



Dear Parents

21<sup>st</sup> September 2018

### Year 6 - Junior Life Skills: 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018

This event will take place at Quayside Leisure Centre, Kingsbridge on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October from 9.15am – 12.30pm. Junior Life Skills is a practical training experience for Year 6 pupils to help them to prepare for the hazards they are likely to encounter in life. Similar events take place both nationally and locally.

#### Aims and Objectives

The JLS project acknowledges Year 6 in the Primary School to be an important milestone in the lives of young people. The transition from Primary to Secondary education brings exciting challenges but can also be a time of anxiety for parents and young people alike.

The JLS project aims to equip young people to meet some of those challenges by encouraging an understanding of their own health and safety, and that of their community, developing coping skills to ensure their own personal safety and how to respond appropriately in emergency situations.

The objectives are: -

- To be able to keep safe and use basic safety procedures
- To be able to accept responsibility for the safety of themselves and others
- To acquire a knowledge of and be able to practice some basic first aid
- To recognise some environmental hazards, how these may be reduced and realise the importance of community responsibility.
- To understand that particular actions have consequences for themselves and others.

All pupils need to wear school uniform suitable for the weather on the day. As some of the activities will be outside, coats may be required. Trainers with non-marking soles are the most suitable footwear. Due to the nature of the activities girls should wear trousers, not skirts. The children may bring a drink in a suitable bottle, but no cartons please. They will also require packed lunches to eat once they come back to school or before the Swimathon if they are staying. Children will need to be **dropped off at Quayside Leisure Centre at 9.00am to meet Mr Fisher.**

If any parent is able to help to take children **FROM** Quayside Leisure Centre back to Stokenham school at **12.30 pm** please complete the reply slip accordingly.

If your child is involved with the Swimathon at Quayside in the afternoon, they will **not** be returned to Stokenham School at 12.30pm. They will have their packed lunch at Quayside Leisure Centre and then get ready for the Swimathon in the afternoon. Please remember to provide a packed lunch for them and to bring their swimming costumes and towel. Your child will need collecting from Quayside Leisure **at 3.15pm**. Please complete and return the slip below by Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2018.

Kind regards

**Sue Jezard**  
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My son/daughter ..... is in good health and I consider him/her 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 give permission for my child to go to Junior Life Skills.
- I will drop my child off at Quayside Leisure Centre at 9.00am.**
- I can help with transport **from** Quayside Leisure Centre back to school & can take ..... children with seatbelts.
- My child is involved in the Swimarathon and will stay at Quayside.
- I will collect my child after Swimarathon from Quayside at 3.15 pm.
- I have arranged for .....to collect my child after Swimarathon from Quayside at 3.15pm.

Parent /Carer Signature .....

Telephone number for the day of the trip.....

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