



**Series:** The Fun Day Fairies

**Book:** Tallulah the Tuesday Fairy

### **Sports Day Sparkle**

'Come on, Rachel! You can do it!'

Kirsty Tate cheered as she watched her friend race on the sunny playing field. Today was Tippington Schools' Sports Day. The three local schools had come together to compete in all sorts of different events. As Kirsty was staying with her best friend, Rachel Walker, in Tippington for the half-term holiday, she'd come along to watch.

The 100 metre sprint was the last race of the morning, and Rachel was doing really well. She was neck and neck with one other girl as they approached the finishing line.

'Come on, Rachel, keep going!' yelled Kirsty excitedly. The two runners were so close it was impossible to guess who was going to win. Then, at the very last moment, with a final burst of speed, Rachel surged past the other girl and crossed the finishing line.

'Yay! Rachel wins!' Kirsty cheered, jumping up and down. She beamed at some of the other children who'd watched the race, but they all looked unhappy. *They must* have wanted the other girl to win really badly, Kirsty thought to herself in surprise.

Rachel came over a few moments later, pink-cheeked and smiling. 'Phew- that was a close one,' she panted.

'You did brilliantly,' Kirsty smiled.

'What an exciting race!'

'Well I thought so,' Rachel said. 'But have you noticed how everyone else seems really fed up?'

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