



# ASH MANOR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Carer

## **Ski Journey 2020 – Saalbach, Austria** **Friday 03<sup>rd</sup> April 2020 to Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2020**

During the Easter holidays 2018, Ash Manor School took 36 students on a ski-ing trip to Saalbach, Austria.

Following the success of this trip, we would like to offer this experience to both beginners and more experienced skiers during the Easter holidays in 2020.

The trip provides students with a fantastic opportunity to not only to develop their ability to ski, but also their social skills and to be able to experience the culture of a different country. The trip will also enable students studying GCSE Physical Education to be assessed in skiing as one of their practical activities.

The company chosen to organise our journey is PGL; a company we have used previously and trust entirely. As always, we will be liaising closely with Surrey County Council to ensure that their strict ski journey guidelines are followed appropriately.

### **Location:**

This time we will be staying at Jugendpension Mullauerhof in Saalbach, Austria. The pension has excellent facilities including a Sports Hall, table tennis and table football rooms and a well-equipped Multi-media room. It is also ideally located in the resort being a short walk to the ski slopes, which cater for all abilities. Please click the link below to see Jugendpension Mullauerhof  
[Hotel details](#)

### **Cost:**

The cost of the journey will be **£935** to include transport to and from the resort by coach; full board accommodation;

- 6 days x 5 hours ski tuition
- Ski equipment and helmet hire
- Lift pass
- Insurance
- Evening entertainment.

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Extra money will be required for dry slope ski lessons prior to departure (approximately£45) clothing (although it is possible to hire or borrow items), and some spending money for drinks, souvenirs etc during the journey.

### Evening Entertainments:

As well as a full programme on the slopes, we organise a full evening programme that balances keeping the students well rested for skiing the following day and ensuring the students take advantage of the local sights. Typical evening entertainments for the week may be:

<b>Saturday</b>	Ski fit and settling into hotel
<b>Sunday</b>	Quiz Night
<b>Monday</b>	Swimming
<b>Tuesday</b>	Movie Night
<b>Wednesday</b>	Ice Hockey match
<b>Thursday</b>	Dinner out, with staff and students in themed fancy dress
<b>Friday</b>	Departure following dinner

### Ski Clothing:

Ski jackets, trousers and socks can be expensive, however there are shops that sell quality clothing at a reasonable price. By shopping at Lidl, Aldi, Tesco, Mountain Warehouse or using eBay you can easily purchase a complete set of clothing for under £50.

Should you wish for your child to be considered for a place on the journey, please complete and return the attached reply slip with a **non-refundable** deposit of £100.00 (cheques made payable to Ash Manor School) or payment can be made via Wisepay, by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018. We fully understand the financial demands of this trip and in order to make it achievable, we have decided to spread the payments over a longer period of time.

**Payment schedule:**

Payment	Date	Amount
Deposit	22 <sup>nd</sup> June 18	£100.00
1 <sup>st</sup> Payment	30 <sup>th</sup> July 18	£70.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> payment	31 <sup>st</sup> Aug 18	£51.00
3 <sup>rd</sup> payment	30 <sup>th</sup> Sept 18	£51.00
4 <sup>th</sup> payment	30 <sup>th</sup> Oct 18	£51.00
5 <sup>th</sup> payment	30 <sup>th</sup> Nov 18	£51.00
No Payment	31 <sup>st</sup> Dec 18	0.00
No payment	31 <sup>st</sup> Jan 19	0.00
6 <sup>th</sup> payment	28 <sup>th</sup> Feb 19	£51.00
7 <sup>th</sup> payment	31 <sup>st</sup> March 19	£51.00
8 <sup>th</sup> payment	30 <sup>th</sup> April 19	£51.00
9 <sup>th</sup> payment	30 <sup>th</sup> May 19	£51.00
10 <sup>th</sup> payment	30 <sup>th</sup> June 19	£51.00
11 <sup>th</sup> payment	31 <sup>st</sup> July 19	£51.00
12 <sup>th</sup> payment	31 <sup>st</sup> Aug 19	£51.00
13 <sup>th</sup> payment	30 <sup>th</sup> Sept 19	£51.00
14 <sup>th</sup> payment	31 <sup>st</sup> Oct 19	£51.00
15 <sup>th</sup> payment	30 <sup>th</sup> Nov 19	£51.00
16 <sup>th</sup> payment (final)	31 <sup>st</sup> Dec 19	£51.00
<b>TOTAL COST</b>		<b>£935.00</b>

Should you require any additional information at this stage, please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours faithfully

Mr N Rooney  
 PE Coach/Ski Trip Co-Ordinator  
 nrooney@ashmanorschool.com

## Please return this reply slip to Mr Rooney via Main Reception

Name of Visit: Ski Trip 2020 Austria

Date: Easter Holidays 2020  
Fri 03<sup>rd</sup> – Sat 11<sup>th</sup> April 2020

Student Name:

Reg Group:

\*I confirm that I wish my son/daughter to take part in the above visit.

\*I do not wish my son/daughter to take part in this visit.

**Please delete as applicable**

**\*I confirm that I have informed the School of any amendments to my contact details or my child's medical information (if necessary).**

I enclose the sum of £ (if applicable)

Payment is enclosed by way of:

- Cheque (cheques made payable to Ash Manor School)
- Wisepay
- Cash

Signed.....  
Parent/Carer

Dated.....

Print Name.....