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29 January 2020

Dear Parent/Guardian

DEBATING COMPETITION IN TAUNTON – Monday 3 February 2020

Your son has been selected to represent the school in the preliminary round of the Oxford Union Schools Debating Competition on Monday 3 February 2020. The round is to be held at King's School, Taunton from 4.30 to c8.00 pm.

We will be leaving BWS at 3.00 pm, travelling in private cars, and would expect to return to Salisbury at about 9.30 pm. We will return the students involved to homes in the Salisbury area. The reply slip below asks you to give permission for your son to attend the competition. If you might be willing to provide transport on the day, we would be very grateful as we will need cars in addition to my own to get all the students involved to and from the event.

It would be appreciated if each student could please make a voluntary contribution, to me, of £3.00 to cover the cost of travel, as the school cannot fund the visit. No pupil will be barred from the trip on account of non-payment, but if total payments do not cover the cost of the trip then it will have to be cancelled.

I hope that your son will be able to attend this visit. Please complete the reply slip below and return it in an envelope marked with your son's name, form and visit details. Your son should return the reply slip direct to Mrs Goldsack. The deadline for replies is Friday 31 January 2020.

Please ensure that we have current emergency contact details and details of any medical conditions and that your son takes all necessary medication with them on this trip. Please contact Mrs Sarah Hayward sah@bws.wilts.sch.uk to update your son's information.

Yours sincerely

Mrs N M Goldsack
BWS Debate Coach nmg@bws.wilts.sch.uk

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Please complete and return direct to Mrs Goldsack by Friday 31 January 2020 in an envelope marked with your son's name, form and the visit title.

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I give permission for my son to attend the above competition as per the details set out in the letter dated 30 January 2020.

Son's Name: Form:

Signed: (Parent/Guardian) Contact Tel No:

I could / could not offer to help with transport for the event

Additional Medical information:

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