

August 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

## Expression of Interest – Yr 7 Activity Trip- Adventure Bude, Cornwall, Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> July – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2026

We would like to offer your child the opportunity to be involved in a super week of activities. We are so excited to be able to offer this trip, to provide pupils with a variety of enrichment opportunities. With the cost-of-living situation as it is, we very much understand the challenges many families face and so we have worked hard to source the most competitive package and to ensure that we give as much notice to families as we can. We do know that residentials are not always for everyone and so if your child does not wish to attend, nearer the time we will communicate about what children who decide to stay in school will have the opportunity to do.

Please see a sample timetable below:

MULTI ACTIVITY PROGRAMME				
	Morning Activity	Main AM Sesion	Main PM Session	Evening Entertainments
Sunday		Travel	Meet the Tutor	Disco
Monday	Swim	High Ropes	Climb	Karaoke
Tuesday	Run	Surf	Kayak	Fancy Dress/5 A-Side Football
Wednesday	Swim	Team Trail	Body Board	Talent Night
Thursday	Run	Mountain Board	Canoe	Presentation
Friday	Caving	Bude Experience		

Depending on the number of pupils taking part, the cost of these activities will be **approximately £490.00**, payable in 8 instalments, the first being a deposit of £60. We really want all invited children to take part in this week.

We are able to take a maximum of 144 students to Bude, however, If this trip is oversubscribed, we will determine the places by a fair ballot and those who are unsuccessful will be refunded in full and their name placed on our reserve list.

If your child would like to attend, please log in to the Arbor app and provide your consent for your child to attend. If you are using a mobile phone to view the app, please turn your device to landscape and scroll to the bottom right of the page, select Trips and a new screen will show you the trip your child is being offered. Choose the trip and follow the details in order to provide consent. Online, via Arbor is our new method of payment and this has been set up for you to pay. The closing date is **4pm on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September**. If your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium (or has been entitled to Free School Meals in the last 6 years), financial support may be available. In the first instance, please contact our Finance team at [finance@noadswood.hants.sch.uk](mailto:finance@noadswood.hants.sch.uk) for further information.

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We do reserve the right to not proceed with the trip if numbers are too low. In this instance, anyone who has already paid will be refunded in full. If this trip is oversubscribed, we will determine the places by a fair ballot and those who are unsuccessful will be refunded in full.

We take seriously our responsibility for the safety and welfare of our students at all times. This raises particular issues when students are involved in an activity off-site. Before taking students away from the school site, we carry out a thorough risk assessment and take all necessary measures to minimize risks including arranging appropriate levels of supervision by responsible adults. We expect that students involved in the activity will cooperate fully with the arrangements made and follow closely the instructions of the responsible adults throughout the activity. We therefore reserve the right to refuse a place on the trip to any students where there has been a behaviour concern previously.

Yours sincerely

Mrs K Martin & Mrs H Way