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Dear Parents/Carers,

Y4 Sacrewell Farm Camp June 2024

We are delighted to say that following the highly successful residential trip to Sacrewell last year we are in the position to provide the same opportunity for your child. Sacrewell is situated near Wansford and is only a short drive away. For more information please look at their website:
<https://www.sacrewell.org.uk/education/farm-camp/>

Why would we go?

Going away on a residential visit gives the children an ideal opportunity to experience a number of new activities, working and living together and being away from home, probably for the first time, in a secure and safe environment. The timing of 2 days and 1 night gives the children just enough time to thoroughly enjoy themselves but not to be away for too long. We understand that some parents will be concerned about the age of their children going away from home, but speaking from experience, once the children are busy with activities they forget about being away and just have fun. A one night residential in Year 4 will also prepare the children well for the Year 6 residential.

Dates:

There will be two identical trips, each containing a mixture of children from the 3 classes.

Trip 1: Thursday 13th June - Friday 14th June

Trip 2: Thursday 27th June- Friday 28th June

We shall depart from school approx. 9.00am and arrive back at school at 5pm on the Friday.

Staffing

Our residential is run by members of our school staff. Whilst at the centre we will be led by the Sacrewell Centre teachers during the day time with Hampton staff in support. Most centre staff are first aid trained and there will always be a first aider and Fire Marshall on site.

Parents Meeting

There will be a parents' meeting in the 'Old Hall' at school on **Thursday 15th February 2024 at 6pm in the Old Hall** to discuss further details of the residential.

Medical

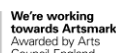
As with any residential all medical conditions and dietary requirements will be catered for and appropriate discussions with parents/carers will take place prior to the visit. We do need to also know if any children have any tendencies to sleep walk as soon as you sign your child up for the trip.

Centre Facilities

The children will be staying in a 4-man bell tent, provided by the farm, sleeping mats and torches are also provided. With the trip being outside the children will need to bring warm kit for the evening as well as clothes for the days. They will need a warm sleeping bag, pillow, blanket and cuddly toy - a more specific kit list will follow closer to the trip.

Jeśli potrzebujesz tłumaczenia tego listu prosimy skontaktować się z jednym z pracowników sekretariatu.

If you need this letter translating please contact the office staff.



Cost

The total cost per child will be **£81** and will include:

- Accommodation
- Food
- Transport
- All Activities
- Insurance

The children will be assigned to one of the two visits. The classes will be mixed up to provide opportunities for new friends to be made. If there are any circumstances we need to know about e.g. dance exam, sporting event which your child cannot miss, please inform Mrs Bayliss once places have been confirmed. **ALL** the children will have at least one of their best friends as part of their bedroom group. If there are any **SIGNIFICANT** relationship difficulties that we need to be aware of please inform Mrs Bayliss once places have been confirmed.

To secure a place on this trip please sign up on your ParentPay account to give consent for you child to attend, you will also need to pay the £15 deposit by midday Friday 1st March. We cannot accept any late requests.

The deposit is non-refundable, unless the trip is unable to go ahead, in which case you will be refunded all monies paid and the remaining balance will need to be paid by Friday 7th June.

If you have any queries/questions about the trip or about the payments schedule please contact any of the Year 4 teaching staff or our Business Manager Mrs Monaghan via the School Office

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Bayliss, Miss Asplin and Miss Welch

LKS2 Teachers