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January 2006

MCS French Trip

Dear Parents.

We are delighted to inform you that we have some **provisional** details for this year's French trip.

We will be using the well established campsite from previous school trips, Les Mouettes. It's location to the ferry port, the magical Brittany coast & some wonderful educational sites, is a combination difficult to beat.

Cost:

Full cost £230

Deposit £50 by Mon. 1st Feb.
Instalment 2: £70 by Mon. 6th Mar.
Instalment 3: £65 by Fri. 31st Mar.
Final payment: £45 Mon. 1st May.

Date:

Sun. 2nd July to Fri. 7th July 2006

Place:

Les Mouettes, Carantec, Finisterre, Brittany.

http://www.les-mouettes.com/ (10 miles from Roscoff)

Accommodation:

A 5-star campsite, with a wonderful pool complex; rapids, serious water slides & swimming pools. **Facilities**: 4 tennis courts, ping pong tables, football field, basketball court, volleyball court etc.

Tents:

Children will need to bring their own, as our Dawlish camping trip for the lower school. They will also need to bring crockery & cutlery, although we will provide the cooking utensils & will cook the meals.

Places open to:

Class 5 Alpha upwards



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for

French Camping Trip, Reply Slip, reply by Mon. 1st Feb.

I would like my son/daughter to go on the French camping trip on the Sun. 2nd July to Fri. 7th July 2006

I enclose a (deposit of £50, full £230) £..... (Final payment by Mon. 1st May.)

Would you please pay theses payments by cheque, marked with the **child's name** & the **Trip** written on the back. Also it is of great help to us if they are not amalgamated with other moneys paid to the school, i.e. a separate cheque.

If you are not aware of the risks involved or the procedures we put in place to manage these, please ask myself, in person or by e-mail & I will be most happy to describe the activity in greater detail, explaining the potential risks your child will be exposed to.

John@mcs-exeter.co.uk

| Childs Name: | Parent/Guardian's signature: |
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Arrival / Depature Times:

Sun. 2nd July

Sun. 20:30hrs depart MCS, arrive at Les Mouettes @ 10:00hrs Mon. in time to try out the wonderful pool complex.

Fri. 7th July.

14:30 Break camp, arrive MCS 23:00.

Activities:

These will depend on the weather & other factors. The days start early & finish late, we try to cram as much in to our stay as possible, & it has the advantage that tiered children get up to less mischief!. We will be cooking a number of traditional Breton dishes; Moules Marinière, Gallettes, Crêpes, Langoustines, artichokes are a few of the dishes on offer.

- Costal walks, the coast line is astounding.
- Walk to one of the islands close by, across a cause-way. It has a traditional old Breton fishing village & chapel.
- Local towns: Carantec, Morlaix, Roscoff (often overlooked but very beautiful)
- Aguarium at Roscoff (wet weather activity).
- Day trip to the Rose Granite Coast
 - o Gaulish Village, run by the French Scouts
 - o Planetarium
 - o Spectacular cove, with its own warm microclimate
- Traditional French market
- Sea kayaking trip, weather allowing.
- Sailing/windsurfing afternoon, weather allowing, led by French instructors.
- Swimming in the sea.
- Campsite: Tennis, swimming, table tennis, Basket Ball, Orienteering.

Other details:

- Individual passports will be needed.
- E111 forms (from the post office) are needed (for health care in France).

 Note these changed & now you receive your own individual insurance card for each member of the family.
- Personal insurance is recommended.

The school takes out medical insurance for the group, but this will not cover personal possessions or

financial reimbursement above medical expenses for injury, a copy

of the insurance details are available upon request.

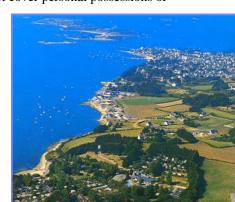
- Pupils would like pocket money (in Euros). We recommend 10€ (about £6) per day
- Entrance costs & meals are included.

Packed lunch needed for ferry crossing.

Trusting this will be another successful trip.

Kindest regards,

John Jenner B.Ed. Hons Adv. Dip. (IT)



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