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HORSFORTH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TOUR 2025 TO HOLLAND

Dear Parent / Carer,

I am delighted to be able to invite your child to take part in a Football tour to Holland 2025. This is a great opportunity for the students of our School to receive high quality coaching in Football and to compete against local Schools in Holland.

This tour is a great opportunity for students who have a passion in football, with exemplary behaviour and good ALT's. Following twelve very successful Sports Tours to Spain, Italy and Malta and South Africa, we would like to add to this and give students this great opportunity.

The Football Tour 2025 will take place from **April 4 to April 8 2025 in Holland**. The tour will be priced at **£700 all-inclusive per person**.

The tour is targeted at students in Years 9 in the current academic year who enjoy PE, and who have a huge interest in football. Please [click here](#) for the link to our website to sign up and complete the required information. If the link above doesn't work, please right click the link and copy and paste hyperlink into your web browser.

The tour will include:

Friday 04 April

Meet at school, board your coach, and transfer to Port of Hull, where you will start your overnight journey to Amsterdam via your ferry crossing. Overnight: Ferry Cabin

Saturday 05 April

Enjoy breakfast onboard your ferry before you arrive at Rotterdam. Upon arrival, board your coach and initially, you will enjoy a 75-minute Amsterdam Pancake Cruise on the IJ River.

Afterward, you will play your first matches of the tour.

Once the matches have finished, enjoy a post-match meal and then transfer to your accommodation where you will be based for the duration of your tour. Overnight: Stayokay Amsterdam Oost

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Sunday 06 April

This morning, you will take part in a Pro Coaching Session at Feyenoord FC, (or similar) with a professional Academy Coach.

Later, you may wish to visit Zaanse Schans, a neighborhood in the Dutch town of Zaandam, near Amsterdam. Historic windmills and distinctive green wooden houses were relocated here to recreate the look of an 18th/19th-century village. The Zaan Museum has regional costumes, model windmills, and interactive exhibits on chocolate making. Artisan workshops demonstrate rare handicrafts such as wooden clog carving, barrel making, and pewter casting.

At an agreed time, this afternoon, you will play your final matches of the tour. Enjoy getting to know your opponents afterward, along with a post-match meal and return to your accommodation. Overnight: Stayokay Amsterdam Oost

Monday 07 April

After breakfast check out of your accommodation and head out to enjoy a Johan Cruyff Arena Stadium Tour, which is home to Ajax FC and is an impressive stadium that has hosted huge international sporting and cultural events.

At an agreed time this afternoon, you will head to Rotterdam where you will board your overnight ferry back to the UK. Overnight: Ferry Cabin

Tuesday 08 April

Included for you this morning is Breakfast onboard your ferry. Upon arrival at Port of Hull, board your coach and transfer back to school where you will collect your bags and disperse home.

(Itinerary subject to change)

There is a **limit of 30** places available. Places will be allocated through a random lottery which will be done on 19/04/24. **All forms via the link above must be completed by that date.** A reserve list will be kept thereafter for those unsuccessful in the draw. A letter regarding deposit of £150 and further payment will be sent out once we have received the online form and done the draw. We will be presenting the sports tour in assembly this week with Year 9 pupils.

If you have any questions about the trip, do not hesitate to contact school via the info email address or speak directly with Mr Steele/Miss Schofield.

Thank you,

Ben Steele
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