



# LIONEL WALDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

*"Putting children first. Progress through partnership"*

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30<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Dear Parents / Carers

## Year 6 Residential

I am delighted to tell you that we have secured a booking for a weekend Year 6 residential stay at **PGL Caythorpe Court** in Lincolnshire in the Autumn term 2023. Having the trip earlier in the school year rather than later means that we can hopefully benefit from the skills gained over the course of the year.

Caythorpe Court is set just ten miles north of Grantham and about an hour and twenty minutes away from Doddington. There are over 65 acres of space for children to enjoy, packed full of adventure activities on land and water. The site hosts lots of different adventurous activities, from high ropes to the giant swing, to sensory trails in the woods and kayaking or raft building on the lake. Each challenge will help children work as a team, build their resilience and perseverance skills and allow them to take risks, all in a controlled environment.

<https://www.pgl.co.uk/en-gb/school-trips/primary-schools/centres/caythorpe-court>

If you visit the website, you will see examples of the many types of activities that they offer. PGL will liaise with the school to develop a program of activities that will include something for all.

Children will leave Lionel Walden by coach on **Fri 6<sup>th</sup> October 2023**, arriving at Caythorpe in the afternoon. A range of settling in activities, dinner and evening activities will complete the day. On the Saturday, children will take part in 4 main activities over the day with additional games in the evening. On the Sunday, 2 further main activities will occur before they pack, have lunch and depart for home. Traffic permitting, the coach should arrive back in Doddington late afternoon.

The cost of the trip will be approximately **£210** depending on numbers. This is cheaper than last year due to the time of year we intend to go.

**If this is of interest to you and your child then please complete the slip below or follow the link to this quick form (<https://forms.office.com/e/bkehNbRDst>) to express an interest in going on the trip by the first week back after the Easter holidays (Fri 21<sup>st</sup> April) so that we can begin to plan.** Once numbers have been established, we will be in contact regarding deposits and payments.

Your sincerely,

Mr Abey

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Please return this slip (or complete electronically via the form link above) to express an interest in your child going on the residential trip to Caythorpe Court in October by **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

