

25 June 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

FREE Talk from Guest Speaker with Chilli and Nachos - Thursday 11 July, 5-6pm

We are delighted to announce that on Thursday 11 July at 5pm, Outwood Academy Acklam will be hosting a very special guest speaker, the adventurer Mr Dave Edwards. We are very lucky to be hosting Dave who will be speaking to the community about his experiences surviving the Montserrat Volcanic Eruption:

“David was close to the volcano when it first erupted and thought he was going to die: he decided his last act would be to photograph it. This talk explains how he survived and went on to witness the evacuations and the disruption to this idyllic island and its people.”

This event will take place from 5-6pm at the Outwood Institute of Education, Outwood Academy Acklam (Hall Dr, Middlesbrough TS5 7JY) and we would like to encourage as many people as possible to come along to this evening event. It would be great to see children, parents, grandparents coming along to listen to David's fascinating stories about this famous volcanic eruption. Doors will open at 4.15pm for FREE Chilli and Nachos with attendees required to sign in at reception.

As this event is free we would be grateful if you could bring with you a donation of an item of food for the Middlesbrough food bank which we are supporting. In order to reserve your place please fill out the reply slip below and return it to your child's geography teacher, **no later than Monday 1 July 2019**. For further information, please do not hesitate to contact Mr Parker via a.parker@bydales.outwood.com

We hope to see you there to immerse yourself in an hour of amazing geography!

Yours faithfully



Paul Laird
Associate Director of Humanities

Reply Slip

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I would like to attend this event at OIE, Outwood Academy Acklam, Hall Drive. Middlesbrough.
(Note the Chilli and Nachos is from 4.15pm)

Number of people attending: _____

Name of Student: _____

Please return to geography teacher by Monday 1 July 2019