



# Lydgate Junior School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

As part of our Sports Day on Wednesday 21st June, we are hoping to raise money for the charity 'Guide Dogs.' The children have all attended an assembly this week from a visiting speaker where they have learned, first hand, about all the amazing work that this charity does and the time and effort that is involved in training one of these dogs. We are intending that one of our field events will be a blindfolded race, in which the children will safely use a blindfold, rope and small rubber ring (this glides over the rope) to race approximately 20 metres against 4 other children.

In order to raise money for this, we would like to invite parents to make a voluntary contribution (minimum of £1) towards this charity via [ParentPay](#). Also, if you are intending to come along to spectate in the morning or the afternoon, please do bring any loose change that you can spare to donate to our fundraising buckets. We are hoping to raise as much as we can to support this great cause!

Please can you ensure that on Sports Day, your child brings a water bottle to school and the usual sun hat and sunscreen if it is forecast to be fine and sunny. We are also asking the children to wear a t-shirt in their team colour on this day.

A reminder that our colours are green for Meersbrook, red for Endcliffe, yellow for Norfolk and blue for Weston.

All we need now is some fine weather!



Thank you,

Mrs C Wymer

