



Dear Parents

VISIT TO THE MINACK THEATRE – THURSDAY 14TH JUNE

This year's Minack visit for the Year 3 and Year 5 children will take place on Thursday 14th June. This trip is not compulsory but in the past has proved very, very popular, with almost all of the children making the most of this fantastic opportunity. The production this time will be 'Doctor Dolittle'.

"Dr John Dolittle of Puddleby-on-the-Marsh starts out as a human doctor. But once he is taught by his wise old parrot Polynesia how to talk to animals he becomes the most celebrated veterinary doctor in England. Word of his skills spreads and animals across the world send messages asking for his help.

So he buys a leaky old ship and, together with his trusty pet-crew of Jip the dog, Chee-Chee the monkey, Dab-Dab the Duck and permanently hungry Gub-Gub the pig, sets forth on a mission to heal illness, right wrongs and gain a greater understanding of the animal kingdom".



The children will leave Penpol school at 11.15am and get to the Minack in time to have their lunch before the show begins. **We would expect to leave the Minack by 3.45pm and arrive back to school at approximately 4.45pm (this obviously depends greatly on the traffic).** Depending on the weather, the children will need either a raincoat, or sunhat and sun cream! They will also need to take a packed lunch and plenty to drink. (Children may also take £2 spending money if they wish to purchase an ice-cream). We will travel to the Minack Theatre in two Williams Travel coaches.

The cost of this outing will be £10 per pupil. If your child wishes to reserve a place, please sign the slip below and return it to school **by Friday 8th June**, along with your payment of £10. **Even if your child does not wish to participate in this visit, please indicate this on the slip below and return it to school.** (We will then be sure everyone has seen this letter and had an opportunity to book a place).

Yours sincerely

Mr C Chislett – Head Teacher

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NAME OF CHILD CLASS

YES - I enclose my payment of £10 to reserve my child's place on the Minack trip, taking place on Thursday 14th June. Are there any special circumstances that need consideration or treatment? YES/NO
If YES, please provide brief details on the reverse of this slip.

NO – My child does NOT wish to participate in the visit to the Minack Theatre.

Signed Parent/Guardian

EMERGENCY CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER

PLEASE RETURN PERMISSION SLIP (AND PAYMENT) TO THE OFFICE BY FRIDAY 8TH JUNE

(Please remember all slips need to be returned even if your child does not wish to participate