

# St Joseph's Catholic Academy

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Dear Parent/ Carer

## **Arrangements for Sports day 2026 at St Josephs Catholic Academy**

The PE Department would like to inform you that Sports Day 2026 is due to take place on **Tuesday 14th July 2026** here at St Josephs Catholic Academy. The day is traditionally one of the highlights of the school calendar and an opportunity for all students to display their sporting ability. All students should attend in their PE kit and arrive as normal prior to 8.30am.

### **Sports Day 2026**

This event gives our school the opportunity to display the talents of so many of our students who have benefitted from the strong link we hold with Jarrow & Hebburn Athletics Club.

**Participation**- Most students will be expected to take part in a short walk, team game as well as some track and field athletics events.

### **Important Notice**

Parents/carers will not be able to access the site to spectate. This was a safeguarding decision.

Sports day information (letters/team news) can be found on Microsoft Teams. The PE department will also share news and information via our social media platforms, website and weekly family update newsletter. If you have any concerns or queries, can you please contact the PE department using the [sportsday@stjosephs.uk.net](mailto:sportsday@stjosephs.uk.net) email address.

### **Hebburn Helps/St. Josephs Pantry –Donation**

As part of "Sports day", we are asking for students to bring 1 non-perishable food item which we will collect at registration time in school. All donations will then be transported to the Hebburn Helps/St Joseph's Pantry where they will be utilised over the summer months to support local families. There is a list of possible donations overleaf.

Yours sincerely,

Mr G Rudd  
Teacher of PE

Miss A D Berry  
Assistant Curriculum Leader of PE

**Track & Field Events** - Please note in the interest of safety and timing the events identified with an Asterix\* take place at St. Joseph's in the school's days prior to the July 14th event. This is due to health and safety factors.

*Caritas Christi Urget Nos — The love of Christ spurs us on*

Track Events	Field Events	Games
100m Boys/Girls (Yrs 7,8,9, & 12)	Shot Put* (Yrs 7,8,9)	Football (Yrs 7,8,9)
200m Boys/ Girls (Yrs 7,8 & 9)	Discus* (Yrs 7,8,9)	Kickball (Yrs 7,8,9)
300m Boys/Girls (Yrs 7,8 & 9)	Javelin* (Yrs 7,8,9)	Tug 'O' War (Yrs 7,8,9)
800m Girls/ Boys (Yrs 7,8,9)	Long Jump (Yrs 7,8,9)	
	High Jump (Yrs 7,8,9)	Rounders (Yrs 12)
4 x 100m relay (Yrs 7,8,9)	Tennis Ball Throw (Yrs 7,8,9)	
	Howler Throw (Yrs 7,8,9)	

### **Hebburn Helps Donations**

We are asking to students to donate 1 x non-perishable food item following their "Stomp for Sports day". Any donations will be collected at student reception on arrival at school. Potential donations would include.

- Pasta
- Noodles
- Cereal
- Biscuits
- Soups
- Rice
- Puddings
- Cakes
- Cooking Sauces
- Canned Foods (Meat, Vegetables & Fruit)
- Baby Food
- Baby Milk
- Nappies
- Hot Chocolate
- Coffee
- Long-life milk.