

ST MAWES PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents

Residential for Years 4, 5 and 6

I am writing with details of the forthcoming residential for Years 4, 5 and 6. We are planning to take the children to the PGL Centre Barton Hall in Paignton, South Devon. PGL is a well established company with an excellent reputation who have been operating since 1957.

Barton Hall stands at the heart of the English Riviera with views across to Torquay. This is a great location with an artificial ski slope, on-site lake for water activities and indoor and outdoor activity areas. The accommodation is in the main house and surrounding chalets.

The residential has been provisionally booked for Monday 23rd to Wednesday 25th April 2018. Below are details of the residential and there will be 8 activities for us to choose from, as well as evening entertainment/activities. The daytime activities can range from abseiling to dry slope skiing or zip wire to raft building. We will know the exact activities we are doing nearer the time.

- Monday 23rd April depart school at 9:15am and travel to Barton Hall. Afternoon and evening activities provided by the centre
- Tuesday 24th April activities all day on site and evening activities provided by the centre
- Wednesday 25th April activities on site during the morning. Depart after lunch and arrive back at school at 4:00pm

The cost for the residential is £160 which includes travel, accommodation, all meals (apart from packed lunch required for the Monday), all day and evening activities, use of equipment and centre facilities and insurance cover. The PTA donate £500 towards the cost of the residential and the school also subsidise it by £500.

I have been to a few PGL centres over the years and have always been impressed with the level of service they provide in terms of staff expertise, accommodation, catering, safety and professionalism. All instructors delivering the activities are highly qualified and all equipment and specialist clothing is provided.

To secure the booking I need definite numbers by the end of November. If you would like to reserve a place for your child on the residential please send in a deposit (non-refundable) of £30 by Friday 24th November. It is vital that one of the boxes is ticked for your child to have a place reserved.

















Yours sincerely

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Please send the deposit and consent form below in a sealed envelope marked with your child's name, cheques made payable to St Mawes School. An interim payment of £50 will be required at the end of January and the final balance of £70 by the end of March. However, you may wish to spread the cost and pay each month, please let Mrs Headdon know.

I will hold an Information Evening nearer the time with full details of the residential. Their website is www.pgl.co.uk if you want to take a look.

K.Middlemore
Years 4, 5 and 6 Residential to Paignton (Monday 23 rd – Wednesday 25 th April 2018)
Child's Name:
I would like my child to attend the residential visit to Barton Hall and am willing to pay for board and lodgings and make the voluntary contribution towards travel and activities. I enclose a deposit of £30
I would like my child to attend the residential visit to Barton Hall and am willing to pay for board and lodgings but not make the voluntary contribution towards travel and activities. I enclose a deposit of £30
I would <u>not</u> like my child to attend the residential visit to Barton Hall
Signed: Parent/Carer













