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Dear Parents/Carers,

On **Thursday 12th July**, we would like to take the children to a **'Connect with the Countryside Day**' at the South of England showground in Ardingly. On this day the children will have the opportunity to meet farm animals, learn about the training that takes place on a farm, as well as taking part in traditional Sussex crafts. This is a wonderful opportunity for the children and will give them a greater understanding of our local area.

In order to keep costs to a minimum we are asking parents to drive the children to the showground and pick them up. If we can get 6 parents to take four children in their car, then the rest of the children can travel in staff cars. Of course if you take children to the showground, you will be more than welcome to stay and take part in many of the activities on offer.

For the trip the children will not be required to wear school uniform but must ensure they are wearing comfortable shoes and have a waterproof coat. The children will also need to bring a packed lunch, preferably in a disposable bag, so that they do not have to bring it back with them. If you child has a hot lunch this day please could you cancel this directly with Chartwells.

Please complete the attached consent and reply slip, return to this office by Friday 27th April.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Laura Sandon-Webb

Deputy Head/Elm Class Teacher

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Countryside Show on Thursday 12th July

