



Dear Year 4 children and families,

### **RE: Caldecotte Xperience Adventure Day!**

What a disappointment it was that the COVID epidemic put paid to our residential plans this year! I do know how very let down and miserable this made many of you feel. I know it because it made me feel the same way...!

I have been organising Y4 residential trips for over 20 years in different schools and it is so rare to be prevented from going due to an epidemic! It has happened only once before in that time.

I am so proud of you though for the way you have been handling your disappointment. Your teachers have been letting me know about some of the very mature thinking you have been doing and I praise you all for that.

**MEANWHILE**, I have been doing some secret investigating, planning and discussing to see if we could organise something to make you all feel a bit better....

### **How would you feel about spending a day at Caldecotte for an ADVENTURE DAY?**

I have been speaking (planning and discussing!) with a man called Richard Wyatt who is the Head of the Centre at Caldecotte Xperience. He has been working hard at devising safe but fun ADVENTUROUS activities for all of Year 4 children to take part in.

The Adventure day is to take place on **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July. 9.30am until 2.45pm**

Parents will need to drop off in the morning and collect again in the afternoon.

The centre leader has offered the following sessions that are COVID SAFE: Bush craft, climbing, archery, as well as paddle boarding and Kayaking for the day; many of the things we would have been doing anyway if we had gone in June. EVERYONE in Y4 is invited!



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All you will need is a sunhat, water-bottle and waterproof coat, oh and a packed lunch! Due to the level of disappointment that you have all suffered, I have organised for the day to be **completely free** to all who wish to take part. It is the least we could do. (All deposits/ payment refunds are making their way to you, parents).

I will need to let Caldecotte know how many of you will be coming along on the day (I will be there for a start!) so that we can organise groups and resources. Please use the sign-up sheet below to let us know. Can't wait to see you all!

**All booking will need to be made by next Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June please.** As usual, feel free to ask if you have any questions or queries.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes,

Mrs Pearce

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**Caldecotte Xperience Adventure Day 8<sup>th</sup> July**  
(Please return by Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June)

Name of child \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

I give permission for my child to participate in the Adventure Day: Yes/No

I confirm that I am able to drop my child at Caldecotte at 9.30am: Yes/No

I understand that I will need to collect my child from Caldecotte at 2.45pm: Yes/No

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Carer



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