

9<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

## Year 4 residential visit to Lineham Farm Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June to Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June

I am delighted to inform you that, starting this year, the Year 4 children are being offered a residential visit to Lineham Farm. Lineham Farm is a children's centre that offers residential experiences situated near Eccup, north of Leeds. The Farm is surrounded by fields, woods, wetlands and provides children with a huge range of exciting and challenging outdoor activities. Our school will have sole use of the facility during our stay and we will have a unique programme specifically designed to meet our needs.

Residential visits are an important part of our curriculum providing a wealth of educational and social experiences. We intend that this will be a permanent visit for our Year 4's during their time at Hookstone Chase. There will be an information meeting for parents on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 6.30pm for those parents who are interested in their child attending. A member of staff from Lineham Farm will be present to provide further details about the visit.

We anticipate the cost to be £110 and includes all transport, accommodation, meals and activities with fully qualified specialist instructors and any equipment. Following the meeting, we will send out a proforma requesting an initial deposit of £10.00 by Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November. The balance of £100 may be paid as a lump sum or in instalments and we will at that time attach a Schedule of Payments for your information. The Visit will be set up on Parentpay at <a href="https://www.parentpay.com">www.parentpay.com</a>

Yours sincerely

Ann Wheatcroft Headteacher