

February 2012

Dear Parents

Netball and Lacrosse Tour to Malta – Tuesday 30 October–Sunday 4 November 2012

We are very excited to announce that current Year 7 and 8 netballers and Year 9 lacrosse players will have the opportunity to go on tour to Malta during the October half term this year. Foreign travel is always a fantastic opportunity to further develop your child's experience, especially as part of a team. This trip will develop and enhance their individual and team skills in preparation for the season ahead.

Date: Tuesday 30 October–Sunday 4 November 2012

Price: £730 per person

The basic cost of the tour includes return economy class flights including all ticketing fees and taxes; return airport transfers in Malta; five nights of full board accommodation at the Topaz Hotel; two coaching sessions; three days of sport against UK and Maltese schools at top class venues with top class officials; stand-by ambulance and on-site medical provision; on-site medical cover at the hotel; harbour cruise; karaoke evening; foam party; quiz night; final party; banquet and disco and an awards ceremony with trophies. The cost of travel insurance is included, provided under the ACE 'Travelcover for Schools' group policy no.UKBCHC39228.

Payment for this trip may be paid through the ParentPay system. To make your payment, simply login to your daughter's account on the ParentPay website (www.parentpay.com) and under the 'Items for payment' select 'Malta Tour 2012' by ticking the box to the left of the item and then click on 'continue' and follow the payment instructions. You may use debit or credit cards to pay for this service. Should you have any problems using the ParentPay system please contact the school via parentpay@claremont.surrey.sch.uk, tel: 01372 473604 or the ParentPay helpline and your query will receive prompt attention.

We understand that the cost is high so we would like to offer the chance to pay in instalments through parent pay:

Deposit (non-refundable) £100 by Friday 2 March.

First instalment: £200 by Friday 4 May.

Second instalment: £200 by Friday 6 July.

Third instalment: £230 by Friday 7 September.

In order to pay for tour kit such as training t-shirts the students and staff involved will be organising some fund raising events, some of which you may wish to be involved in. Likewise, if you would be interested in sponsoring part of the tour, please let me know.

Selection for places will be on ability and commitment to the tour, in particular to fundraising, and we reserve the right to withdraw pupils who do not meet the criteria specified. Contact and medical information will be collated from the school's database. Please return the permission slip below by email to seniorschool@claremont.surrey.sch.uk or by hard copy to Mrs Gardner by Friday 2 March.

There will be an information evening for participants and their parents next term but if you would like further information at this stage please contact me via the email address above.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Louisa Gardner
Head of Girls' PE



To: Mrs Gardner

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I hereby give consent for my daughter to go on the netball and lacrosse tour to Malta at October half term.

I have paid the deposit of £100 via ParentPay. In applying, I confirm that the payment of school fees is completely up to date.

Pupil's name:

Tutor group:

Parent's signature:

Date:

Please return to Mrs Gardner by Friday 2 March



Malta Rally October Half Term 2012 **Basic Itinerary**

	Morning	Afternoon	Evening	
Tuesday 30 October	Meet and depart airport	Arrive and Orientation	Karaoke Night	
Wednesday 31 October	Coaching	Matches	Foam Party	
Thursday 1 November	Coaching	Matches	Quiz Night	
Friday 2 November	Harbour Cruise	Beach trip	Disco	
Saturday 3 November	Tournament	Tournament	Presentation Evening and Disco	
Sunday 4 November	Depart Malta	Arrive back, collection from airport		

Please note this is a draft itinerary. Details will be confirmed.