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Growing an Exceptional Learning Community*

14th September 2016

Year 3 trip to Butser Ancient Farm

Dear Parents,

As you will be aware, our project learning for this term is centred around changes in Britain throughout the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age. We will be taking the year group to Butser Ancient Farm on Thursday, 29th September 2016. The visit will offer a great opportunity for children to get a real grasp of life in these pre-historic times. The children will get the opportunity to take part in some fascinating activities and to bring things home with them to remember their day.

On this occasion, the children will not be required to wear school uniform. This is the advice on the Butser website about clothing:

'All visitors need to come well prepared for the worst of the British weather: old clothes, old shoes (or wellies) and warm waterproof clothing for cold days. A bag for mucky wellies and a change of shoes are essential.'

Please bring a packed lunch (in a named disposable bag) and a water bottle. To limit any chance of upset or things going missing, we will not be permitting children to take 'spending money' on this trip. We will be travelling by coach and leaving school at approximately 9.10am. We are planning to leave the farm by 2.30pm to be back in time for the end of the school day.

As there are only 18 pupils in Year 3, this means that the cost of travel per head can be more expensive. We are extremely grateful to the Cornerstone PTA who have provided £5 per head to bring the cost of the trip down from £25 to £20 per pupil. Therefore, we are asking for a voluntary parental contribution of £20 to cover the cost of travel, admission to the farm and the activity workshops. Without this support, the trip will not be able to go ahead. Payment should ideally be made via our online payment system Scopay, or by cheque or cash (in a named envelope please) via the school office.

Please return the completed consent form and your voluntary contribution to school by Thursday, 22nd September 2016, at the latest.

Yours sincerely,

Fran Pretty

Fran Pretty
Year 3 Teacher

"This is a happy school where pupils achieve well in terms of their personal, as well as academic development and are growing up as responsible caring young people." Ofsted 2015

Year 3 Trip

I consent to my child

taking part in the trip to Butser Ancient Farm on Thursday, 29th September 2016.

I have paid for the trip:

- online via Scopay
- by cheque / cash at the school office

Signed:

Name:

Date: