



# Aylsham High School

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It takes a Whole Community to Educate a Child*

October 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

## **Activities Week 2020 – Out and about in Norfolk - Monday 13 July to Friday 17 July 2020**

Your child has been allocated a place on the day excursions during activities week. These trips will depart from Aylsham High School daily at 9.00am and your child will be travelling to each destination by coach. Students should be at school by 8.50am and meet in room 39 each day. They will return by 3.25pm each day, other than Wednesday, when they will visit Duxford War Museum; you will need to arrange to collect your child from school at approximately 5.00 pm. Activities for the week will include –

- **Monday – Pleasurewood Hills**

With over 35 rides, shows and attractions there's something for everyone whether your child's an adrenaline junkie or not! Your child will need a packed lunch, lots of drink and a small amount of pocket money for an ice cream.

- **Tuesday – Cromer**

We will be in Cromer, visiting the pier and the lifeboat station, and exploring the town. There might be time for chips and an ice cream at some point. Your child will need a packed lunch and lots of drink.

- **Wednesday – Duxford War Museum**

We will be visiting Britain's largest aviation museum; Duxford houses nearly 200 aircraft, military vehicles, artillery and minor naval vessels in seven main exhibition buildings. Your child will need a packed lunch, lots of drink and a small amount of pocket money for an ice cream.

- **Thursday – Norwich Odeon Cinema and Funkys**

The film will be confirmed when listings are released but will be suitable for the age group. Here students can purchase popcorn, sweets or a drink if they would like to. After a packed lunch we will be travelling to Funkys to participate in roller skating. If students wish to bring their own skates or blades they are more than welcome to do so.

- **Friday – Africa Alive**

We will be travelling to Africa Alive in Kessingland, Lowestoft where we will see the Big Cats and a giant snail or two. Your child will need a packed lunch, lots of drink and a small amount of pocket money for an ice cream.

As there are opportunities for students to purchase snacks and drinks throughout the week, students can bring small amounts of pocket money but we would advise against bringing large amounts of money as we cannot take responsibility for losses. Please make sure that your child has plenty of sun cream for hot weather or rainwear if it is raining as there will be minimum shelter at some of the venues.

Executive Headteacher: Mr D Spalding B.A. (Hons) M.Ed. (Cantab)

Deputy Headteachers: Mr C Bridge B.Sc. (Hons), Mr P Brockington B.Sc. (Hons) M.A., Mrs K Garnham B.A. (Hons) M.A.

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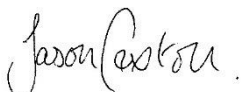
If your child will be eligible for free school meals next summer and you would like us to provide a packed lunch for your child each day, please contact us nearer the time to confirm. A parental consent form will be sent to you after the half term holiday in May 2020; this will enable you to provide us with up to date emergency contact and medical details for your child.

The cost of the excursion week will be **approximately £90.00**. Once we have finalised the amount of students who will be attending this trip we will be able to calculate the final cost; a revised figure will be available on your ParentPay account in due course and you will receive confirmation from our finance department accordingly. A deposit of **£30.00** must be paid between Monday 4 November and Friday 8 November 2019 and this payment should be made via ParentPay.

If you need any assistance with ParentPay, please contact the finance team on ext.153/107 or [finance@aylshamhigh.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:finance@aylshamhigh.norfolk.sch.uk). Please note this deposit is non-refundable and deposits will not be accepted before Monday 4 November. The total amount of approximately £90.00 will need to be paid in full via ParentPay by Monday 6 April 2020.

If you have any questions regarding this activity please do not hesitate to contact either me by email [jsexton@aylshamhigh.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:jsexton@aylshamhigh.norfolk.sch.uk) . If you have any queries regarding activities week please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Wiseman via email [twiseman@aylshamhigh.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:twiseman@aylshamhigh.norfolk.sch.uk). Changes to activity choices will only be considered from Monday 28 October to Thursday 31 October 2019.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jason Sexton". The signature is written in a cursive style with a small flourish at the end.

Jason Sexton