

Y5 – 6 Summer trip option

Dear Parents of boys in Year 5 and Year 6

Further to the notice in last week's bulletin about the summer trip for boys in Year 5 and Year 6, we write with a bit more information about the option of a trip to Tignes in France. Firstly, apologies that we are not running our normal trip to Bude. This is not our choice, and is because in September the dates that we were promised were given to another group, leaving it very late to look for an alternative. Although we have tried hard, it has proved difficult to find trips in this country that are of a similar quality to the Bude trip at this late stage. This is a shame, as we feel that the boys benefit enormously from this type of adventure holiday and we know that many parents appreciate the opportunity of their son attending a trip at this time, and fully understand the benefits it can bring to boys of this age.

However, we do now have the option of an exciting trip to Tignes in France. The trip to Bude last year was £560, and this year's would have been in the region of £600. The trip to Tignes involves flights, therefore will cost more, at around £850. The brochure [here](#), prepared by the company Land and Wave, shows the type of activities and adventures on offer, and it looks like an exciting package. Tignes is also a superb venue for a summer holiday, with an exciting range of outdoor sports, combined with health giving alpine air.

In order to ascertain whether this trip is viable, please do have a look at the brochure. In order for us to gauge interest, and to see if we are able to run this trip for the boys, please fill in a short questionnaire [here](#) stating whether your son is very likely to attend, quite likely to attend or not likely to attend.

Year 6 only: Please bear in mind that we also run a Sports trip to Jersey for selected Y6 boys which will be in the region of £280.

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