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Dear Parent/Carer and Skier

SWCHS SKI TRIP, ITALY SATURDAY 11th – SATURDAY 18th FEBRUARY 2017

I am pleased to confirm that your son/daughter has secured a place on the SWCHS 2017 Ski trip. I can now confirm that we will spend the half term in the 4* Hotel Monbosso in Gressoney. A resort in the Aosta Valley approximately 1 ½ hours north of Turin. We have visited this resort on a number of occasions and it should provide us with a good range of skiing for all standards of skiers.

www.monbossohotel.it
www.montarosa-ski.com

I, once again, anticipate an excellent weeks' skiing supplemented by a programme of après ski activities most of which will be included in the price.

The trip will run from Saturday 11th to Saturday 18th February with six full days of skiing. The cost, now confirmed at £1150.00 includes air travel, full board accommodation, airport transfers, ski pass, skis, helmet, boots, poles and insurance.

Not included – Meals en route, spending money, ski clothing (can be hired through SWCHS) or dry slope lessons (1st time skiers only),

A second deposit of £125.00 is required by the end of April, a third £125 by the end of May and then you may choose to follow the monthly payment scheme or pay the full balance by 30th November 2016

Please note that we now have the facility to pay by Wisepay. If you would like to pay this way please log into your account at <http://www.swchs.net/sw/links> and click on the Trips and Visits, Ski Trip 2017, and purchase. You then follow the instructions as you do for dinner money. If you do not know your Wise Pay login details, please contact the school.

You can of course still pay by cash/ cheque (cheques made payable to SWCHS)

NB. It would be very helpful if all cheques could have the skier's name written clearly on the back and cash placed in an envelope clearly marked with your child's name.

There will be little or no correspondence from me regarding the trip until September but you may wish to know that we will:

1. Arrange dry slope lessons for our beginners which take place in January/February 2017
2. Organise a Parents Information Evening – Autumn Term 2016 Date T.B.C (Normally November)
3. Arrange Ski Hire Clothing (details at Information Evening)



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The SWCHS Ski Trip Website <http://swchsski.weebly.com/> will be updated shortly. Please visit the site to view Photos from the 2016 Ski Trip and details for the Ski Trip 2017

Should you need any further information please contact me at school.

Tel: 01799 513030
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I look forward to another successful trip.

Yours sincerely,



C. T. Edwards
Ski Trip Organiser

NB. Parentmail / email will be used wherever possible to pass information but a paper copy will be sent when a response is needed.

Guide to Payment Schedule

(Please retain as payment record and for your information)

1 st Deposit	£150.00	PAID
2 nd Deposit	£125.00	By 30 th April
3 rd Deposit	£125.00	By 31 st May
4 th Payment	£150.00	By 30 th June
5 th “	£150.00	By 31 st July
6 th “	£150.00	By 30 th Sept
7 th “	£150.00	By 31 st Oct
8 th “	£150.00	By 30 th Nov
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