



# Fulford School

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Ref: SJ/JW

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Dear Parent/Carer

## **Re: PE Trip to the Wimbledon Tennis Championships –Friday 6<sup>th</sup> & Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

I am writing to tell you about this unique opportunity for your son/daughter to attend the world's premier Grand Slam Tennis Championships at Wimbledon. Your child can be there, soaking up the atmosphere and watching the action on No 2 Court, if they choose to attend.

As well as watching the action courtside, your child can join the crowds on 'Henman Hill' or 'Murray Mount', as it is increasingly known, and watch play on Centre Court on the huge TV screen.

We will travel down to Wimbledon on **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July returning on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2018**. The price per student includes:

- Two days' coach travel, including pick-up and drop-off at Fulford School
- One night's accommodation at a good standard hotel
- Continental breakfast
- One day Ground Pass admission; No 2 Court ticket for The Championships
- Wimbledon Tour
- Services of a Sport Experiences Tour Manager

### **Example Itinerary:**

#### **Day One**

Early morning travel to Wimbledon. We plan to arrive late morning, in good time to see play commence, which is normally around 1pm or 2pm on No.1 Court, and generally a little earlier on No.2 and No.3 Courts and the outside courts. The Championships' scheduling and how the weather has been during the previous days will determine exactly which matches are played on each court. However, whatever matches you see, you are sure to be amazed at the incredible quality and speed of the tennis!

At the close of play, which can be at any time between 6.30pm and 8.30pm, dependent on the number and length of the matches to be played, you will be transferred to your overnight accommodation after an early dinner (not included in the price).

#### **Day Two**

After breakfast at the hotel we will start the day with breakfast and then a trip to Covent Garden where we can look around the shops and have lunch. Students will need spending money for the trip. We will head home early afternoon and should arrive back at Fulford School during the evening.

As you can imagine this will be a very popular trip and I expect there to be a lot of interest from Year 9 students. Your child has been selected due to their passion and dedication for sport, having chosen to continue with Physical Education at GCSE level.

We decided that this was the fairest way initially to select the 50 pupils to go on the trip. However, if there are not enough students have chosen GCSE PE to fill the places we will be opening the trip to committed sports students also. The deadline for the deposits to be in for the invited pupils is **20 April 2018**. If this deadline is not met, we will open the trip to other students in the year group and draw names out of a hat.

**The cost of the trip will be £215.50** and this will cover what is detailed above. I will contact you again when your child has secured a place.

If you would like your child to go, please could you fill in the form below and send it back, along with **the payment of £215.50 (cheques made payable to Fulford School Fund)**. This must be handed into the **school office no later than the end of the day on 20<sup>th</sup> April**. I will then notify all pupils and offer out the remaining places as required.

All students have access to our extra-curricular activities and reasonable adjustments will be made to ensure each student's full inclusion in this trip. Please contact Mr Bodey, Deputy Headteacher, if you think that this may be needed for your child.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Shona Jagger  
**Head of Girls' PE**

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I/We would like my/our son/daughter to take part in the above.

Name: ..... Form: .....

Parent/Carer: ..... Date: .....

***Please return this reply slip to the School Office by 20<sup>th</sup> April.***