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Dear Parent / Carer

Comrie Croft Visit 21st – 22nd May

We are now making our final preparations for the residential trip to Comrie Croft. Below are listed our travel arrangements and some information which I hope that you will find useful. I have also attached a final consent form which should be completed and returned to breadalbane@pkc.gov.uk if you haven't already done so.

Travel Arrangements
The transport provider is Docherty's and there will be 2 pick-up/drop off points as follows:

Thursday 21st May – Outbound Journey
Breadalbane Academy (Dining Centre) 9.45am
(For pupils from Breadalbane Academy, Glenlyon, Kinloch Rannoch, Kenmore, Murthly & Logierait)
Royal School of Dunkeld 10.30am
(For pupils from Royal School of Dunkeld, Auchtergaven and Glendelvine)

Friday 22nd May – Return Journey
Depart Comrie Croft 1:30pm
Royal School of Dunkeld 2.30pm
Breadalbane Academy 3.00pm

Day Visitors
For day visitors, please contact Breadalbane as soon as possible if your son/daughter would like to attend as a day visitor only.
Day visiting pupils will travel to Comrie Croft with all the pupils as normal. On the Thursday night, a minibus will leave Comrie Croft at approximately 10pm, so that parent/carers can pick pupils up from Breadalbane Academy at approximately 11pm. If it is any later, we will phone you to advise.
On the Friday, please wait to be collected by minibus at the Clocktower promptly for an 8:30am departure. Pupils will then return with the rest of the group for the return drop offs at Dunkeld and Breadalbane. If for any reason, your child is unable to attend on the Friday, please let Breadalbane Academy no later than 8am.

Activities

Pupils will take part in a range of activities, outdoor learning and team building challenges. Bushcraft, Base Camp, Disaster Zone and the Eliminator are all led and supervised by Breadalbane Academy and PKC staff. There will also be a disco in the evening.

Kit List

We recommend that all pupils bring the following.

- **Packed lunch for day 1, with a reusable water bottle for the rest of the residential**
- Clothes suitable for a variety of weathers e.g. warm waterproof jacket, warm jumper/sweatshirt, wellies, sturdy walking shoes, hat and gloves, slippers.
- Changes of clothing in case of wet weather
- Remember your pyjamas
- Toiletries
- Suntan lotion
- **Bath/Shower Towel – this is not provided by Comrie Croft**
- No formal clothing is required

Accommodation

The school has full use of The Steading and The Farmhouse (see Comrie Croft Website for more detail). For those that are staying over, please contact Breadalbane with the name of at least one pupil that your child will be comfortable sharing a room with.

Valuables

Please do not bring anything of value. The trip is packed with activities, and everyone will be fully occupied from dawn to dusk. We have decided, as in other years, that there will be **no mobile phones**. Should there be a need to contact us, the emergency contact numbers can be found at the end of the letter.

Medicine

Please ensure that all medical issues are noted on the attached parental consent form and that all medicines are put in a plastic bag clearly labelled with the pupil's name and with clear instructions. These should be handed to a staff member on the morning of departure.

If you have any further queries about the trip, please so not hesitate to contact me at Breadalbane Academy on 01887 822300. The number for Comrie Croft is 01764 670140

Yours faithfully

Mr C Martin
DHT – Support for Staff & Pupils