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'Learning Together, Achieving More'

Empathy, Respect, Responsibility, Perseverance, Positivity and Love

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Dear Parents/Carers

Olton Primary School are excited to be taking part in **ACTIVE TOGETHER PARKS CHALLENGE** and would like to get our whole school involved.

What is ACTIVE TOGETHER PARKS?

- The **ACTIVE TOGETHER PARKS Challenge** has been developed by Solihull School Games Organisers and partners to encourage schools to support their whole school community to get active beyond the school day, and to support the chief medical officer's guidance of 60 active minutes a day. Liz Knowles (C&YP Officer) at SMBC is leading the project this year.
- There are 25 parks/open spaces specific to this challenge, where individuals can get active and earn points along the way.
- Each park/open space has a banner or poster with a QR code. When individuals scan one of the QR codes whilst getting active in one of these locations, schools earn points. **More scans = more points!**

Why take part?

- A great whole-school opportunity to encourage Physical Activity through using the parks and open spaces in Solihull. Let's build on the positive use of parks and open spaces encouraging Physical Activity.
- Various prizes up for grabs including vouchers for school equipment.

What do YOU have to do?

The challenge runs **Monday 26th June to Friday 7th July** we would love you to get active and enjoy one of the many parks in Solihull, scan the QR code and nominate our school to win the points. Please be aware you can only scan once per day. Share this information with friends and family to encourage them to visit the park and they can also scan the QR code and nominate our school to win the points. We will keep you updated with how many points we have collected and how we are doing on the leader board each week. Let's enjoy our local parks and be active! Come on Olton we can do this!

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