



Dear Parent / Carer

In continuing with our theme of doing things a bit differently this year we are delighted to announce to you our next event; The Tough Team Challenge. Having already completed a fantastic whole school pole-to-pole challenge (covering a staggering 15795km and raising over £800 for Young Minds) we are keen to build on this momentum and are planning for all year 7 to take part in our team obstacle course.

Our goal within the challenge is to work with each student/form class to help build their confidence, motivation, resilience and communication. These essential “softer-skills” will help prepare students for their future and we hope also complement their academic progress within school. Staff and year 10/11 sports leaders will be on hand and participating with the students to further build our sense of community and working together to achieve success. Below are the details:

Date: Monday 27 November

Timing: Warm up 3pm onwards - 3.15pm start finishing by 4.30pm

Kit: Students will need to wear their own sportswear/rough clothing and trainers that they do not mind getting muddy.

On the day:

Students will change during lunchtime then be released early during period 5 so they can do a “bag drop” and then take part in a mass warm-up activity. A range of staff and sports captains will support and supervise students and students will, as a team (form class) be given points according to how they have demonstrated Kindness, Pride and Perseverance during the event. There is no time element to the event – it is all about achieving success together. Students are likely to come home a bit muddy!

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact one of us

Yours sincerely

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We are one team, one school and one community and together we can do amazing things