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Dear Parents & Carers,

Joint Sports Day – Friday 23rd May 2025 (9.30am – 11.30am)

Our joint Sports Day will be held on the morning of Friday 23rd May 2025.

The Juniors will be holding an additional “competitive Sports Day” later in June. If you have a child at the Juniors, you will receive a letter with details of this date.

The Joint Sports Day will take place on the Junior school field and playground and all parents/carers are welcome to attend. We will be starting promptly at 9:30am and aim to finish by 11:30am. We are very pleased to be able to once again offer this opportunity for the school community to come together in partnership and provide this exciting and unique experience for the children.

In the event of bad weather, we have a reserve date of Friday 6th June. We will do our best to give you as much notice as possible should we have to re-schedule. However, please be understanding of the fact that this may have to be as late as the morning of the event.

The children will be in mixed groups across the two schools with their siblings; this means you will be able to follow your child/children around for the duration of the activities. The groups are already set, and we are not able to respond to requests for unrelated children to be in the same team. From this year, the starting point for each team will change on a four-year rota basis, meaning that all children are exposed to all activities across the four years.

The children will be taking part in a range of sporting activities in the morning. In the afternoon, both the Infant and Junior school children will return to their normal routine.

Please can you ensure that your child comes into school wearing their school PE kit (these will be sent home prior to the day so you can check everything is there and it is all fresh and clean). In the event of warm, sunny weather, please ensure your child has had sun cream applied before they arrive (there are creams available that protect for up to 6 or 12 hours). They will also need a sunhat and a water bottle, which they will carry around with them so please make sure they are clearly labelled so if misplaced, they can be returned.

Thank you for your continued support. We hope the day runs as smoothly possible and the children have plenty of fun. We are looking forward to welcoming the whole Padnell community once again.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Mandy Grayson

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