



*Church of England School*  
*Headteacher: Mr A J Wilcock MA (Cantab)*

28th January 2016

Dear Parent/Carer

**Austria Ski Trip 2017**

We would like to invite your son/daughter to join us for the Austria Ski Trip for February Half Term 2017. We have negotiated a superb venue with an early booking discount - to see what we did last year please join Twitter page "Bishop Ramsey Ski" or your son/daughter can access pictures on the Public Drive of the school network. We will be travelling with Ski Team 4 to Jenbach in Austria, staying in a hotel a short distance from the ski lift. There is an extensive skiing area (Zillertal), which will suit both beginners and intermediate skiers. For further information please visit <http://www.htstotalski.com/destinations/austria/ziller-valley>. The group will be leaving on Friday 10th February and returning on Saturday 18th February 2017.

The cost of the trip will be £899. The cost covers:

- Transport by coach
- Full board accommodation
- Packed lunches on piste
- 6 days skiing
- 5 hours tuition per day
- Ski equipment hire, including helmet
- Lift pass
- Evening entertainments
- Full insurance cover (£5,000,000).

If your son/daughter is 18 years old at the time of departure there is a £80 lift pass surcharge.

Payment should be made via ParentPay, selecting 'Austria Ski Trip 2016-2017'. Should you have any concerns with respect to payment, please contact Mrs Ruttle on 01895 671050, alternatively email [parentpay@bishopralseyschool.org](mailto:parentpay@bishopralseyschool.org)

In order to finalize arrangements and secure your son/daughter's place please make an initial non-refundable deposit of £90 by 30<sup>th</sup> January 2016.

Once your place on the trip has been confirmed then additional payments should be made as follows:

- £120 by 1st March 2016
- £200 by 21st July 2016
- Final payment of £499 by 14th October 2016.



Following the success of last year's trip it is anticipated that there will be a high level of interest, but places are limited and therefore places will be allocated on a strict first-come first-served basis as payment is received. Once payments have been made they will only be refundable if we can refill the place.

Please note that if your son/daughter receives an exclusion from school then their place on the trip may be withdrawn. Any monies paid to the school will be refunded provided the place can be offered to another student.

If student behaviour is unacceptable during the trip they will lose skiing time and/or social time. In exceptional circumstances, following discussion with the Headteacher, students may be asked to leave the trip and flown home at the parents' expense.

It is anticipated that a further ski trip to the USA during Easter 2017 will be made available. Further details will follow in due course.

If there is anything you would like to discuss about the trip please feel free to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D Poole', written over a horizontal line.

**Mr D Poole**  
**Ski Trip Organiser**

**SKI TRIP 2017 - AUSTRIA**

**Please return to the School Office  
by Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2016**

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Form: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

I give permission for my son/daughter to attend the above trip.

The required deposit has been made via ParentPay

I have checked my son/daughter's medical details on Parent Portal and confirm that the details are correct and up-to-date. I agree to inform you of any changes between now and the trip.

In addition to the above please indicate below any medical conditions which may affect your son/daughter taking part in activities. No responsibility can be taken for conditions about which we have not been notified.

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I consent to my son/daughter being given a mild painkiller (eg. Paracetamol) if considered necessary by the Party Leader.

I give my permission for my son/daughter to receive medical treatment in an emergency situation if as parent/carer I cannot be contacted.

I understand that if my son/daughter's behaviour in school is not acceptable then he/she may be withdrawn from the trip and any monies paid to that date will not be refunded.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(parent/carer)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_