



17 September 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

***Trip to Sandy Park to watch Gloucester v Exeter Chiefs
and England v Australia, Saturday, 24 November 2018***

On Saturday 24 November we are running a trip to Sandy Park, the home ground of the Exeter Chiefs, to watch Gloucester play the Chiefs in the Premiership. Looking at the way both sides have started the season, it's going to be a titanic battle and a most entertaining match.

The game kicks off early at 1pm, to allow the crowd to then watch England play Australia on the big screen at the ground, which we are planning to do. The second match at this double-header never fails to excite, so there will be no shortage of high quality rugby on show during the course of the afternoon.

The coaches will leave School at 8am and return at 8:30pm approximately. When we are within an hour of Gloucester, I'll get the boys to ring home, so that pick-ups can be arranged.

The boys should come prepared for all weathers with warm and waterproof clothing, as there will be a short walk from the coach park to the ground, and in November it can get rather chilly even in the mild South West. They will also need to bring a packed lunch and tea or enough money to buy food; we will be stopping en route and there are plenty of food outlets at the ground.

In order for the trip to take place, it must be self-financing, and so we invite you to make a contribution of £34.50 **per student*** and £51.50 for adults who would like to join. Payment can be made online (Tucasi) or by cheque (**payable to Sir Thomas Rich's School**) or in cash.

If you would like your son or others to attend, please complete the reply slip attached and return to the Finance Office** by Friday, 5 October.

Yours faithfully

Mr Chris Carter, Deputy Headmaster

**Parents on low incomes and in receipt of certain benefits (see School's Charging and Remission Policy) may contact the School for support in meeting the cost. If parents are unable to make the contribution their child will not necessarily be excluded from the visit but it may be cancelled if there are insufficient voluntary contributions.*

*** open to students at break times and lunch time only.*

Headmaster: M S R Morgan BSc (Hons), MA, FRGS

Founded in 1666 as a Bluecoat Hospital

A company limited by guarantee. Registered in England & Wales, company no 7331954

Oakleaze, Gloucester, GL2 0LF
info@strs.org.uk, www.strs.org.uk
01452 338400



Sir Thomas Rich's School: Consent - Off-site Visits

(inc. personal & medical information)

The information being collected on this form is important to ensure that appropriate care and support is available for your child on school visits. We handle all data you provide to us in line with Data Protection Legislation and our own Data Protection Policy.

Description and date of visit:

*Trip to Sandy Park to watch Gloucester v Exeter Chiefs
and England v Australia, Saturday, 24 November 2018*

Name of student: _____ Form: _____

Student Mobile No.: _____

Payment

- ☐ I include payment of **£34.50 per student**
- ☐ I include payment of **£51.50 per adult**
- ☐ I have paid online OR
- ☐ I enclose cash / cheque (**payable to Sir Thomas Rich's School**)

Parental consent

Emergency contact name: _____

Emergency contact number(s): _____

If your child has any medical conditions and/or is taking any medication at present, please give details below:

Signature of Parent: _____ Date: _____

IF YOU WISH TO WITHDRAW YOUR CONSENT, PLEASE CONTACT trips@strs.org.uk.

Thank you.