



# Bishop Wood C of E Junior School

Frogmore Street  
Tring  
HP23 5AU

Tel: 01442 822024  
Fax: 01442 382950

admin@bishopwood.herts.sch.uk  
www.bishopwood.herts.sch.uk

Mr G Stanley, Headteacher

24<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Dear Parents and Carers

Re: Kayaking Club

I am writing to assess the potential interest in a new Kayaking Club next term.

Adrian Titley, who runs the 3 Counties Kayak & Canoe Company, has kindly offered us the chance of a Kayaking Club on the Grand Union Canal at Bulbourne. He ran a club for us last year, which was very well received.

This time the children will work towards a nationally recognised British Canoeing Award called ‘Paddle Power’.

The club will have a maximum of 10 pupils and will be offered on a first come first served basis to all pupils in years 4, 5 and 6. The club will run for 5 weeks and take place on a Wednesday afterschool potentially starting on June 6<sup>th</sup>.

Once we know numbers and the year groups of those who would like to join the club we can confirm the dates and the exact cost per session. We expect the cost to be between £5 and £9 depending on numbers. Parents will be responsible for transporting the children to and from Bulbourne.

Children will spend approximately one hour on the water and should be physically strong enough to cope with a kayak in high wind. They will need to wear waterproof clothing, and suitable footwear (plimsolls are good). All boats, paddles and buoyancy aids will be provided.

Adrian is a fully qualified national coach. He will carry out all instruction together with an experienced assistant. . A member of Bishop Wood staff will also be present at all times.

If you think your child may be interested in this club, please can you fill out the slip below and return it to school before **Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May**. Alternatively, an e-mail registration of interest will be fine. Costs, dates and further information will then be supplied to parents.

Yours sincerely,  
**Megan Francis**

---

**Please return slip to school office.**

Child’s name: \_\_\_\_\_ class: \_\_\_\_\_

My child would like to take part in the proposed kayaking club next term.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

