

Dear Parents

9<sup>th</sup> March 2018

**South Hams Federation Year 4 Residential  
East Soar Farm, Malborough  
Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

The residential trip for our Year 4 children from the South Hams Federation Schools during the Summer Term of 2018 will be at the **East Soar Farm, Malborough**. We want to provide a low cost residential for our Year 4 children and what better way to experience the great outdoors than to go camping with your school friends!

East Soar Farm is run by Schalk and Marijke Herselman who have between them many years of experience in working with children and young people in the outdoors. The activities are 'low risk' and designed to be accessible to children of all abilities.

This is camping like no other. We will have sole use of the site. The tents are already pitched on arrival and all the cooking equipment is already provided. The farm does have a limited supply of bedding. However, it would be great, if each child could provide their own roll mat and sleeping bag. Although it is "summer" they can move the bell tents inside their range of different barns should it rain, which would give the children added protection from the elements. However, let's hope that it is a summer with warm, dry and sunny weather.



Please see the attached information sheet for further information about East Soar Farm or via their website. [www.eastsoaroutdoorexperience.co.uk](http://www.eastsoaroutdoorexperience.co.uk)

Children will need to bring a packed lunch for the first day with a reusable, non-breakable screw top drink's container. The evening meal, breakfast and packed lunch for the second day are provided. In addition to this extra fruit and snacks will be provided.

The total cost of the residential is **£42.50** per child for the two days. Children who are eligible for Free School Meals may use their next year's Pupil Premium to pay for the residential. **(This runs from April 2018 to February 2019)**

If you would like your child to take part you will need to consent to the trip and pay a £12.50 non-refundable deposit by **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2018 at the latest** to confirm your child's place and ensure that the remainder of the money is paid by **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2018**. You are welcome to pay for the trip all in one go, however, if you would like to pay in instalments, this is acceptable.

You can either pay on-line or by cheque or cash.

On line Payments: Please complete the slip below and visit our online payment system which allows you make payments to our school using the Internet. [www.scopay.com/stokenham-pri](http://www.scopay.com/stokenham-pri).

**Please note we can only accept on-line payments for this particular trip after 29<sup>th</sup> March 2018.**

Cash or Cheque Payments: Please complete the slip below and return it with your payment. If you choose this payment method we will issue you with a payment card in which all instalments will be recorded. **Please always send in the card with payments so that accurate records can be made.** Cheques need to be payable to **Devon County Council**.

We will provide a kit list, medical form and further information nearer to the time of the residential.

We know the children will all have an unforgettable experience should they wish to participate in this residential. We look forward to taking all the children with us to make full use of the amazing facilities that are on our door step!

Yours sincerely



**Mrs Sue Jezard**  
**Executive Headteacher**

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My child ..... is in good health and I consider her/him capable of taking part. In the event of accident or illness I consent to any necessary medical treatment, which might include the use of transfusion or anaesthetics.

- I enclose a deposit of £12.50.
- I have paid the deposit of £12.50 on line. (Available as from 29<sup>th</sup> March 2018)
- I would like to pay the deposit of £12.50 using my child's pupil premium. (This will be taken from next year's allocation 2018 to 2019)
- I agree to pay the balance of £30.00 in full by 11<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Signed .....

Date .....

