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Dear Parents/Carers,

Activity Weekend 2024

We are proposing to run a brand new activity weekend trip to Buddens Activity Centre, Wareham over the weekend of 10 - 12 May 2024. This weekend will allow students to try a range of sporting activities they may not have experienced before. **This trip is open to all pupils in year Year 7, 8 & 9.**

We will be leaving college around break time on Friday 10 May and will return the evening on Sunday 12 May. These timings will be confirmed nearer the time.

The resort boasts an excellent range of indoor and outdoor activities such as Zip Wires, Stand up Paddle Boarding, Archery, Climbing and much more. Students can take part in these activities at their leisure over the course of the weekend as well as fantastic evening entertainment.

The total cost of the trip will be **£296** and will include the following:

- All travel costs to and from resort
- 2 nights' full-board accommodation
- Over 20 indoor and outdoor activities
- Watersports such as stand up paddle boarding
- Evening entertainment
- Trip insurance through Endsleigh Insurance

Extras to consider are purchases made from the onsite gift shop.

If you wish your child to participate in this trip, please complete [this form](#) by **Friday 1 December 2023**. **Please be aware that places will not be allocated on a first come first served basis, but we will select 80 students randomly after the deadline.** If your child doesn't get a place, a reserve list will be created and any places that become available will be filled randomly from that list. Opportunities often arise and your child may still be invited on the trip.

If your child is offered a place, we will contact you and ask for a **£50** non-refundable deposit by **Friday 8 December 2023**. On receipt of this, your child's place will be secured, and you will receive a payment schedule, broken down into instalments.

We would like to make it clear at this stage, that attendance and behaviour will continue to be monitored and we reserve the right to remove your child from the trip.

PRINCIPAL: Ms C Cubbage BSc (Hons), Dip Ed, MBA, CMgr FCMi

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If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T. Davey', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Miss T Davey
Teacher of PE

SUMMARY

Buddens Activity Centre, Wareham

- Evening entertainment
- Activities as listed below
- Fire pits for camp fires

Accommodation

- Tented villages with metal bed frames and mattresses
- Full board buffet style food

Travel

- Pick up on Friday 10 May 2024 by our executive coach, travel to centre
- Arrive Friday 10 May 2024 in the afternoon (approx 3pm)
- Leave approx. 2.30pm, Sunday 12 May 2024 from resort
- Arrive home Sunday 12 May 2024 evening (approx 6:30pm)

Activities

- Abseiling
- Archery
- Bell Boating
- Buddens Challenge
- Bush craft
- Canoeing
- Climbing
- Crate Stacking
- Fire Lighting
- Jacob's Ladder
- Kayaking
- Nightline
- Orienteering
- Raft Building
- Stand Up Paddle Boarding
- Tomahawk Throwing
- Zip Wire