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Dear Parent/Carer

## **P7 OUTDOOR EDUCATION ACTIVITY WEEK**

North Lanarkshire are offering our P7 children the chance to participate in an Outdoor Education Week which will take place within Strathclyde Park during the week 15<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> February.

- ✓ The cost of the week is £75 per child. The Parent Council have kindly offered to subsidise £10 per child, which will bring the overall cost down to £65. We thank the Parent Council for their support, as always.
- ✓ If you feel you do not need to take advantage of the £10 subsidy, then you are free to pay the £75 in full and we will put the other money towards another child's trip.
- ✓ Please do not let cost be a reason to not allow your child to participate in this opportunity. I can provide some support if needed. Please contact me at any point.
- ✓ Transport to and from school will be provided each day, leaving at 9am and returning for the end of the day.
- ✓ Children should take packed lunches each day. Children in receipt of a Free School Meal will have a packed lunch provided by the school.
- ✓ The attached information sheet has been provided to give you all of the relevant information.
- ✓ All specialist equipment will be provided, but please pay attention to the guidance around what to wear and what to bring.
- ✓ We will hold a meeting (online) in January to provide further information and to answer questions.
- ✓ Please note that some of the information on the Promotional Flyer is incorrect (for example, regarding transport!) However, the flyer gives a general overview.
- ✓ Registration Forms will be issued in the new term, but you can begin to pay whenever you like.

I apologise that this information is being circulated now. It is not an ideal time, with Christmas coming up. However, you can begin to pay in instalments of whatever amount when you wish, as the online payment system is now live and set up. If you wish to discuss anything with me, please do not hesitate to contact me.



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I do hope that you will feel able to allow your child to take part in this opportunity. It is not quite the same as a residential experience at Kilbowie, but it will certainly be a week to remember and a chance for our P7s to make some wonderful memories together.

Again, please contact me if you wish to discuss this matter.

With renewed good wishes for Christmas,

**Kris Thomas**  
**Head Teacher**