



# Holiday Getaway on St Damian's Waves Share & Reward Day 2022

Departure date - Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2022

## Ahoy there!

As you all know St Damian's Share and Reward Day is always one of the highlights of our calendar and this year we want it to be a very memorable day for our great children here at St Damian's.

We would like to invite pupils to embark on our Cruise Ship, 'St Damian's Waves' and voyage across the water to various ports of call. During the day we will also take a shore excursion to participate in the Share Day traditional walk up to Hartshead Pike.

Pupils will be able to visit places such as England, Ireland, Spain, France, Ibiza, Australia, Caribbean, Sweden and enjoy activities such as:

- ⚓ Trying your luck on the Rodeo Bull in Spain
- ⚓ Surfing on the waves in Australia
- ⚓ Dancing to the tunes in Ibiza
- ⚓ Enjoying the steel band music and cold drinks in the Caribbean
- ⚓ Shooting basketball hoops in America
- ⚓ Visiting the fairground in England
- ⚓ Eating Pizza in Italy



We are asking for a voluntary donation of £10.00 per pupil via Pay360. Any proceeds from the day will be donated to St Damian's chosen charity for 2022 – Teenage Cancer Trust and Bowelbabe Fund for Cancer Research.

On board St Damian's Waves pupils can purchase and stock up on refreshments such as hotdogs, popcorn, candy floss, ice-cream, chocolate fountain and drinks. So, don't let them forget their currency!

Pupils are invited to wear fancy dress in keeping with our theme, "Holiday Vibes" and be our captains, sailors, air stewards or holiday guests. However, we ask parents to ensure that, in keeping with our Catholic ethos, pupils do not dress up using items that may cause offence to other traditional cultures and your child is **dressed appropriately** for this special event. St Damian's reserves the right to send any pupil home who does not adhere to this requirement.

For health and safety requirements on the day we ask that:

- All pupils wear sensible footwear suitable for the trail up to Hartshead Pike and have any medication needed with them. The walk will be fully supervised with staff marshalling as well as walking with the pupils.
- All pupils wear a hat/sunscreen if the weather is warm or warm clothes or waterproofs if the weather is poor
- All pupils must have a drink for the excursion to keep them hydrated (there will be water stations along the route and first aiders)
- All pupils must be aware of any allergies and skin sensitivity before taking part in face painting or purchasing refreshments.
- All pupils behave appropriately

NB: Please contact school if you do not want your child to take part in this event

We believe that our fantastic pupils deserve a day of fun and celebration whilst also raising money for charity! We thank you for your continued support and we are hoping that this day will be a holiday of a lifetime!

Yours sincerely

Captain Logue 

