

Ormiston SIX VILLAGES ACADEMY



15th July 2022

Dear Six Villages Community

Please find this week's notices below.

Year 8 Thorpe Park Trip - Postponed

The Year 8 trip to Thorpe Park, which was due to be on Monday, has been postponed to **Thursday 15th September**. This is due to the current high temperatures and the lack of available shade at Thorpe Park. I was already concerned by the forecast over the next few days and this decision was then confirmed upon receipt of Trust and DfE guidance recommending that 'children should not take part in vigorous physical activity on very hot days, such as when temperatures are in excess of 30°C.'

All details relating to the trip remain unchanged (other than the date), including timings and mode of transport.

Year 7 Trip to Out of Bounds

We have spoken to Out of Bounds regarding the forecast high temperatures on Tuesday and they have confirmed that a decision can be taken on Monday. We will keep you informed; please be assured that in the event of the trip not proceeding on Tuesday, it will be rescheduled to September.

Gunwharf Quays trips – Years 9 and 10

These trips will proceed as planned.

Sports Day

At the time of writing, the forecast for Wednesday is much cooler so it is our hope that the academic year will be draw to a close with a wonderful day of celebration of sporting activities. However, if the temperatures remain high, this event will not be able to proceed. Whether sports day proceeds or not, please note that the last day of term is a mandatory day for attendance at school and will finish at the usual time of 2.40pm.

Parent Forum

I would like to thank parents and carers for attending the Parent Forum earlier this week. We had very useful discussions on uniform and enrichment and further details will be shared in the new academic year.

Dates for the diary

18/07/22	Year 8 Thorpe Park Trip – Postponed to 15th September Year 9 Gunwharf Trip – Proceeding as planned
19/07/22	Year 10 Gunwharf Trip – Proceeding as planned
19/07/22	Year 7 Out of Bounds Trip – Decision pending weather forecast
20/07/22	Sports Day (subject to weather) and Last day of term
21/07/22	INSET day

Yours faithfully

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