

# Brenscombe Outdoor Education Centre



June 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> 2019

# Accommodation



### Top Barn

Shottermill 10-14 June

Total: 161/ 168 inc Z beds

R5 (6 Beds)	R4 (6 Beds)	R3 (6 Beds)	R2 (6 Beds)	R1(2Bed)	Toilets	<div>Total: 46 beds 53 inc <u>Zbeds</u></div>
R6 (6 Beds)	R7 (6 Beds)	R8 (6 Beds)	R9 (2 Beds)	Showers		

### Long Barn

R15 (4 Beds)	R14 (4 Beds)	R13 (4 Beds)	R12 (4 Beds)	R11 (4 Beds)	R10 (2 Beds)
					Total: 42 beds
R16 (4 beds)	R17 (4 Beds)	R18 (4 Beds)	R19 (4 Beds)	R20 (4 Beds)	Toilet

### Upper Barn/ Hayloft

R21 (1Bed)	<div>Total: 11 beds</div>	Toilet
R22 (2 Beds)	R23 (4 Beds)	R24 (4 Beds)

Tota:  
15 beds



# Travel

- Coach travel to Dorset.
- Brenscombe minibus travel provided between activities.



# Medication

- All medication should be handed to staff on the morning of departure. Please ensure that this is in its original packaging, clearly named and with clear instructions of dosage provided.
- We will carry basic supplies within our first aid kits, including general pain killers, Piriton for mild allergies such as hayfever, plasters etc.
- All parents are required to fill out permission forms and provide accurate and up to date medical information.
- Inhalers – please provide 2



# Money

- During the visit we will spend some time shopping in Swanage and there is also a tuck shop that is available onsite.
- Children may bring £5 in coins to spend on the trip.
- Please provide a secure purse / wallet which is named and hand this to staff on the morning of departure.

# Food

- All allergies will be catered for – please inform us of these on the medical forms.
- Cereal and cooked breakfast offered.
- Packed lunch: drink, sandwich/baguette, biscuit, crisps and fruit.
- Home-made, wholesome, delicious meals which children will enjoy!



# Activities – Speed Boat





# Archery and Pioneering



# Abseiling and Rock Climbing

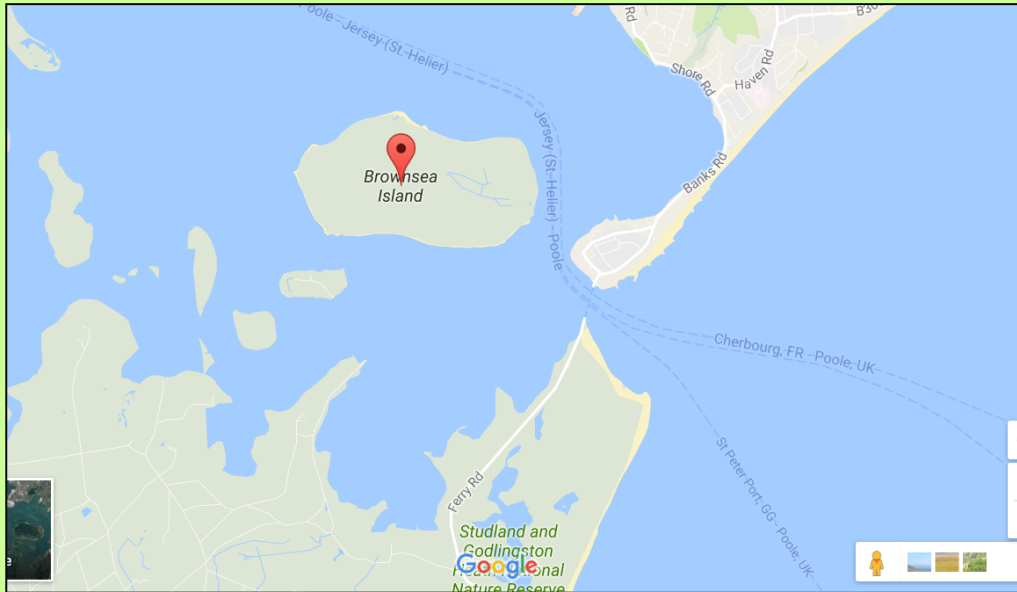




# High and Low Ropes



# Big Canoe to Brownsea Island



Brenscombe is lucky enough to have exclusive access to a lovely spit of land right on the edge of Poole Harbour at Cleavel Point. This is where we will board our canoes to travel to Brownsea Island for the day. **We won't be staying on the island this year.**



# Teacher Led Activities



# Raft Building



# Weather

- On rare occasions the weather has been too bad to allow an activity to go ahead e.g. strong winds on Swanage Bay may stop the speed boat activity.
- Where this happens, the Brenscombe Team will try to change the activities around but sometimes this is not possible. No refunds can be made in these circumstances.



# Clothes - we have a very specific kit list!

- Shoes, shoes and more shoes! **No wellies please.**
- No strappy t-shirts or vest tops
- Plenty of layers which dry easily (not too heavy if wet)
- Trousers/flexible/bendy! **No jeans please.**
- All items labelled
- Squashable suitcase / holdal!
- Medium sized day rucksack
- If possible, two waterproof jackets are helpful
- No spray deodorants please.





# TLC



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# Behaviour

- All of the activities are centred on choice and challenge and there is an element of risk in all of them.
- The instructors will expect the children to listen, walk and do as they are told - first time.
- Children will not take part in activities if they are acting in an unsafe manner.
- We will request that parents come and collect any child who continually misbehaves.

# Day 1

- Medium sized day ruck-sack (side pocket for inhalers)
  - Packed lunch
  - Waterproof jacket
  - Sun cream
  - Refillable water bottle - named
  - Sunhat
  - Camera (inexpensive!)
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- Money (to be handed to staff in the morning)
  - Medication (to be handed to staff in the morning)

# Last Day

- 2.00pm return

