Kirkby on Bain Church of England Primary School '*Learning together for life*'



17 January 2018

Dear parents and carers

SWIMMING LESSONS

There are exciting changes to our swimming provision this year. Lessons will now be provided by swimming instructors from JB sports. We have been very happy with their teaching and mentoring in other areas of PE and so look forward to benefitting from their expertise in swimming. We will be using the swimming pool at St Hugh's School, Woodhall Spa. During terms 3 & 4, Willow Class will go swimming on Tuesday mornings starting on **Tuesday 30 January** and ending on **Tuesday 27 March** (no swimming on 13 February).

The school continues to be signed up to the School Swimming Charter which was developed by the Amateur Swimming Association (ASA). This means that the children will work towards specific school swimming milestones and awards will be given accordingly. "Passports" will be given to each child to record their progress. Further information about this can be found by going to <u>www.swimming.org/schoolswimming</u>.

Although the awards the children receive in school are different from the awards received outside of school it would still be useful to know which awards they have achieved outside of school. With this in mind, I would be grateful if you would complete and return the short questionnaire attached to this letter by **Wednesday 24 January**.

The children will be transported to the swimming pool by coach. All children will require a swimming costume (no bikinis please) and towel but will **not** need gels and/or sprays of any kind. Please ensure all items are named. The price per session will be ± 3.60 for each child which includes the lesson and transport to and from the pool. The total cost therefore for all 8 sessions will be ± 28.80 per child. This is a voluntary contribution. All children eligible for free school meals due to benefits received do not need to make a payment as the costs for these pupils will be covered using the school's Pupil Premium grant. Cheques should be made payable to "Lincs County Council" or you can pay on a weekly basis. Please complete and return the form below, signed, with your remittance (if applicable) to the school office at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely

| Miss Georgina Day | | |
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| Headteacher | | |
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| KIRKBY ON B | BAIN CE SCHOOL – WILLOW CLASS SWIMMING (8 SE | ESSIONS) |
| Child's name | Class: Willow | |
| I understand that my child will be go transported to and from the pool by I enclose a cheque/cash for £28.80 j or I wish to pay £3.60 weekly | | nd that they will be 'Lincs County Council" please) |
| or My child is eligible for free school m | neals due to benefits received | |
| Signed | Date | |

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