

## **Penistone Grammar School**

**Never Stop Flying** 

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Ref: GTE/CWA

Date: 14 January 2025

Dear Parent/Carer of Student Fullname

We are excited to share the following experience to STUDENT FORENAME at Lower Coates Farm. We work closely with the farm to offer alternatives for our students.

We are excited to invite your STUDENT FORENAME to a new, supportive wellbeing session running every Monday:

KS2: 5:00pm - 6:00pm KS3: 6:15pm - 7:15pm

The sessions will take place at Walking the Goats, Lower Coates, Silkstone Common, and are fully funded by Barnsley Council. The aim of these sessions is to support young people in developing their confidence, self-esteem, and social skills. Activities include animal care, horticulture, team-building exercises, and much more.

These sessions are open to children in the following academic years:

Session Two: Years 7, 8, and 9 (KS3)

You are receiving this letter because your child's school has identified them as someone who could benefit from this initiative, or you have self-referred through Farmer Kelly. Sessions run every week throughout the school term, with a break during half-term.

2025 sessions: 13th January – 10th February 2025

Please note that places are limited and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. We kindly ask that you only book a space if you can commit to attending all sessions where possible. If your child is not allocated a space this term, don't worry—your child will be placed on the list for the following school term.

We look forward to welcoming your child! If you would like your child to attend, please contact either of the organisers below including the following information:

- Child's name
- DOB
- Address
- Two emergency contact names and numbers:
- Doctors' details and address
- Any medical and allergy information

Kelly on 07708931231 or kelly@lcfltd.co.uk

Andrea 07506771162 or andreabeever@hotmail.co.uk

Kind regards

Kelly and Andrea (Big Farmer Project Leaders)

Walking the Goats at Lower Coates



Blackergreen Lane Silkstone Common S75 4PR

## Kind regards Graham Teasdale

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