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To Parents of Year 6 children

28th September 2017

Dear Parents

As you know we arrange residential visits for the children within school. All visits are linked to different aspects of the National Curriculum at Key Stage 2.

We have managed to secure a booking for 43 of the Year 6 children to visit Arthog - Shropshire's Outdoor Education Centre on:

Monday 4th June until Friday 8th June 2018

This will form part of the Key Stage 2 PE curriculum - outdoor and adventurous activities. However, as you know, the main benefits for the children are in their personal social development and we believe they gain a great deal from such visits. Many children see a different side to their peers' characters whilst participating in activities not available to them during the normal school week. Equally, the children further develop their characters when faced with the challenges of new places, experiences and routines. Most parents remark on how much their children have grown during the week!

Arthog is situated in the south of the Snowdonia National Park over-looking Cardigan Bay and the spectacular Mawddach estuary. The Centre has been established for nearly forty years and has substantial experience in the provision of outdoor activities and field studies.

The Centre's staff are all teacher trained and are nationally qualified to lead outdoor adventure activities, enabling us to provide high quality adventure experiences that adhere to stringent safety standards.

Courses for the week will be worked out with the school to ensure maximum advantage is gained during our stay and are always planned to meet the age, ability and special needs of the children. We will almost certainly include rock climbing, orienteering, canoeing, kayaking, gorge walking and some water sports giving a lot of children a chance to try activities for the first time. We believe very strongly that children reap enormous benefit from residential visits and hope that you will support us in this venture.

The cost for the five days will be £300 per child. We will require an £100 non-returnable deposit to be paid by 30th November 2017. The balance of monies can be paid in one lump sum and is to be paid before the beginning of May 2018. Alternatively, you may prefer to pay by four payments of £50 at the beginning of February, March, April and May. We would be grateful if payments could be made by cheque payable to Redhill Primary School or via our online payment system.

"Reaching for new heights, together"



Please contact Mrs Bate in the school office between 9.30am and 2pm for details of remissions if you are in receipt of any benefits. (We will require a full copy of your tax credit form.)

Please would you confirm your interest by returning the attached form with the non-returnable deposit by Thursday 30th December 2017. Places will not be allocated on a first come first served basis. If we are oversubscribed, we will pull out names from a hat and run a waiting list. If we do not hear from you by Thursday 30th November we will assume that your child will not be going and we will not book a place for them on the trip.

Yours faithfully

Claire Lamb
Headteacher

Reply Slip
ARTHOG 2018

I would like my child..... to take part in the residential visit to Arthog 2018.

I enclose the non-returnable deposit of £100.....

OR

I would not like my child..... to take part in the residential visit to Arthog 2018.

Signed.....

Child's Teacher.....

Please note. Forms that are received without the deposit will not reserve a place for your child, so please do not return the form if you would like your child to attend, without payment. Thank you.