

SED/16 August 2012

Dear Parents

**Proposed P7 visit to Dalguise House Outward Bound Centre**

This session I am pleased that we are once again able to offer Primary 7 pupils the opportunity to attend a week's residential outward bound course at Dalguise House, by Dunkeld, Perthshire.

I have attached a basic information sheet about the centre and a week's sample timetable of daytime activities from our last visit to the centre to give you an idea of the focus of the week and the facilities available at Dalguise. Below, in brief, is essential trip information.

<b>Dates</b>	Monday 13 May – Friday 17 May (provisionally booked) Leaving 3pm - Returning 2.30pm Timings approximate
<b>Venue</b>	Dalguise House, By Dunkeld
<b>Activities</b>	Varied – selected by group from a wide range including abseiling, climbing wall, zipwire, kayaking, orienteering among others
<b>Cost</b>	£319 (en suite accommodation in lodges requested but not guaranteed) Initial £40 deposit to be paid by Friday 31 August 2012 <b>at the latest in order to secure selected week</b> Second deposit of £60 to be paid by Friday 26 October 2012 Balance due by Friday 22 February 2013 Savings cards are available for parents who wish to pay in instalments.

Transport to and from the centre is not included but the Parent Council contributes an amount per head towards the visit and, in the past, the school has successfully bid for funds from Perth and Kinross Educational Trust for the balance. It may be however that a small contribution towards transport is required.

There will be a meeting for parents closer to the time of departure at which I will give you further information about the week and you will have the opportunity to ask any questions you may have. However if, at this stage, you have any questions please do contact me at school.

Please return the slip to school by Wednesday 22 August 2012.

Once the returns are in I will contact you to collect your payment of the £40 deposit to allow me to make a firm booking.

I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours sincerely

Mr Alan McKenzie  
Head Teacher

**Name of Child** .....

I give permission for the above named child to participate in the P7 residential visit to Dalguise House, by Dunkeld in May 2013 as outlined in the letter of 16 August 2012.

Signed (parent/guardian) .....

Date .....