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Headteacher Lynn Harrison**

17<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Dear Parents,

I am very pleased to share with you the details of our forthcoming visit to Beamish on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023.

Details

We will be taking all children who attend school on a Friday to this amazing living museum.

Depart school at **8.30am prompt** so please have pupils in school for **8.15am**.  
Arrive back at school at **4.15pm (traffic dependant)**. Keep an eye on the school app for any traffic updates.

Pupils to wear school uniform polos and sweatshirts, with warm trousers (jeans, joggers or leggings etc) and comfortable shoes suitable for lots of walking, They will also need to have a waterproof coat as much of the visit is outside.  
Children to bring their own packed lunch and drinks, which must be in a rucksack as they will have to keep this with them, (the usual packed lunch guidelines do not apply on this school visit, but no fizzy drinks or glass bottles please).

There *may be* the opportunity to visit the gift shop or sweet shop, but only if time allows. You may send in spending money, which again must be kept in your child’s rucksack.

There is absolutely no cost for this visit. The PTA will cover the transport costs and the entrance costs have been covered by a kind donation from the Moscrops family. The Rotary club recently used their land for a charity event and donated a percentage of the takings to go to a charity of their choice. As Grace is now in year 6 and her older brothers, Stephen and Mark have been through school, they wanted to give something back and chose Irthington School as the recipient! So, a big thank you from everyone at our school to the Moscrops for their generosity.

Please complete and send in the consent form to school as soon as possible to allow us to finalise the trip details.

Yours sincerely,

Lynn Harrison

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I consent for my child ..... to attend the visit to Beamish  
Museum on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023 signed .....