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Sponsored Pancake Toss - Tuesday 25th February 2020

Shrove Tuesday is just around the corner marking the last day before lent - a 40 day period of abstinence. In times past this meant it was necessary to rid the cupboards of all sugar, fats and eggs to avoid waste and temptation. Therefore Pancake Day was born. To mark the occasion the PTA will be holding a sponsored pancake toss for all year groups.

The event will take place during the school day and all children will have the opportunity to see how many pancake flips they can achieve in one minute – maybe we will set a new world record!

Australian celebrity chef Brad Jolly currently holds the record for most tosses of a pancake in one minute, notching up a so far unbeatable 140 flips in 60 seconds during an event in Sydney in 2012.

As well as being crowned year group champion, the winner from each year group will have Pancake High Tea with the Headteacher the following day. (Wednesday 26th February)

Please use the attached form to sponsor your child, either per flip, or pledge a total amount. Completed forms should be brought into school on Tuesday 25th February where we will record the number of pancake tosses they complete on the day and return the form back home so you can collect in your sponsorship money. Where possible please bring this into school with your sponsorship money by Friday 13th March 2020 latest.

This year there will also be an additional competition to invent the most creative pancake topping / filling. A winner will be chosen based on the most inventive (and yummy!) pancake invented.

All money raised will be going towards the development of the school playground

Better get practicing to avoid any flops everyone!

Many thanks for your continued support, it is very much appreciated!