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CORNERSTONE
CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

Building our Community with Love and Hope

13th January 2017

Weald & Downland Open Air Museum

Dear Parents,

As part of our learning this Spring term, we have booked a visit to the Weald & Downland Open Air Museum for Monday, 13th February. This is an all day trip; the coach will leave school just after registration and return to school by home time.

We will do four workshops, which will support our work on the Great Fire of London by considering how houses were built and how people lived in the past.

We are extremely grateful to the Cornerstone PTA who have provided £2.50 per head to bring down the cost of the trip. Therefore, we are asking for a voluntary **parental contribution of £15.75** to cover the cost of travel, admission to the museum and the workshops. Without this support, the trip will not be able to go ahead. Payment should ideally be made via our online payment system Scopay. Should this not be possible, then please send in a cheque or cash (in a sealed and named envelope) to the school office.

We hope you agree with us that educational visits offer an amazing opportunity to enrich the children's learning. While the requested contribution towards the cost is voluntary, we would otherwise not be able to offer such visits to enhance the curriculum for the children. Please do not hesitate to speak to your child's teacher or the school office, if you have difficulties making this contribution or would prefer to stagger the payment.

We will need 2 additional adult helpers for the trip, so please let us know if you can help and have a DBS check in place.



Your child will need to wear comfortable and warm trousers with their school sweatshirt, for easy identification. Trainers or similar comfortable shoes and a warm and ideally waterproof coat will also be needed.

For lunch, you can send your child with their own packed lunch. Alternatively, you can order a packed lunch via Hampshire caterers free of charge, with a choice of ham or cheese roll. Please could you indicate your child's preferred option on the reply slip below. Either way, please send in a large water bottle or two disposable drinks (no cans please) in a named backpack.

Children will have an opportunity to shop for pencils and other small souvenirs, if they wish. A maximum of £2 spending money in a clearly labelled purse or wallet can be included in their backpack.

If your child suffers from travel sickness, please ensure they take their medicine at home. Should additional travel sickness medication be needed throughout the day, you will need to complete a medical form in the school office before the trip. Any inhalers and medication already held at school will be taken on the trip with us.

Please return the completed consent form and your voluntary contribution to school at the latest by Monday, 6th February 2016.

We look forward to our school trip with Owls!

Thank you,

Emma Leach
Year 1 Class Teacher



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I consent to my child.....
taking part in the Year 1 trip to the Weald & Downland Open Air Museum.

My child would like:

- to bring their own packed lunch
- to have a packed lunch from school – ham roll
- to have a packed lunch from school – cheese roll

I have paid for the trip:

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

Signed Name.....