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22<sup>nd</sup> March 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

**Swimming Arrangements for Year 3 Beech Class Children – Summer Term 2023**

I am writing to let you know the arrangements for swimming as part of Year 3's school curriculum. We have been able to book ten half hour sessions at Billingshurst Leisure Centre.

**Equipment:****All children will need:**

- Swimming costume
- Swimming cap (**The Leisure Centre now insist that all children wear a swimming cap for hygiene purposes**).
- Towel
- Suitable footwear for walking from the pool to the changing rooms i.e flip flops, jelly shoes, old sandals
- Comb or brush
- Extra warm top (to save school sweatshirt from getting wet)
- Waterproof bag for these (a strong carrier bag will do)
- **Please note children are responsible for all their belongings.**

**Cost:**

We are asking for a contribution of £3.60 per week, by paying the contribution via the Bromcom MCAS system, this is accepted as consent for your child to attend this trip. Swimming caps can be purchased on MCAS at the cost of £2.

**Travel:**

Children will travel in school time by minibus to Billingshurst Leisure Centre and will be accompanied by staff from school and taught by qualified instructors. The children will be back by lunchtime **on the following Friday morning starting 21<sup>st</sup> April then 28<sup>th</sup> April, 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> May, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> June.**

Yours sincerely

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