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Dear parents and carers,

Coronation Picnic and Crown Competition

Southbourne Infants and Juniors would like to mark the coronation of King Charles III on Friday 5th May by celebrating with a red, white and blue day and having a whole school picnic together.

We would like our children to produce creative crowns to wear for the occasion. These will be judged by their teachers and peers, with the PTA kindly offering prizes for the winners.

King Charles III Crown for Coronation



The Coronation of King Charles III will take place on Saturday 6th May 2023 at Westminster Abbey.

As per tradition, King Charles III will wear the St Edward's Crown when he is officially declared as the King during his Coronation. This will be the first and only time that Charles will wear this particular crown. Made of solid gold and weighing five pounds, it contains 444 gemstones, including rubies, sapphires, garnets and tourmalines.

We look forward to seeing all the children dressed in red, white and blue wearing their crowns!

Kind regards

Mrs L Whiffin and Mrs L Gasser

