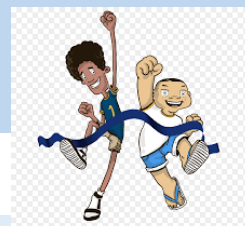


# Pinfold Sports and Games

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Welcome back to this glorious Summer Term! In response to our Pupil Council feedback we are joining in with lots of exciting Sporting Events and Games opportunities over the coming term. Some of the events will be after school and some will be during the school day and require yourselves to drop off and pick your children up at different venues. We are grateful for your support with this.

- Tuesday 30th April 4-6pm Inter-school Tri-golf at Beacon Country Park
- Thursday 2nd May 4-6pm Year 5 and 6 Cross Country at Abby Fields-Burscough
- Friday 10th May 9.15-11.45am Little Whistlers- training for KS2 children to be referees for KS1 World Cup
- 17th June Tuesday Time (TBC ) Media Leaders Training (to learn how to write a news article to cover KS1 World Cup Final Day)
- 17th June Tuesday 4-6.30pm Quad Kids Years 3 and 4 -6.30pm
- Thursday 27th June Quad Bikes Years 5 and 6, 4- 6.30pm
- 28th June Friday Triathlon at Park Pool 9-12 noon Years 4, 5, 6
- Thursday 4th July 9.30-11.30am Pinfold Sports Games Day, Scarisbrick Village Hall Field
- Thursday 4th July Rounders at Burscough Priory Academy 3-5.30pm
- Monday July 1st 9-12.30pm Dance Fever Rehearsals Ormskirk High
- Monday 8th July Dance Fever 7pm Ormskirk High School

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Children will be able to sign up for the appropriate event in their classrooms. School will then notify you of the time, date and if you will be required to arrange drop off and pick up or if we will need to sort a lift. Some events have transport put on. These events are mainly after SATs so the Y6 in particular will be able to relax and enjoy them.

## PE in school

We are very fortunate to have fantastic PE instructors who come into school every Thursday. Each half term the children learn a different skill set. At the end of each half-term the children have a friendly intra school competition. The children try really hard and challenge themselves. They were particularly engaged when performing their various dance compositions in a dance off! Dance Fever is planned for the evening of the 8th July and the theme is **LEGENDS, DIVAS AND SUPERSTARS**. **Any help would be gratefully received.**

In response to the need for our children to think about their own emotional health and wellbeing and be able to control their emotions and build up resilience we have been fortunate to be able to sign up to two amazing Emotional Health and Wellbeing courses. I am especially pleased because one is in dance, a subject our children love and excel in. We will be engaging in the brilliant 'Les Mills' dance and movement workshops on Thursday afternoon. We will also be engaging in yoga, in small groups on a Wednesday afternoon. Please ensure children have their PE kits in school on these days.

## **Forest School:**

The Forest School garden is coming along nicely. The grass will need at least two weeks until it we can walk on it to ensure it does not die. I will then plan small group sessions where children can learn how to use tools, make a fire and engage in team building activities. Risk Assessments will be available on our school website along with our Tool , Pond, Fire, poisonous plant rules. We will teach the children the very important skill of staying safe.