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Dear Parent/Carer

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THURSDAY 27TH JUNE – Y1 VISIT TO CONISTON WATERPARK **'WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE'**

On Thursday 27th June Year 1 will be going on a trip to Coniston Waterpark, an outdoor centre situated on the shores of Coniston Water. The focus of the trip is a starting point for our new topic 'Explorers' which will commence after the half term. The children will be working in groups of between 7 and 8 and will have the opportunity to carry out a series of different activities linked to the story 'Where the Wild Things Are'. We will be leaving school at approximately 9.00am so require the children to be in school at around 8.45am. We will be returning to school between 4.00pm and 4.30pm, traffic dependent.

KIT LIST

Please send your child wearing a long sleeved t-shirt, sweatshirt and long trousers. There are sure to be brambles and nettles around the area so having their skin covered will lessen the chance of scratches and stings. Your child will also require a waterproof jacket and trousers (if the weather is due to be fine these can always stay in their bag but you can never be quite sure what the British weather will do so better to be safe than sorry) and sturdy footwear (boots, wellies or trainers). Your child must also bring a spare change of clothes, including underwear, in a rucksack. Weather depending they will either need sun-cream and sun hat or warm hat and gloves (keep an eye on the forecast). All children will require a packed lunch, a snack and plenty to drink (non-fizzy).

Parents are asked to make a voluntary contribution of **£12** to cover the cost of the visit to the park, insurance and transport. If insufficient funds to cover all costs are received the trip may not take place. If any parents feel that they need additional help to make the payment please contact Lesley Anne Inman or Sharon Britt.

For this trip you have the option to pay and consent online using our trip payment system called SchoolMoney. You will receive a text message notifying you of your password to be able to use the system. Once you have your password please see the details attached to this letter and follow the instructions. We would encourage as many of you as possible to use the online payment and consent system. Alternatively, if you cannot or do not wish to use the online system, we can now accept debit card payments at the office or you can make payment by cheque or cash in the usual way. Could you please return the slip and payment by Friday 21st June.

If any parents are available to help out on the trip please come and speak to a member of staff. We would love you to join us – due to school policy we are unable to put you with your child's group. You will have chance to sit with your child on the coach and at lunch-time.

Yours sincerely

The Year 1 Team



PLEASE RETURN BY FRIDAY 21ST JUNE

THURSDAY 27th JUNE – CONISTON WATER PARK – ‘WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE’

Child's name: _____

I give permission for my child to go to Coniston Waterpark ()

I have paid the voluntary contribution of £12 to cover the cost of the trip online ()

I enclose the voluntary contribution of £12 to cover the cost of the trip ()

I will collect my child from school between 4pm – 4.30pm ()

My child is attending After School Club ()

Signed: _____ (Parent/Carer) Date _____

Tel. Contact Number for the day of the trip _____

