

# “The Sandbachian Sports Project”

Inspired by

#WOLFPACK #SPORT #EXCELLENCE #HOCKEY #FOOTBALL  
#CRICKET #ATHLETICS #FACILITIES

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# Sporting Heritage

Since 1677 Sandbach School has been the central provider for the education of boys in the area.

Complementing the academic life of school is a vast programme of additional activities providing endless opportunities to enrich our experiences.

We have a rich sporting pedigree across a range of sports that includes regular appearances in the final stages of local, regional and national competitions. Our sportsmen have gained international honours in hockey, rugby, football, athletics, cricket and other sports.

The school supports our ambitions enabling us to strive for improvement, gain self-confidence and ultimately taste success.



# Unprecedented Success



SANDBACH - BOYS SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019

## 2019

- **Hockey has achieved unprecedented success:**
  - U16 indoor National Finalists
  - U16 outdoor North of England Champions
  - U16 outdoor 3<sup>rd</sup> at the National Finals
  - U12 outdoor North of England Champions
  - U12 undefeated through the season
  - U15 last 16 in the country



# Building on Success



## 2018/19

### FOOTBALL SUCCESS

- U15B became the ESFA Playstation Schools National Champions for the second year running
- U15s become the first school team to retain the Cheshire Cup!
- U18s won the Cheshire Cup.
- In the last 2 years, all squads have made 10 county semi finals and 3 National Semi Finals.

# Immediate Challenge



- Our all weather pitch is tired & worn out
- In wet weather it floods and becomes unplayable
- We miss out on opportunities to train & play
- We have to travel just to train & play
- Our local hockey club suffers the same



# Our Vision



**Phase 1**  
Regeneration  
of Hockey  
Astroturf



**Vision  
for  
Sport**

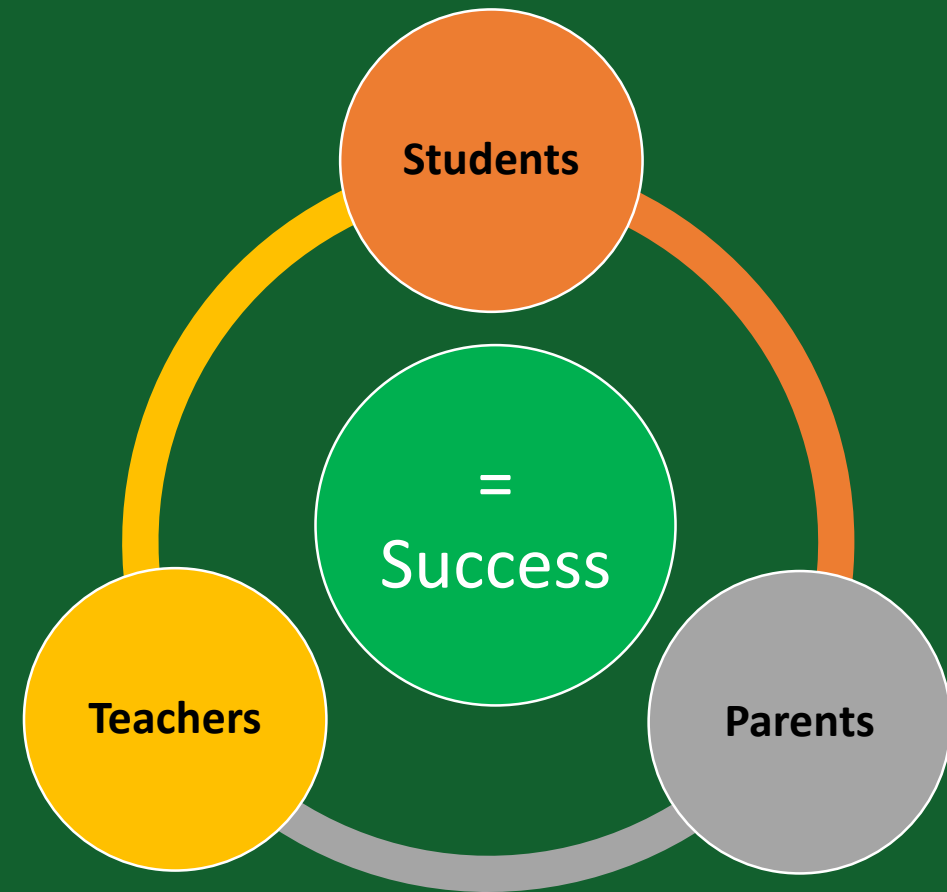
**Phase 2**  
Tennis court  
Function Change  
to a 4G  
Football/Rugby  
floodlit playing  
surface



**Phase 3**  
Create a Sports  
Complex  
including Fitness  
suite, changing  
facilities &  
function room



# Working Together

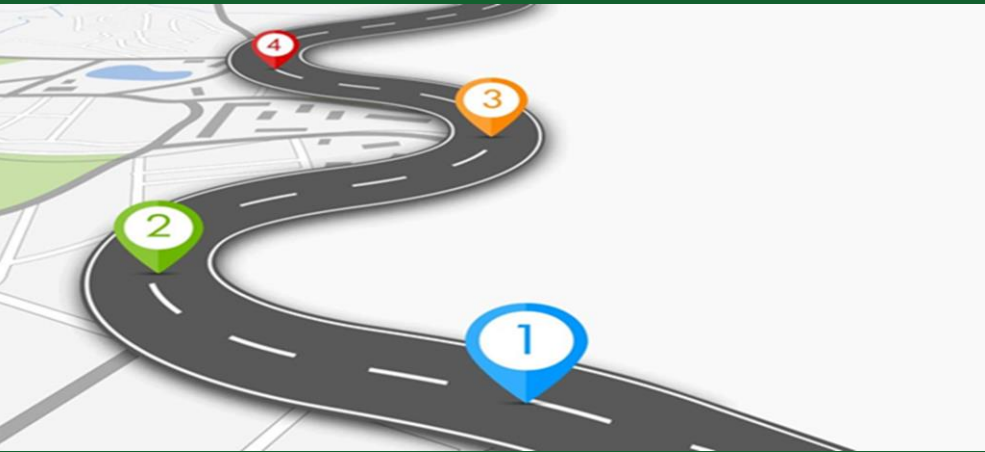


## Establish a PTSA

- Parents
- Teachers
- Students
- Association (Partnership)



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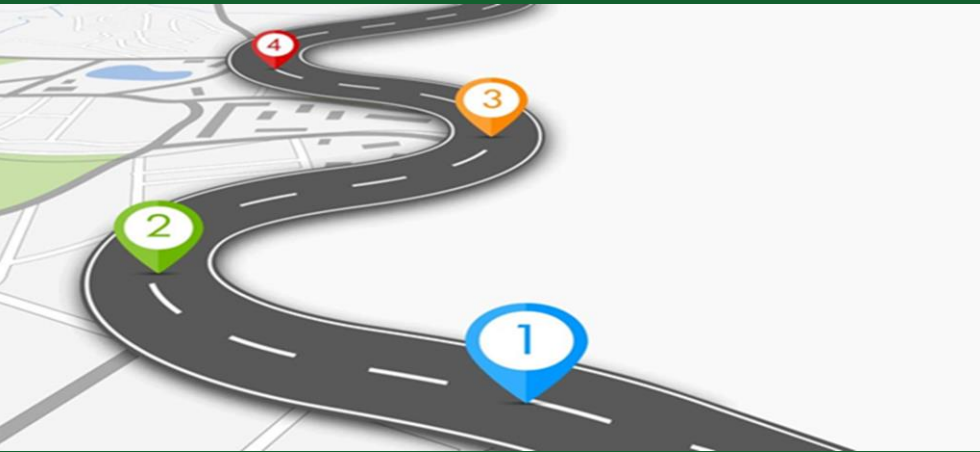


## Phase 1 Objective

- In principle, the school have agreed to replace the pitch next summer at a cost of c£360,000 (to be ratified at the next full governors' meeting)
- To raise £75,000 across an 12 month period July 2019 – July 2020 to support the funding of the replacement pitch
- PTSA to support & drive the immediate agenda & create a continuous improvement plan



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## Phase 2

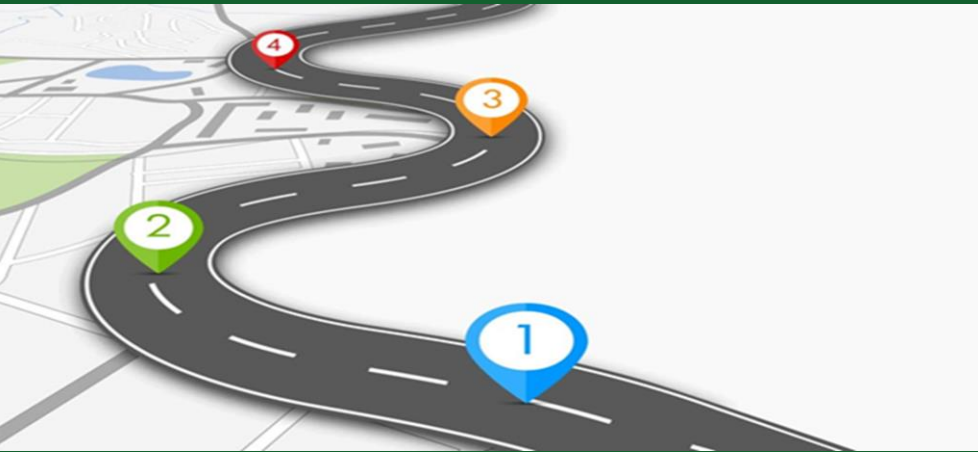
- Existing Tennis courts - Change to a 4G Football/Rugby floodlit playing surface

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## Phase 3

- Create an Outstanding Sports Complex including fully kitted out fitness suite, changing facilities & function room



# Our Legacy



- Outstanding Sports facilities for future generations of Sandbachians
- Established PTSA – Roles, Aims & Vision
- Continuous fundraising for the School – Supporting all extra curricular activities
- Community & club facilities – a ‘Regional Centre of Sporting Excellence’

“A gift from the past that helps create a better future...”

# Get Involved

*Together*



- Set-up PTSA
- Giving - Start our fundraising now
- Volunteer - Identify people, skills, experience & commitment

*We Can*





# Get Involved



Name:

Son's Name:

School Year:

Email (please write this clearly):

**Volunteering Support/Skills/Knowledge/Experience:**

- Marketing
- Social Media
- Solicitor
- Fundraising
- Bid writing
- Council/Government
- I'm a major donor opportunity 😊 😊
- Just happy to 'Get Involved' any way I can 😊