



15 October 2015

To Parents of shooters

Dear Abingdon School Rifle Club Parent

Following a number of successful Rifle Club trips to Stade, Germany over the past twelve years, we are intending to take another trip in April 2016. The trip will last a week and allow time for practice range shooting, a match, and cultural excursions to Hamburg and local towns.

The cost of the trip will be approximately £600. It is not possible to be more accurate at this stage owing to the fact that the fixed costs of the trip will have to be spread over the (as yet unknown) numbers travelling. Also, the price of the flight can only be guaranteed when the booking is confirmed. The price will include all travel, insurance, local transport, visits, accommodation and meals. However, it is advisable for pupils to bring some spending money too. Although dates are yet to be finalised, we are working to the provisional dates shown below:

Depart: Abingdon School, Monday 4 April 2016

Return: Abingdon School, Monday 11 April 2016

I do hope your son will be able to join us. Please return the attached slip as soon as possible with a non refundable deposit of £200, once it has been confirmed that the trip will proceed. The deposit should be paid by cheque (payable to Abingdon School) by Tuesday 3 November 2015 at the latest. The balance of the cost (expected to be £400.00) will be applied to the School bill in December 15.

Please note that by completing the consent form (providing the trip proceeds) you are committing to the total cost of this trip. The non refundable deposit secures your son's place, but thereafter the School will proceed to make bookings and reservations to procure the best possible deals. The balance of payment being applied to your School bill is a means of spreading the cost rather than a reflection of when liabilities are incurred. If you have any questions about the visit please do not hesitate to contact either of us for more information.

As there are limited a number of places available on the trip, an early reply would be appreciated. Please direct any questions, and the reply slip to Mr Alan Smith. The final date for return is Tuesday 3 November 2015.

Yours sincerely

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