



Newbold & Tredington C of E Primary School and Day Nursery
Creating a chance to SHINE everyday

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Dear Parent/Carer,

As you are aware Warwickshire County Council will cease providing an escort on the Newbold to Tredington bus and its return journey, from Easter. As a school we are concerned about many issues that are related to not having an extra adult on the bus. We regularly put thirty children on the bus and we are not happy that having only one adult on the bus (the driver) is safe.

We have decided that as a school we should continue the service currently running by employing an escort for this service. I have approached Katie Lomas and she is happy to continue travelling with the children in a morning and in an evening.

This expense will be at the cost of the school and is a substantial amount of money that we will have to allocate out of an already overstretched budget. This is why I am writing to appeal to all the parents that use the service for a voluntary contribution towards the cost of employing the escort.

A suggested cost of £100 per child per year however, any contribution would be gratefully received. I appreciate that this may seem a lot of money, however when you break it down, the cost is 26p per journey. (based on 38 weeks for school and two journeys a day).

Ideally donations should either be made annually or termly from the first day back after the Easter holidays. (Monday 29th April 2019).

Donations should be sent to school in a labelled envelope "Bus Escort Donation" or by BACS with a reference to the bus.

BACS

Account name: WCC Newbold and Tredington C of E Primary School

Sort Code: 30-98-26

Account number: 60236360

Many thanks with your support in this difficult matter,

Sam Welsby

Mrs S Welsby
Head teacher

School Games Award 2016/17



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