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5<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Dear Parents,

**RE: Open Water Swimming**

As part of the school swim offer, your child will be taking part in an open water school swimming session on **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July**. Children who can swim over 25 metres will be taking part in a combination of open water swimming and water safety skills, including personal survival and self-rescue. We will also be providing the opportunity for children who are developing their water confidence and are not able to swim 25 metres to take part in a mixture of confidence building water-based activities.

Each child will need: a swimming costume, full wetsuit (if you have one, wetsuits will be made available if not), wetsuit shoes or old trainers, towel, goggles, change of clothes, a drink and a snack. We will be returning to school for lunch.

This session will be taking place at The Children's Sailing Trust new purpose-built activity centre at the Trevassack Lake site, Garras. The session is part of the PE curriculum and supports your child to be both water safe and confident by the end of primary school and the £36 per person cost is being met through the Government's Sports Premium Funding given to every school to develop their PE and active lifestyles provision.

Please complete and return the permission slip below by Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July.

Yours Sincerely

Matt Birchall

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Child Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Sithney CP School Parental Consent 2023**

Please return with attached Parental Consent Form. This will be kept for the duration of the sessions to enable emergency contact.

*In the event of an emergency we will be referring to the Parental Consent Form that you completed for use during this academic year, commencing September 2022. If there have been changes to any information you have submitted about your contact details or your child's medical needs, then please request a replacement form from reception. This must be submitted prior to the visit.*

- There have been no changes to my contact details or my child's medical needs.*  
 *There have been changes to my contact details or my child's medical needs and I have requested a replacement form from reception which will be submitted prior to the trip.*

I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the open water swimming sessions on 7th July 2023.

I have completed the Children's Sailing Trust online permission slip.