Senior Girls

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Dear Parent/Guardian

We propose to run a Junior Ski Trip to Risoul, France during the Easter break, for the current Year 7 and Year 8 girls. The trip will take place from **Saturday 30th March 2019 to Saturday 6th April 2019** (when they are in Year 8 and 9). We will be skiing in the French resort of Risoul which when combined with the neighbouring resort of Vars, offers almost 180 km of piste. The two resorts make the La Foret Blanche ski area that is excellent for beginners and intermediates.

We will be staying at the <u>Equity Club Hotel Le Morgan</u> ideally situated in the resort, less than 50-metres walk to the pistes and ski school meeting point. The hotel has its own "in house" Salomon Ski technician for expert boot and ski fitting and holds a great stock of excellent skiing equipment.

All après ski activities will take place either locally (e.g. karaoke, disco, pizzeria, quiz night) or further afield (e.g. shopping, bowling, etc.) In the latter case, private transport will be provided to the venue.

Girls of all ski abilities are most welcome, from the absolute beginner to the seasoned skier. Beginner sessions to the Chill Factor^e in Manchester will be offered to those girls who are new to the sport, between now and the departure date in 2019, in order to prepare your daughter for the real snow on the trip. Whatever her level, your daughter is guaranteed to enjoy herself in the beautiful surroundings of the area, and to learn new skills along the way.

The ski trip includes:

- Travel insurance for snow sport activities
- Ski equipment and ski pass for 6 days
- 6 x 5 hour ski lessons with the well respected ESF Instructors
- Ski helmets
- Services of the company representative
- Full board accommodation for 7 nights (breakfast buffet, hot lunch and evening meal)
- Return flights from Liverpool or Manchester
- Staff pupil ratio of 1:7 (all staff members experienced in snow sports/school trips)
- Entertainments (4 activities from pizza evening, shopping, bowling, disco, quiz night, karaoke, etc.)

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For Boys and Girls aged 4 to 18 years

The all-inclusive cost of the trip is £1300. Please note, this price includes a small contingency fund, which if not required on the trip, will be returned to you soon after our return.

If you would like your daughter to be included in the trip, please use one of the methods detailed below to pay the first deposit of £400 and also please email me when you have paid. My email address is n.price@merchanttaylors.com

Please bear in mind that demand is likely to be high; as such, places will have to be secured on a strictly "first come, first served" basis. If you are interested, please pay your deposit and let me know as soon as possible. There are only 32 Pupil places available. I would appreciate the deposit payment and confirmation **email by Friday 16th March 2018** at the latest.

The 2 payment options via our Bursars department are: -

Pay directly into the following bank account: -Merchant Taylors' School Sort Code 20-10-92 Account No 50840068 Ref CHILDSSURNAMEY030209

Ring and pay by card Speak to Deana Smith 0151 949 9329 Ref CHILDSSURNAMEY030209

NB From the Finance Department: It is of the utmost importance that the reference is quoted (using your child's surname), especially when paying via the bank.

Once I have further information about the trip I will back in touch, but in the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact me via email if you have further questions.

Yours sincerely

Mr N Price

Party Leader and ICT Director

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