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Dear Parents and Carers,



Reception to Year 6 Rise to the Challenge Week – Commencing Monday 6th June 2022

Following the success of our Rise to the Challenge Day last year, this year the children are having a very special 'Rise to the Challenge' week (WB 6th June) as an alternative to the traditional Sports day type event. During the week there are lots of planned activities going ahead with Inter House competitions, quests and challenges. There will be a range of both mental and physical, sporting challenges throughout the week, so that there is something for every child to enjoy, with a competitive element and have the opportunity to aim high and achieve. Our PTA have agreed to support our challenge week again this year, very generously.

The Team-Building Puzzle activities will take place on Wednesday 8th June and will be run by The Problem-Solving Company who will be challenging the children with a bespoke range of large scale, practical puzzles and activities. Then on Thursday 9th June we have hired specialist contractors and instructors for some significantly physical challenges including the Colossal Climbing Wall, Awesome Archery, Laser tag and even Bubble Football matches. Throughout the week, there will be other class based and Inter House problem solving activities too.

All children taking part will be rewarded and there will also be some special awards for those children demonstrating exceptional effort, development of super skills or achieving a significant personal goal.

Children will need their House T shirts for this week, as well as their water bottles with them in school. As the week will be packed with so many different activities and events for the children, plenty of photos and videos will be taken and shared with parents along the way. The Avalon House Cup will be awarded to the winning team at the end of the week.

We know that the children will thoroughly enjoy the prospect of these different challenges this year, whilst still retaining a physical, competitive, and sporting event for children to have an opportunity to excel.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J Callaway Headteacher











