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Dear Parents, Carers,

6 Week Sailing Course for Four Year 5/6 Pupils

I have been offered the opportunity to secure **four places** on a local sailing course for Year 5 and 6 pupils.

The school will cover the cost of the course. Please see details below:

It will run for five weeks on Tuesdays from 4.00-6.30pm, on:

- Tuesday 25th April
- Tuesday 2nd May
- Tuesday 9th May
- Tuesday 16th May
- Tuesday 23rd May
- Participants would commit to attend every session and need to arrive at 3.45pm
- All pupils will gain the level one sailing qualification
- Parents would need to arrange transport to and from Chipstead Sailing Club and would need to be part of a rota of parents with the other participating schools who would commit to providing on shore cover (this would probably only be once for the five-week course). Parents must attend for the first 15 minutes of the first session to hear all about the club's policy's and the 5 week course and organise the rota
- The school would fund this course from the Sports Funding so there would be no fee payable.
- Complete a medical form

The course would include provision of instruction, sailing dinghies and buoyancy aids. The children would have to have their own suitable attire and footwear (at this time of year a shortie wetsuit is advisable, a light rain jacket, and non-slip shoes e.g. old trainers, plus a towel and change of clothing, a snack and drink).

Please click on the link to complete the form https://forms.gle/MufYeG6iGD1a6kVAA if you would be interested in your child participating in this opportunity by Friday 17th March. If a number of pupils are interested we will draw names at random.

By completing this form will give permission for your child to attend and for the adult in charge of the party to give consent on your behalf for any urgent medical treatment, including anaesthetic to be given.

Please register by **Friday 17th March.** If we do not hear from you by this date then we will assume that your child is not able to participate.

















Yours sincerely

Gillian Lovatt-Young Head































