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CHOSEN HILL SCHOOL & SIXTH FORM

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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 8 Outdoor Pursuits Trip to Georgeham, Devon Monday 8th July – Friday 12th July 2024

For students who seek the challenge of activities such as kayaking, climbing, abseiling, surfing, coastering, mountain biking, orienteering, ringo (being dragged on a rubber ring behind a speedboat) and several others, there will be a group travelling to Georgeham, Devon in July 2024 during the schools **Enrichment Week**. They will be based at a small privately run centre offering full board accommodation in Dormitory rooms. The centre has a team of experienced and well qualified instructors who take full advantage of the situation close to the sea (www.sghdevon.org). Our group of 42 students will have sole occupancy enabling centre staff to tailor the course and activities to create the greatest challenge whilst maintaining safety. The centre is licensed by the Government Inspectorate for Outdoor Centres. It is a fantastic venue run by professional and enthusiastic staff. It is guaranteed to be a week that will not be forgotten.

The residential visit will take place from Monday 8th July to Friday 12th July 2024. There are 42 places available, and we will operate on a **'first come – first serve' basis**. We will hold a reserve list should any students drop out. We will not be able to run this trip unless we have enough interest and only in this instance will the non-refundable deposit payment be refunded. The total cost for this trip will be **£347.00** per student. **To book a place on this trip the school gateway will open at 1pm on Monday, 23rd October.**

Consent and a **non-refundable deposit** of £17.00 is required to secure your child's place and is due by **Friday 10th November 2023** at the latest followed by three further instalment payments. Once a place has been secured for your child by giving consent & paying the non-refundable deposit via the School Gateway, further communication will be sent to you. We understand that this is a large amount of money so we have set the payment schedule so that **minimum** payments of £17.00 or more, can be made at any time for the trip. The price covers the cost of transport, accommodation, food, instruction of activities and insurance. All specialist equipment will be supplied.

Those students who are successful in securing a place by giving consent and paying the non-refundable deposit will receive further communication giving more details in due course. We hope that all students who gain a place on this trip enjoy the opportunity to undertake the activities on this camp, however participation on this trip will be dependent on positive behaviour, conduct and attendance between now and the start of the trip. If a student is removed from this trip due to poor behaviour, conduct or attendance and another student can be found to take their place then in this instance a full refund will be issued. If a replacement student cannot be found no refunds will be issued. Should things change that could affect the running of this trip, we will advise you as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully

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