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## CIRCULAR FOR PARENTS

**Ref No-** Cir/RBS/2018-19/No 53 **To:** Parents (Class 5 and Class 6)

From: The Principal

Subject: Outdoor Educational Camp

Date- 22/10/18

# Dear Parents,

This is to inform you regarding the exciting outbound adventurous and educational camp that we have planned for our primary school students this year.

In order to give our students a broader exposure and an opportunity to learn self management / life skills, the camp has been planned outside Gujarat for 2 nights and 3 days. The camp is planned at Kumbhalgarh in Rajasmand district near Udaipur in state of Rajasthan. The camp will be managed by experts from ANALA Outdoors, apart from our own internal facilitators.

The schedule of the camp is as below:

Programme dates: 22<sup>th</sup> December 2018 to 24<sup>th</sup> December 2018 Departure: 22<sup>nd</sup> December Morning 5:30 am, Saturday from Redbricks Education, Satellite campus Arrival: 24<sup>th</sup> December Night, Monday by 10:00 pm at Redbricks Education, Satellite campus

Please find the details of the camp below.

Kumbhalgarh is situated amidst the undulating hills of the Aravalli ranges. There is a jungle adjoining the historical Kumbhalgarh Fort which was used to shield the fort from invaders. Now it protects the rare species of animals struggling for their survival. Kumbhalgarh is also the birth place of Maharana Pratap, the great king and warrior of Mewar. Kumbhalgarh also has the Second Largest Wall in the world (Over 38 Kilometers).

Haldighati The name 'Haldighati' is believed to have originated from the turmeric coloured yellow soil of the area. The mountain pass is a significant historic location. It is the site of the Battle of Haldighati, which took place in 1576 between the Kingdom of Mewar and the Mughal Army led by king Mansingh.

Camps help students to get away from the daily pressures and fixed schedules of their regular lives. It helps them in many ways such as in becoming more independent, self aware of the world around them, of their own likes and dislikes, and in working with others. Camps also help students to face challenges, take risks, solve problems through real-life adventure.

#### Accommodation ~

Students would be staying in Rooms on 4 to 5 sharing basis separate for boys and girls in a Resort.

#### Food ~

Wholesome and Hygienic vegetarian food will be served.

# Travel Mode ~

Travelling between Ahmedabad to Kumbhalgarh and Haldighati to Ahmedabad by 3x2 Non AC Bus. Travel time is approximately 9 hours - one way.

#### Activities at a glance

- Visit to Kumbhalgarh fort
- Visit to Haldighati
- Evening Jeep Safari in the forest
- Camp fire, music and dance
- Group games

### Things to be carried

- Two pairs of clothes, sweater/ jacket, night dress, canvas or sports shoes, socks, cap, slippers etc.
- Mosquito repellent, torch, water bottle, and sanitary requisites (tooth paste, brush, cold cream, soap, towel etc.)
- Pocket diary & a pen

## Things NOT to be carried

- Cell phone, Video games, I Pod, I Pad or other electronic items
- Playing cards or other games
- Ornaments, watches or any other valuables

Please note the cost to be paid per child for the outdoor educational camp is Rs. 6,320/- including the travel cost.

Kindly send the consent for your child's participation in the camp and attach the consent form duly filled latest by 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018, Friday, along with the payment. The payment is to be made in cheque and sent to the School Counselor / Home Room Teacher. The cheque should be drawn in favor of 'Redbricks Education Foundation'.

The cheque has to be sent with the child in a sealed envelope with a note in the almanac about the same. The name of the child and class should be written on the back of the cheque.

We look forward to all our students participating in this adventurous camp.

Best Regards

Mrs. Mona Vaidya

Principal

Redbricks School (Class 1 to Class 6)