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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to you about our new interhouse competition programme we are embarking upon next week. Some competitions will be held during the school day, some after school, and some during non-school time. The School Council has been integral to forming this programme which has the following events over the year:

Calendar		
Autumn 1	Orienteering	-
Autumn 2	Photography	Our community
Spring 1	Mini cake decorating	Mini swiss rolls
Spring 2	Cross country	-
Summer 1	Art	Inspired by nature sketch
Summer 2	Swimming	-

The orienteering competition will take place on Wednesday 12 October after school. Children will need to be signed up on Schoolcomms so we know how many are participating. We would encourage as many children as possible to join us. Staff will place children in house colour teams of 2-4 children. Children will be awarded house points for participating with winning teams receiving extra house points. Photographs will be placed on Twitter. Children should wear trainers or sturdy shoes as the courses take us beyond the school boundary. We ask parents and carers to stay away from the course until after 16:30.

The event will finish by 16:30 so please be ready to collect your child from the top gate at this time or book them into Busy Bees and collect them before 17:30.

Our intentions for the interhouse competition programme are:

- To enrich the educational offer to HEPS children
- To encourage teamwork
- To ensure inclusivity
- To encourage contributions made by every child

Kind regards,

Mrs Doughty Davis
Headteacher