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Re: Team Superschools Sponsored Challenge

Dear Parents and Carers,

After the success of our last event in 2019, we are pleased to announce that Team Superschools will be hosting a sponsored event at Chesterton School on the morning of Monday 17th June, with a special visit from gymnast Steve Frew (Commonwealth Gold Medalist).



This is a wonderful opportunity for the children to meet an international sports person who has competed at the highest level. The children will have the opportunity to have their photograph taken with Steve before taking part in a simple fitness circuit (for which they will be sponsored) which will include the following exercises:

- Sit ups/spotty dog jumps
- Leg drives
- Press ups
- Star jumps

The day is all about enjoyment and participation, with all the children from Maple through to Oak taking part, regardless of whether they collect sponsorship or not. After the event, Steve will take part in a whole school assembly. At this time, some pupils will have the opportunity to ask questions, so that they can learn more about gymnastics and his career.

Tomorrow, the pupils will watch a video from TSS, telling them all about their special guest and what will happen on the day. They will also be told about seeking sponsorship safely with the help from family and friends and it was emphasised that strangers should never be approached. We apologise for the short notice (it has been an unexpectedly busy return after half-term), but sponsorship can still be gathered after the event if necessary. There is an online sponsorship page; please see link, https://fundraise.teamsuperschools.co.uk/events/chesterton-primary/

Please register your child to be able to make online donations. You can then view how much your child has raised and what incentive they will receive (you can only view your own child). The money raised will be used to help pay for our brand new **Play Trail extension**, which you can see taking shape now on the school field. A proportion of the money raised also supports 'grass roots' sport in Britain by giving financial assistance to talented pupils in their chosen sport, so that they themselves may become international stars. No profit is made by TSS.

The children will wear their regular PE kits all day (as for Sports Day on Wednesday 19th) and they are welcome to bring in autograph books for Steve to sign. To make it easier, we ask that the children have a book of some kind rather than using a sheet of paper. For parents wishing to learn more about Team Superschools, the web link is www.teamsuperschools.co.uk.

We are all very much looking forward to the event. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions you may have.

Kind regards, Mr Horner