

Thursday 5th September 2013

Dear Parents/Carers

This year for our residential trip, we are proposing to take our Year 6 children to the Robin Wood Centre at Dobroyd Castle in Todmorden, West Yorkshire. We are delighted to be able to offer this opportunity to our Year 6 children as the centre offers a safe environment in which to enjoy a range of outdoor and adventurous activities.

The aims for this trip are:

- To develop team building and communication skills
- To experience a range of outdoor and adventurous activities

Dobroyd Castle is run by Robin Wood Activity Centres in West Yorkshire, set in its own private grounds.

The trip is planned for 30th May - 1st June 2014. Please note that this date is from the Friday of half term and runs over a weekend. The cost of the trip is £89 plus the cost of the coach (approximately £50). The cost will include accommodation, all meals, activities and equipment.

Accommodation is in the form of dorms which sleep between 8-12, in bunk beds. Meals are in a separate dining room. Any special dietary arrangements can be met.

All activities are led by qualified and trained instructors and the Centre holds all the necessary licenses for operation. In addition to this, all groups are supervised by a Whitchurch Junior School adult. The activities available are extensive and include: archery, climbing, raft building, zip wire, canoeing, trapeze and giant swing to name a few.

To secure a place on the trip a deposit of £30 is required by Friday 13th September 2013; **this is non-refundable**. A further £59 is due by Friday 22nd November 2013 with the remaining balance due by Friday 21st February 2014. If you would prefer to pay in smaller installments, money can be paid any day. Payments can be made via cheque (card details on the back please) or on our online system. Please note that we are unable to accept cash payments.

If you have any further questions please feel free to contact Miss Taylor.

Alternatively information can be accessed via the Robin Wood website www.robinwood.co.uk

Yours sincerely



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