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28th June 2023

Headteacher
Mr Matthew Walker

**Year 5 and 6 Trip to Hawes End Outdoor Centre, Scarness Site, Bassenthwaite,
Near Keswick on Thursday 13th July 2023**

Dear Parents of children in year 5 & 6

I am pleased to be able to provide you with the details for this Outdoor Activities day trip to Hawse End Outdoor centre (Scarness site).

Departure Time and Return to School

The children will need to arrive at school on

Thursday 13th July at 7:50 a.m. in the morning, in time for our early departure.

We plan to return to school around **5:30 p.m.**

Transport

I will be transporting the children in a self-drive mini bus, accompanied by two other members of school staff.

Packed Lunch

Children will need to bring a packed lunch and a water bottle. **If you require school to provide a packed lunch, then this MUST be ordered on the School Hub site by the 5th July 2023.** We will provide a fruit snack for the morning and afternoon. Children can bring a packet of sweets, that will be eaten outside of the activity time.

Activities

A full day of exciting activities have been arranged including Kayaking, Canoe rafting and Sailing. All activities will be led by Qualified Instructors from the Hawse End Outdoor Centre, Portinscale, Keswick. The children are going to be safe, have fun and will definitely be getting wet!

Kit List

- Long Trousers –i.e. Joggers/tracksuit bottoms/ leggings (so children can move) – No Jeans
- T-Shirt
- Hoodie/Sweatshirt
- Waterproof coat

- Trainers
- They will be getting wet so will need a separate set of clothes to get changed into.
- Towel
- Carrier bag/bin bag for wet clothing
- Sun Hat
- Sun tan lotion (If a hot day)

Medication

We will be outside all day, so any medication for hay fever symptoms should be taken in the morning before arriving at school.

If your child suffers from travel sickness, any medication to be administered should be in a sealed envelope with your child's name, instructions re dosage and parental signature. This should be handed to me on the morning of the trip.

Consent

I have enclosed a consent form. Please complete this and return to school by Wednesday 5th July 2023.

The total cost of this trip including transport is £50 per child. We would like to ask for a parental contribution of £10 per child and school will fund the remainder.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Wright in the school office on 01228 711602 or email head@greatoton.cumbria.sch.uk

Kind regards

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Headteacher

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO SCHOOL BY WEDNESDAY 5TH JULY 2023

Name of Child/Children

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Parental contribution £10 enclosed

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I have ordered a school packed lunch on the School Hub website

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My child/children will bring a packed lunch from home

Signed (parent/carer)