

KELSO MINI RUGBY CLUB

AYR TOUR 23RD APRIL to 25TH APRIL 2010

INFORMATION SHEET

LOCATION

HAVEN, CRAIG TARA, HOLIDAY PARK, AYR. Tel no 01292265141

Accommodation is in 6 bedded apartments, Most rooms will contain 1 adult and 3 players. The adult will be responsible for the supervision and welfare of his players for the duration of the tour. As far as possible we have allocated accommodation with parents and friends. Rooming list will be finalised prior to departure.

ITINERARY

Friday 23rd April .

Leave Kelso High School car park at 4.45pm sharp. The tourists should already have had their evening meal. They may bring snack to eat on the journey.

Saturday 24th April

Morning – Breakfast and then travel to Marr for rugby match with an 11.00am kickoff, Lunch at Marr.

Afternoon – Swimming in the ‘wondersplash’ pool and other activities at Crag Tara. Evening Meal and then– Show time and party time in the family show bars. Fathers and coaches to wear a LOUD shirt for the evening.

Sunday 25th April

Breakfast and then travel to Hillhead Jordon, Glasgow, and play in their tournament (8 teams in total) kickoff at 11.30am and finished approx 2.00pm with food provided. We should arrive back in Kelso approx 5.30pm.

BEHAVIOUR

Whilst on tour we expect all the players to act as good ambassadors for Kelso Rugby Club and we expect them to behave accordingly. Please stress to your child the importance of good and sensible behaviour.

TRAVEL

The Tour party of 50 players and 19 adults will travel in two Munros coaches. Please stress to your child that we will insist on them sitting down with seat belts on at all times during the bus journeys. If your child is a bad traveller, please ensure the appropriate travel pill has been taken before we leave, and that he/she has a supply for return journeys.

COST

The tour cost has been held this year and is £25 for players and £30 for adults, this excellent price is due to the excellent fund raising activities, which were held throughout the season.

CLOTHING

Tour uniform will be the club tracksuit and /or Cougar tour polo shirt. This should be worn most of the time around the camp.

Rugby kit should be taken for game on Saturday and if possible a second set for the games on Sunday. We will be laundering the rugby shirts after game at Marr so any players kit that requires to be washed for Sunday games will be .

Please ensure that all clothes and kit are marked with the players name or initials.

This particularly important for kit that requires to be washed !!

For evening, jeans, sweatshirts, etc may be taken in minimum quantities. A warm jacket should be taken, as it can be quite cold on the west coast at the end of April. Suitable nightwear and toiletries are also required, along with a towel.

ACTIVITIES

There are a number of activities at Craig Tara, which the players can enjoy on the Saturday afternoon. Some of the activities are free, although you pay for others. the highlight is the ‘wondersplash’, which is free, and therefore swimming costumes should be packed for players who like to swim. Other activities like Go Carting, Crazy Golf and Ten Pin Bowling all incur charges.

POCKET MONEY

Each child should take approximately £40. This will cover incidental expenses such as the activities that have to be paid for, plus juice and crisps in the evening.

MOBILE PHONES

Children are not permitted to take mobile phones on tour, this follows various problems in the past years, whereby certain individuals were making calls late at night, even going as far as getting people out of bed, we only managed to avert police intervention a couple of years ago and have no wish to land in the same situation again.

SUPERVISION

As previously mentioned the players will be supervised by their Room adult and will not be allowed to wander around unsupervised.

CONTACTS

The contacts for the tour in the event of emergencies ect. are ;

Wullie Mallen 07977891048

Ivor Hill 07818559514

Neil Thomson 07779145191

We are all looking forward to the tour, which will be a great experience for the players (and some of the adults).

If you have any queries regarding tour please do not hesitate to ask.