

20<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

After the success of the pentathlon competition, it has been decided by the school games organisers to run a **Worcestershire virtual summer games event**. The activity village will be open to all Worcestershire schools and will be a great opportunity to give all pupils a taste of competition and a chance to represent The Vaynor and feel part of a school team.

This competition is open to all children from Reception to Year 12. We will only be competing in the first/primary school sector. All participants will receive an e-certificate, and there will be prizes for the primary and secondary school with the highest number of entries. We had a fantastic 106 entries for the last competition; let's see if more of us can get involved in this bigger event. Don't forget to show your Vaynor PE values: determination, honesty, passion, self-belief, respect and team work.

The Activity Village will be open for 4 weeks and will consist of a variety of virtual challenges. See below for competition schedule:

Events	Entries Open	Entries Close
<b>Design a School Games Flag/Poster</b>	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June 8am	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> June 5pm
<b>Worcestershire's Got Talent Showcase</b>		
<b>Speed Endurance Challenge</b>	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June 8am	Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 5pm
<b>Target Challenge</b>	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June 8am	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> June 5pm
<b>Throwing Challenge</b>	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> June 8am	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June 5pm
<b>Agility Challenge</b>	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June 8am	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> June 5pm

These virtual events will culminate in the **Worcestershire Virtual School Games Week** taking place between **Monday 6th - Friday 10th July** during which results will be announced and highlights shared.

**Details of all challenges are available to download** via [www.activehw.co.uk/worcestershire-school-games](http://www.activehw.co.uk/worcestershire-school-games).

Mrs Duggan will also put the challenges on the school website under the PE section of home learning.

If you would like your child/children to enter the many competitions, the entry forms will become live on the first date of each competition. The forms can be completed by parents online and your child/children's names, school, and the district REDDITCH will need to be ticked. There is an option to upload a video but this is not a requirement to entry (apart from talent showcase, although photos can be entered instead of video). If there is no video submission the text box **must** include details of the scores achieved. They are asking for a first attempt score and the best score achieved. If video is submitted the text box can just state the scores achieved.

There will be a countdown to the event on social media @ActiveHW #WorcsVirtualSG and @GamesRedditch Results for each competition will be announced each day during the week of 6th - 10th July and the actual day for each sport is stated on the specific entry cards. The talent showcase entries will form part of the Opening Ceremony.

We hope many of our children will participate in this event and enjoy doing so.

Thank you,

Mrs Duggan  
PE co-ordinator