



SOUTH SHROPSHIRE ACADEMY TRUST

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May 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Year 7 Camp 2018

We are offering our new Year 7 students the opportunity to take part in a residential to promote year group bonding and to familiarise themselves with their new House Leaders and Pastoral Support Leaders.

Our aim is that by learning new skills in an unfamiliar and exciting environment that it will promote creative and practical thinking, and encourage working as a team.

The camp will take place on Thursday 6th and Friday 7th September 2018. Students will leave school at 9.10am to travel to Cholmondeley Castle, Cheshire, where the camp is run by The Bushcraft Company. Return time will be 4pm approximately.

A full programme of activities including wilderness cooking, shelter-building, navigation training, orienteering, will be offered by the company's fully trained instructors. The staff: student ratio will be 1:10.

Accommodation will be in wig-wam style tents with four to five students per tent. Members of staff will be on duty throughout the night. A wide variety of freshly cooked meals will be served and special dietary requirements will of course, be catered for.

Students may not bring mobile phones. Staff will have a list of emergency contact numbers and will contact you if they deem it necessary.

Our aim is to take the whole year group. **The total cost will be £96** which includes all activities, food and transport. Students who are eligible for free school meals may be supported through the Pupil Premium Grant so could be eligible for a subsidy. If this applies to your family, please contact Mr Overton via the school office.

The first instalment of a £50 deposit, which will secure your son/daughter a place, must be paid by cheque, made payable to Church Stretton School, by Friday, 25th May. Please complete the attached slip and return with your payment. The second instalment of £46 will need to be paid by 20th June.

An information evening for parents/carers will be held on Thursday, 28th June, at 6pm, where a full kit list will be supplied and representatives from The Bushcraft Company will be available to answer any questions you have.

Yours sincerely

Ms A Moore
Assistant Headteacher



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YEAR 7 CAMP
Thursday 6th – Friday 7th September 2018

Name of Student.....

Current Primary School.....

I would like my son/daughter to take part in the Year 7 camp

I enclose a cheque for £50 for the trip which is a non-refundable deposit.
(Cheques payable to Church Stretton School).

The second instalment of £45 will be due by 19th or 20th June, at your admission meeting.

Name of Parent/Carer.....

Signed.....

Please send the reply slip and payment to:

Mrs C Floyd
PA to Principal
Church Stretton School
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