



St Mary's Church of England Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers

Year 6 Guildford & Waverley Junior Citizen Child Safety Event June 2025

Junior Citizen is a multi-agency safety event aimed at Year 6 children (10 to 11 year olds) designed to provide children with life skills that will enable them to keep themselves and others safe. It is generally accepted that children start to become more independent at this age and are often expected to cope increasingly on their own and deal with changes in their lives, such as a move to Secondary school. The aim of our Junior Citizen event is to raise each participant's awareness of threats and dangers, in a fun and interactive way.

The event is taking place on **Friday 20th June 2025**. The event will be hosted at Guildford Spectrum Leisure Complex. Representatives from the Emergency Services and local agencies will be delivering a diverse range of scenarios.

The total cost of the event will be **£11.55**, and this includes the cost of the coach and entry to the event. We invite you to make a voluntary contribution towards this trip, which can be paid online by **Monday 19th May**. If you are unable to contribute for any reason, please speak to Mrs Evans in confidence.

If we do not receive enough contributions towards the cost of the trip we will inevitably have to cancel. As this is such an exciting opportunity to enhance the curriculum this course of action would be a great shame. *Please note that payment in Scopay will act as your consent for your child to take part.*

To help the children have an enjoyable day we thought we should remind you of some of the things they will need:

- A packed lunch with a drink is required in a backpack (no glass bottles, fizzy drinks or any food containing nuts please).
- Children will be in normal school uniform and must have a waterproof coat.

We will be travelling by coach leaving promptly at 12:15pm and will be back at St. Mary's, traffic permitting, at approximately 3.20p.m. Please bear with us if we are a little late returning and ensure you make any necessary arrangements in advance in case the coach is delayed. If we anticipate a late return, you will be notified by text message.

Yours sincerely

Miss E Hampshire
Class Teacher

Through humility, courage and devotion we blossom and grow

