



March 2024

Dear Parents,

Headteacher - Patrick Earnshaw
Deputy Headteacher - Mathew Downs

Final - Ski Trip to Italy 30th March 2024 – 6th April 2024

Final travel plan		
Departure		
Coach leaves Highcliffe School	13:00	30 th March 2024
Ferry departs	19:05	
Arrive Pila	12:00	31 st March 2024
Return		
Coach leaves Pila	18:00	5 th April 2024
Ferry departs	08:20	6 th April 2024
Arrive Highcliffe School	12:30	
(We will try and catch an earlier ferry as per previous years)		

Luggage space on all vehicles is strictly limited and passengers must bring **soft holdall style luggage bags**. The company will not accept responsibility if the group carries excessive baggage which exceeds the capacity of the hold. One such 'suitcase' and one piece of hand luggage should be sufficient.

Parents bring their child into school at 12:15 on Saturday 30th March. Parents are asked to use the staff car park and keep the coach/bus area free for the coaches. Please also be mindful of the needs of the local residents. Students should assemble in the hard-court area by MA10 / MA11, together with their luggage. They must make sure that they do not leave their luggage unattended. If there are any problems with these arrangements, you should let one of the ski team know.

On our return to Highcliffe, parents can use the staff car park, but please keep the coach/bus area completely free for the return of the coaches. Please be sympathetic to the needs of the local residents when collecting your children.

On arrival in Pila, we may go straight to get boots and skis fitted, or we may go to the hotel. Whichever one comes first, the other will follow. Rooms will also be allocated, and before bedtime, there will be a fire drill.

The school mobile will be based at the hotels.

S Hallam	(Hotel - Etoile du Norde, Coach 1)	07375337966
K Guerrini	(Hotel – Etoile du Norde, Coach 2)	07976798858
E Davies	(Hotel – Des Roses, Coach 3)	07375368576

Kind regards,

Mr Hallam
Trip Leader