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> Mr J Lamb Headteacher

Dear Parent/Carer 9 September 2024

Trip to Pinkery - 7Y

Below is the information for your child's trip to Pinkery Outdoor Education Centre leaving <u>Friday 13 September</u> at 2.30pm and returning Saturday 14 September at 2.00pm. The expectation is students will be collected from school. If you are happy for them to walk home then please send in a letter confirming this.

Please make the final payment of £44.00 (or £64.00 if you haven't paid a deposit) as soon as possible. Please contact the school if you are struggling to pay the final balance.

At the centre there is no mobile signal but you may wish your child to have theirs for contacting you as we approach school on our return. There is no opportunity to spend money at the centre. Please be aware possessions should be safe as we will be the only people there, although there is no lockable storage. We cannot be responsible for items damaged, lost etc. Please find below a list of suggested equipment.

Do Bring

Sleeping bag and pillow case Waterproof Coat * Wellington boots* Waterproof trousers Old warm clothes

Trousers x3 T-shirt x3

Black bin bag for wet clothes

Jumper/fleece min x3

Underclothes/socks etc
Outdoor shoes (old)
Indoor footwear
Washing gear (towel, soap, toothbrush etc)
Torch
Pyjamas

* The centre may be able to lend you these items if you haven't got them but has limited supplies.

It would be lovely if students could bring some cake to share with the group for after the night walk and a snack between activities the following morning. This is not expected but would be welcomed. If you have any further questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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Mr P Crawford

Head of Sandringham House

