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**MCS French Trip**

Dear Parents,

We are delighted to inform you that we have some **provisional** details for this year's French trip.

We will be using the well established campsite from previous school trips, Les Mouettes. It's location to the ferry port, the magical Brittany coast & some wonderful educational sites, is a combination difficult to beat.

**Cost:**

<b>Full cost</b>	<b>£230</b>	
Deposit	£50	by Mon. 1 <sup>st</sup> Feb.
Instalment 2:	£70	by Mon. 6 <sup>th</sup> Mar.
Instalment 3:	£65	by Fri. 31 <sup>st</sup> Mar.
Final payment:	£45	Mon. 1 <sup>st</sup> May.

**Date:**

Sun. 2<sup>nd</sup> July to Fri. 7<sup>th</sup> July 2006

**Place:**

Les Mouettes, Carantec, Finisterre, Brittany.  
<http://www.les-mouettes.com/> (10 miles from Roscoff)

**Accommodation:**

A 5-star campsite, with a wonderful pool complex; rapids, serious water slides & swimming pools.

**Facilities:** 4 tennis courts, ping pong tables, football field, basketball court, volleyball court etc.

**Tents:**

Children will need to bring their own, as our Dawlish camping trip for the lower school. They will also need to bring crockery & cutlery, although we will provide the cooking utensils & will cook the meals.

**Places open to:**

Class 5 Alpha upwards



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**French Camping Trip, Reply Slip, reply by Mon. 1<sup>st</sup> Feb.**

I would like my son/daughter to go on the French camping trip on the Sun. 2<sup>nd</sup> July to Fri. 7<sup>th</sup> July 2006

I enclose a (deposit of £50, full **£230**) £ . . . . . (Final payment by Mon. 1<sup>st</sup> May.)

*Would you please pay these payments by cheque, marked with the **child's name** & the **Trip** written on the back.  
Also it is of great help to us if they are not amalgamated with other moneys paid to the school, i.e. a separate cheque.*

If you are not aware of the risks involved or the procedures we put in place to manage these, please ask myself, in person or by e-mail & I will be most happy to describe the activity in greater detail, explaining the potential risks your child will be exposed to.

John@mcs-exeter.co.uk

Childs Name: . . . . .

Parent/Guardian's signature: . . . . .

**Arrival / Departure Times:**

Sun. 2<sup>nd</sup> July

Sun. 20:30hrs depart MCS, arrive at Les Mouettes @ 10:00hrs Mon. in time to try out the wonderful pool complex.

Fri. 7<sup>th</sup> July.

14:30 Break camp, arrive MCS 23:00.

**Activities:**

These will depend on the weather & other factors. The days start early & finish late, we try to cram as much in to our stay as possible, & it has the advantage that tired children get up to less mischief!. We will be cooking a number of traditional Breton dishes; Moules Marinière, Gallettes, Crêpes, Langoustines, artichokes are a few of the dishes on offer.

- Coastal walks, the coast line is astounding.
- Walk to one of the islands close by, across a cause-way. It has a traditional old Breton fishing village & chapel.
- Local towns: Carantec, Morlaix, Roscoff (often overlooked but very beautiful)
- Aquarium at Roscoff (wet weather activity).
- Day trip to the Rose Granite Coast
  - Gaulish Village, run by the French Scouts
  - Planetarium
  - Spectacular cove, with its own warm microclimate
- Traditional French market
- Sea kayaking trip, weather allowing.
- Sailing/windsurfing afternoon, weather allowing, led by French instructors.
- Swimming in the sea.
- Campsite: Tennis, swimming, table tennis, Basket Ball, Orienteering.



**Other details:**

- Individual passports will be needed.
- E111 forms (from the post office) are needed (for health care in France).  
Note these changed & now you receive your own individual insurance card for each member of the family.
- Personal insurance is recommended.  
The school takes out medical insurance for the group, but this will not cover personal possessions or financial reimbursement above medical expenses for injury, a copy of the insurance details are available upon request.
- Pupils would like pocket money (in Euros). We recommend 10€ (about £6) per day
- Entrance costs & meals are included.  
Packed lunch needed for ferry crossing.

Trusting this will be another successful trip.

Kindest regards,

John Jenner B.Ed. Hons Adv. Dip. (IT)



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