



Grove School

27.06.24

Dear parents and carers,

End of term events for pupils and parents.

I am delighted to inform you of some events we have organised for pupils and parents. Our children have worked extremely hard this year. I am sure you will want to join as many events as possible.

On **Friday 28th June 2024** Mr Parton (Curriculum leader for physical education) has invited Sadam Koumi, an Olympic athlete, to Grove. Sadam will lead assemblies for pupils in years 3-6. He will talk to the children about his experiences as an athlete and a refugee. We are very lucky he is spending time with our pupils since he will be flying to Paris in a few weeks time to take part in the Paris Olympics. In the afternoon pupils in years 2-6 will take part in athletic activities with Sadam. I am sure this will be an inspiring and memorable day for our children.

On **Wednesday 3rd July** Mrs Willoughby and Miss Bell (curriculum leaders for art and design) invite all parents to join us between 4.00pm and 5.00pm to celebrate the achievements of pupils in art. We will be awarding prizes for children who have high attainment in art. Pupils will be performing dance and music. Please do join us to celebrate the arts at Grove.

In the **week commencing Monday 8th July** pupils will take part in our annual sports events. They have been practicing their skills in PE in the last few weeks. Parents are invited to join us in upper school to support and celebrate the achievements of our pupils. The dates are:

Tuesday 9th July - Reception and Year 1, morning

Tuesday 9th July - Year 6, afternoon - please arrive at the upper school for 1.45pm

Wednesday 10th July - Year 4 and 5, morning

Thursday 11th July - Year 2 and 3, morning

If you would like to come and cheer and encourage the children please arrive at the upper school gate between 9.15am-9.30am. The gates will close at 9.30am. We anticipate events will finish by 11.15am. It would be brilliant to see as many of you as possible. Children can come into school wearing sports clothing in their class colour of either green, red or yellow on their allocated sports day.

We will be contacting you by email to book the end of year parental consultations. The online booking system worked well and we will use this system again. Parental consultations will be held on **Wednesday 10th July**. This year I will write to parents in the final week of term to let you know who your child's teacher will be in September 2024.

Dawson Road, Handsworth, Birmingham, B21 9HB
Tel: **0121 464 4669** enquiry@grove.bham.sch.uk

In the final week of term we have planned award assemblies for your children. Assistant Head Teachers will write to parents next week to let you know the date and time for your child's award assembly.

School finishes for pupils on **Thursday 18th July**. Please make sure you child continues to attend school every day. We want whole school attendance to remain high until the end of term.

Parents have shown their commitment to the education of their children by ensuring they attend school regularly, arrive on time for school each day and read at home. We know you value workshops and enjoy watching how we teach phonics, reading and mathematics. These workshops will continue next year.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Baker', written in a cursive style.

Ms J Baker
Head Teacher