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**Dear Parents/Caregivers**

**Year 5/6 Team Winter Sport**

Thank you so much to all the parents who responded to our survey. There was a high level of response for this survey and it has given us a really good idea of your views and expectations.

The results indicated a preference for remaining at school for sport this year.

MC900294272[1]Given this and the difficulty in obtaining enough parent coaches and referees to run teams, we have made the decision not to enter this year. We will remain at school running a weekly competition within our own classes and enter into the South East Zone and Bays Cluster competitions (one day events).

A reminder that this only applies to the Year 5/6 children.

All children will be involved in the school competition and we will select Zone and Bays Cluster teams as the events come up. The school competition will get underway in week 4 of this term and will likely be on Thursday afternoons.

Once again, thank you to all those who responded to the survey and for the kind offers of support through the various options.

Lastly, we will keep future options open and will certainly look again at involvement in the Hagley Park competition in 2016.

Kind regards

**Tim Lowe**

**Team Leader Year 5/6**