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Dear Parents/Guardians

2019/20 - Team Kit

I am happy to write to you with details regarding our new Team BWS supplier Tsunami who will be providing all our training and match day kit for our teams moving forward. Tsunami is an eco-brand and all items are made bespoke for BWS, with most items costing less than that of Canterbury. I have purposefully kept all match day wear, including shorts, socks and outerwear plain navy so it can be worn interchangeably with any current Canterbury kit and the core PE/Games kit boys will already have. We are making every effort to ensure that the boys look smart both on and off the pitch, in the gym and on the track or court. Please see the following link to place your order https://bws.tsunami-sport.com/

You will have seen a lot of the items or similar before, the 3k Elite Rugby Jersey replaces the hooped training shirt and the Rip Stop Jumper replaces the contact top. You will see other items replace the former Canterbury kit as well as some exciting new or uplifted items including the 5k Eco Singlet for our athletes and gym goers and also 5k Eco T-shirts for general training.

The boys playing U16 rugby/football upwards are in charge of organising their own socks which can be sourced from Tsunami or any sports shop and need to be plain navy blue. There is now also the opportunity for boys to purchase their own football and basketball shorts as well as cricket whites as we continue to grow our sporting opportunities.

Any orders for Team Kit for September need to be placed with Tsunami by Wednesday 26 June 2019.

The Tsunami kit is primarily for any Team BWS sportsman and is not compulsory. It is designed with the boys training needs in mind as they start to train multiple times a day in the gym or in their specific sport.

The Direct Clothing Company is the new supplier of school uniform and supplies all standard PE/Games kit in the school shop. The school shop is open on a Monday lunch time from 12:00pm to 1:00pm and on a Wednesday from 3:30pm to 4:30pm during term time. There will also be the following additional opening hours during the summer holidays:

Tuesday 20 August 2019
 Friday 23 August 2019
 Wednesday 28 August 2019
 Thursday 29 August 2019
 12:00pm - 2:00pm
 10:00am - 12 noon
 10:00am - 12 noon
 10:00am - 12 noon

The games kit worn in Years 7-11 has changed during this year to navy blue with navy blue hooped socks. Should you purchase new kit this will continue to be part of a phasing out of the old royal blue kit. If there is an issue on fixture day we will provide either a strip for all or a spare old shirt while the transition is made.

Should you have any concerns regarding kit please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Mr Richard Demain-Griffiths <u>Director of Sport</u>