



ABINGDON

From: Expedition Organiser: Alexandra Cardinal von Widdern

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Dear Parents / Guardians

Abingdon School True Adventure Expedition to Nicaragua in July / August 2018

Today your son watched a presentation in assembly by students who were keen to share their experiences from this summer's True Adventure expedition to Vietnam. What sets such expeditions apart from other school trips is that the students have the added responsibility of fundraising and of leading the expedition whilst in country. The students acquire a wealth of life skills such as problem solving, negotiation and leadership skills, which they often find invaluable in school, at university and in the world of work.

I would like to invite you to join us in school for an information evening, presented by True Adventure, where you will have the opportunity to gather more information about the upcoming expedition to Nicaragua in July / August 2018. The information evening will be held on:
Monday 3 October 2016 at 6pm in the Amey Theatre at Abingdon School.

It will be an informative and interactive presentation with plenty of opportunity for questions, along with images and impressions from previous expeditions to Nicaragua. I am very much looking forward to the evening and I hope you are able to join us, will be inspired and help to get the expedition off the ground. There will be fund raising ideas (on average, students raised 80% of their True Adventure expedition fees last year), information about options for the itinerary, the safety and back-up on the expedition and the benefits the students will derive from taking part.

For more information, please visit <http://www.true-adventure.co.uk/expeditions/nicaragua> or email ellie@true-adventure.co.uk.

Please be aware that there will be a Biology 6th form trip in the same year and if your son studies biology, this should take priority.

If you would like to attend the parents' information evening, please return the google form here by Monday 3 October 2016:

<https://docs.google.com/a/abingdon.org.uk/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfQRsQxSiC8gW-dJJN7fgq6WZ9YQcwiVu18uXeKWuQjUSCg7Q/viewform>

Yours sincerely

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