road. Croydon Arena is at the bottom of Albert Road.

By Tram: Route 1 or 2 from Croydon to the "Arena" stop.

# Sports Day Arrangements and Schedule:

PE Kit -Pupils should <u>arrive at the arena</u> in their full PE Kit<br/>Tenison's branded top, white / blue shorts and white socks.<br/>Pupils are permitted to wear the school PE tracksuit.<br/>Pupils <u>will not</u> be able to compete if they wear incorrect PE kit.

Non-uniform PE Kit will be confiscated and returned at the end of the day

Arrival -8.20am – Croydon ArenaPupils should make their own way directly to Croydon Arena andshould notcome to school on this day.

On Arrival - Pupils should line-up in Tutor Groups

Event Timings: We will enter the arena from 8:30am and events will commence at 9am.

09.00am - 10:45am:	Boys' field events and girls' track events.
10:45am - 11:00am:	Break
11:00am - 12:45pm:	Boys' track events and girls' field events.
13:00pm - 14:00pm:	Relay events.
14:15pm - 14:30pm:	Pupil dismissal after results announcement

(please allow a 15-minute grace period in case of any unexpected delays)

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## Archbishop Tenison's Parents Association (ATPA)

We are pleased to announce that the ATPA will be selling snacks and drinks throughout the day. This is a wonderful opportunity to support our school community, and all proceeds will go towards funding future events and activities. Please encourage your children to bring some money to purchase items.

#### **Spectators - Parent and Carer Involvement Registration Required**

If you wish to attend Sports Day, please register your attendance via the following MS form: <u>Sports Day Spectator Request Form</u> The deadline to register your attendance is **11pm, Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> July**. There will be an allocated area for parents and carers to observe the events. There will be a <u>maximum of 3 additional adults</u> allowed to be admitted with a parent or carer. Please record full names of additional adults when registering via the MS Form link.

Please <u>do not leave</u> the parent and carer designated area throughout the day. We will encourage pupils to find their parents and carers when appropriate.

Of course, we expect parents and carers to mark the occasion of Sports Day with photos/videos, but we ask for you not to share these online or on social media.

#### **Important Reminders:**

- Croydon Arena stand is currently available for pupils, we are anticipating using this through the day
- Ensure your child brings ample hydration, snacks, sun cream and hat to protect against the sun
- There will be shaded areas available throughout the day for pupils to rest when not taking part in events
- There will be the usual 'no phone' policy throughout the day for pupils, as per a normal school day. Staff will confiscate mobile phones if they see them

We are looking forward to a day filled with enthusiasm and sportsmanship. Your cooperation and support are highly appreciated to ensure the smooth running of the event.

Yours sincerely

Mr Herbert Head of Physical Education