



Wales HIGH SCHOOL

HEADTEACHER: MR. G. DI'ASIO

June 2019 - RN/HB

Dear Parent/Guardian

PE OCR Outdoor Adventurous Activities – Monday, 24th June 2019

As part of the OCR Sport course your child has taken, they have to be assessed practically in Outdoor Adventurous Activities (OAA). I am pleased, therefore, to be able to offer them the opportunity to take part in a Kayaking session at Rother Valley Country Park. This will take place on Monday, 24th June, 12pm – 1.30pm.

We will leave school at 11.30pm by minibus to arrive in plenty of time to take part in a 90 minute Kayak session, led by a qualified instructor. By taking part in these activities we hope that it will support your child in achieving their target grade. We should arrive back at school no later than 2.00pm.

Please complete and return the attached consent slip to the Finance Office, giving permission for your child to take part in this activity. Due to the nature of the activities the water-sports centre requires the attached consent form must also be completed.

The cost of the day will be £15.00. Payment by cash should be paid to the **Finance Office by Thursday 20th June 2019**. This should be in a sealed envelope with your child's name, tutor group and 'PE OCR' written on the envelope. You may also pay using the schools online payment system. If you wish to pay online, you will need to give permission for your child to go on this visit by ticking the consent box **before** entering the amount you wish to pay.

The Government's Education Reform of 1988 no longer permits our School to make a mandatory charge for this venture as it takes place mainly during school hours. We are seeking a voluntary contribution to cover our costs. Your child will still be entitled to participate, even if you do not wish to make this contribution. However, all parents must be aware that if contributions are not sufficient to meet our costs, we will have no alternative but to cancel the venture.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me at school on 01909 771291 or by email at rn@waleshigh.com.

Yours sincerely

R Napier

Mr R Napier
OCR Sport

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Student Name: _____ Tutor Group: _____

I give permission for my child to take part in the above activity.

I will pay online* I enclose £15.00 cash * (* please tick as appropriate)

Signed: _____ (Parent/Guardian) Date: _____

Please return to the Finance Office by Thursday, 20th June 2019



**ROTHER VALLEY COUNTRY PARK
WATERSPORTS CENTRE**

Consent form for under 18's

Name.....Age.....

Emergency contact name
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Emergency contact
number.....

HEALTH DECLARATION

Health problems should not deter anyone from participating in our activities, please make the Centre aware these conditions and their treatment prior to commencement of activity.
Please state below any health issues in regard to your child which may affect them during activities and any action that may be needed to be taken.

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Acknowledgment of Risk

Watersports and Outdoor Activities can be a physical and demanding sport, which has inherent hazards associated with it. Rother Valley Country Park takes all necessary precautions to try and ensure the safety of all participants.

Accidents can happen without any contributory negligence from the centre or its staff. Rother Valley Country Park can accept no responsibility for loss or damage to personal property or for personal injury not arising as a result of its own act or default

Each participant should familiarise themselves with the hazards and try to minimise them as much as possible by complying with the risk management guidelines. It is understood that individuals participate at their own risk.

Individuals will be asked to provide explicit consent that they, or anyone under their care can participate in the activities. At any stage participants can ask to see our Risk Assessment, ask a member of staff about the risks of the activity or email RVCP.Watersports@rotherham.gov.uk for more information.

I give consent for my child to take part in activities at Rother Valley Country Park and that the Park staff may administer first aid to my child should the need arise.

Name of Parent/Carer/Guardian.....

Signature.....Date.....



What to Bring

Note: Wetsuits and buoyancy aids are included in the session.

When attending a Watersports session, we advise you bring the following items:

- Swimwear
- Towel, shampoo & shower gel
- Spare clothing (it is highly likely you will get wet)
- Lightweight clothes for on the water
- Lightweight waterproof jacket
- Footwear to use whilst on the water (this is essential – old trainers will do)
- Carrier bag for your wet clothes
- Small change for the vending machines
- Packed lunch (depending upon length of visit)
- Sun Hat
- Sun Screen

Please make sure that all your personal possessions are clearly marked with your name and do not leave valuables in the changing room