



Chepstow School

Ysgol Cas-gwent



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Dear Sir / Madam

Australia & Far East Rugby Tour 2012 - Tour Sponsorship

Our school is responsible for the development of schoolboy rugby in this area. We are proud of the fact that we are one of the few schools with two senior teams in National Schools League. We also regularly have boys graduating to more senior ranks within the Union and excellent working relationship with our local rugby club, Chepstow RFC, we have won the Gwent Mid Week League for the Last 3 Years.

Chepstow School takes its senior players on an International Tour every three years thus giving every student who represents the school an opportunity to undertake a tour of a lifetime. In July and August 2012 our Senior Rugby Squad are embarking on a tour travelling to Australia and Singapore. We hope to play four games as well as spending time sight-seeing. We will play and be hosted by top quality schools, several of which we have stayed with before whilst on tour. Our boys have always been excellent ambassadors for our school and our country and we have always been asked to return to schools which we have played. We have an international reputation for our hospitality and every year we play and host numerous schools from different countries. Our students benefit greatly from these experiences both culturally and socially, and many lasting friendships have been formed with host families.

Naturally, such a tour involves a great deal of money and an enthusiastic teacher / parent / student committee has been set up to fundraise to help our students participate. Although Chepstow is a fairly affluent area not all our students come from advantaged homes and a large proportion of this money is used to allow deserving students the opportunity to participate.

The boys are proud of their rugby involvement when representing their school abroad and want to show a corporate identity. The generosity of companies and local people of Chepstow never ceases to amaze us and we have been fortunate to receive considerable financial support on every tour we have organised. We are looking for help and we are asking if you can assist us in any way, sponsoring an individual student; advertising in our tour brochure or a simple donation for which there would be an acknowledgement in our tour brochure which we distribute locally as well as internationally.

The school would be very happy to participate in any publicity covering sponsorship or donations e.g. press coverage etc. If you could help us in any way this would be greatly appreciated.

Should you require any further information regarding the 2012 Tour then please contact me at the school and I will be only too pleased to help.

Thanking you in anticipation of a positive response.

Yours sincerely

A D Clarke
Tour Co-ordinator

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