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Dear Parents / Carers,

We're very excited to be welcoming **Olympic swimmer Joe Roebuck** to the school on Monday 2nd February 2026.



Joe will be leading a **sponsored fitness circuit** with all of our KingEdwinners, followed by a **motivational assembly**, and **Q&A** session. The aim of the event is to **inspire the pupils** to be more physically active, but just as importantly, encourage them to discover and pursue their **passion in life** whatever this may be.

The event will both connect the children to an extraordinary athlete role model and **raise a little money for new sports equipment and mindfulness resources** in the school as requested by our Play Leaders and Mental Health Ambassadors, as well as supporting both athletes and para-athletes, so that they can continue to inspire the next generation.



Your children will be bringing a paper copy of a sponsorship to help raise money for the event. You can also sponsor your child by visiting: www.greatathletes.org and clicking on the button "**Set up a Fundraiser Page**". Alternatively, you can scan the QR code to go directly to the online sponsorship page.

As a thank you, pupils will receive the following thank-you gifts for meeting these milestones:

- **Raise any money:** an A5 sheet of motivational stickers
- **Raise £10 or more:** a blue Great Athletes wristband
- **Raise £25 or more:** a blue wristband, and a red wristband with Joe Roebuck's signature
- **Raise £50 or more:** all of the above, plus a signed Joe Roebuck poster

Please ensure that the sponsorship form and money are returned to the school office **1 week** after the event has taken place. There is no pressure but every little helps and our children are really keen to raise a little bit of money for their new resources.

Please also make sure that your children come to school on the event day with their PE Kits! They can wear them all day as this will help everything run quite smoothly.

Thank you in anticipation of creating a terrific and memorable event. We can't wait for Joe to visit our school and see how much we all like to stay active and healthy!

Kind regards,
Mr Callaghan-Wetton