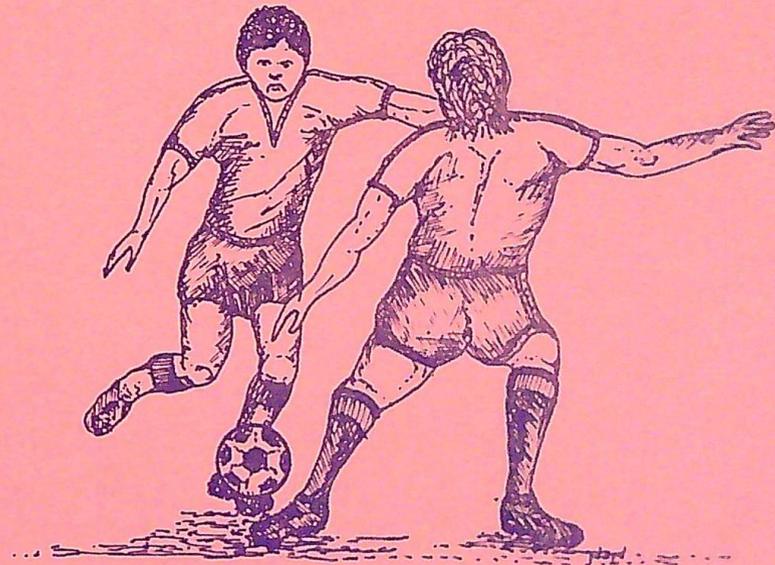


# BALSHAW'S HIGH SCHOOL LEYLAND



**NOORDWIJK:**  
Sports Tour  
Easter



**THE MATCH WINNING TACKLE**

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DETAILED ITINERARY IN RESPECT OF THE  
6 DAY SPORTS "SCHOOLCOACH" TOUR TO  
NOORDWIJK-AAN-ZEE

PARTY LEADERS: MR. W. JOHNSTON  
MR. R. McDONALD

COACH OPERATOR: SHAW HADWIN COACHES LTD  
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SILVERDALE,  
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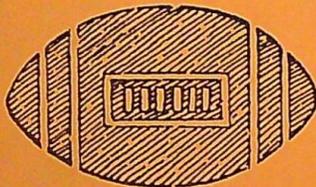
(EXECUTIVE COACH ARRANGED)

HOTEL: HOTEL WAIKIKI  
KATENBLANKWEG 2  
2202 CN NOORDWIJK-AAN-ZEE

TELEPHONE (1719) 12434

The party is expected to arrive back at school at about midnight Wednesday 27th March. Parents should contact any of the persons below for precise details of intended arrival time:

MRS. BAINES:	(Andrew)	454963
MRS. LOWE:	(Graham)	452263
MRS. BURROWS:	(David)	431442
MRS. BRETHERTON:	(Neil)	451435
MRS. CARTMELL:	(Paul)	435782



MEMBERS OF THE TOUR PARTY

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|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1 Andrew Baines      | 17 Kevin Houghton    |
| 2 David Burrows      | 18 Steven Hutton     |
| 3 David Edmondson    | 19 Paul Baxter       |
| 4 Andrew Williams    | 20 Simon Campbell    |
| 5 Graham Jones       | 21 Ben Glew          |
| 6 Graham Lowe        | 22 Stephen Marsden   |
| 7 Nathan Braithwaite | 23 Neil Bretherton   |
| 8 Paul Langston      | 24 Paul Cartmell     |
| 9 Steven Dewhurst    | 25 Paul Johnson      |
| 10 Robin Metcalf     | 26 Stuart Wareing    |
| 11 Scott Cockcroft   | 27 Andrew Challenger |
| 12 Paul Bebbington   | 28 Danny Clarkson    |
| 13 Leighton Peel     | 29 Philip Goulding   |
| 14 Greg. Rhodes      | 30 Jamie Atherton    |
| 15 Chris. Squire     | 31 Philip Grimshaw   |
| 16 Andrew Marston    | 32 James Bradshaw    |
|                      | 33 Paul Haydock      |
|                      | 34 Stuart Philbin    |
|                      | 35 Paul Rowe         |
|                      | 36 Scott McAlpine    |
|                      | 37 Dylan Brunton     |
|                      | 38 Kurtis Lee        |
|                      | 39 Philip James      |
|                      | 40 Chris. Maudsley   |
|                      | 41 Philip Anders     |
|                      | 42 Barry Pascoe      |
|                      | 43 Steven Bentham    |

Mr. W. Johnston  
Mr. R. McDonald  
Mr. D. Childs  
Mr. D. Croft  
Mr. M. Barrow  
(Ex-Balshaw's P.E.  
Teacher)



FRANCE

### NOORDWIJK AAN ZEE

After a six hour coach journey from Calais, the tour party will stay at the Hotel Waikiki, Noordwijk, a small sea-side resort approximately one hours drive from Amsterdam. The resort of Noordwijk offers a wide range of recreational activities, including beaches, a modern sports complex, indoor and outdoor swimming pools as well as facilities for tennis, mini-golf, bowling and trampolining. It also boasts a modern shopping centre and the "Old Noordwijk" Museum.

### THE HOTEL WAIKIKI

The tour party will stay for five nights with full board accommodation at the Hotel Waikiki. The bedrooms in the Hotel accommodate between 2 and 6 persons. Students are advised to take at least two towels for their stay. All rooms have hot and cold running water and central heating. In addition, the Hotel has a spacious dining room, and a well equipped games room.

### JOURNEY

Despite having a luxury coach the journey will become fairly tiring and consideration for all will be important. The journey will take approximately 14 hours.

Guidelines as follows:

1. Pillow - a necessity
2. Food - supper/breakfast/lunch - no glass please and preferably disposable containers
3. Entertainment - 'Walkmans' and small games/reading
4. Travel sickness - tablets?
5. Stops - yes - but no local currency to buy in France or Belgium
6. Sleep - there are busy days ahead!



## OUTLINE PROGRAMME

### Thursday 21st March

All party members meet at 11.00 p.m. at the school gate. Luggage loaded and fond farewells. 11.30 p.m. departure for overnight journey to Dover.

### Friday 22nd March

Dover - Eastern Docks 7.30 a.m. sailing to Calais - arrival in Calais at approximately 9.45 a.m. local time. Journey through Belgium and Dutch coast with arrival at Noordwijk at approximately 4.00 p.m. Rooms allocated, cases unpacked followed by evening meal.

### Saturday 23rd March

Morning training on the beach. Packed lunch, journey to Narden for rugby fixtures. Evening meal, possible bowling alley visit.

### Sunday 24th March

Morning training on the beach - followed by a visit to the Tikipool at Wassenaar. Late afternoon soccer fixtures with Moordrechd.

### Monday 25th March

Depart after breakfast with packed lunches for Amsterdam - canal trip and sightseeing. Afternoon visit to the Tikipool.

### Tuesday 26th March

Morning beach training, coach to Rotterdam followed by soccer and rugby fixtures. Late evening meal followed by possible hotel disco and games room competition finals.

### Wednesday 27th March

After breakfast luggage and packed lunches loaded. Depart Hotel Waikiki to Calais for 3.45 p.m. sailing to Dover. Journey back to school arriving approximately midnight.

Please note: Pupils with 'parental contact' telephone numbers will ring home to give accurate return time - parents please contact these 'contact parents' to enable safe collection of exhausted pupils (and staff!).

## CLOTHING

Clothing for travel, although a matter of personal preference, should be of a reasonable standard of appearance, as well as comfortable. During the stay abroad, clothing of the pupil's choice may be worn, but on matchdays, full school uniform must be worn.

Two sets of rugby/soccer kit, a track suit (optional), 3 towels and 2 large plastic bags for wet or dirty kit must be provided.

Soap, toothpaste, shampoo and toothbrush must be taken as these are not provided in the Hotel. Towels for after-match showers are recommended.

## CHECKLIST

1. Full School Uniform
2. Kit
  - i) Black x 2 (Matches)
  - ii) Training Kit
  - iii) Swimming Trunks
3. Clothes
  - i) Casually Smart
  - ii) Toiletries
  - iii) Wet Kit/Boot Bag
4. 1 Medium Suitcase - Coach boot  
1 Sportsbag - Coach



## DIALLING CODES

UK to NETHERLANDS

010 31 and omit the initial 0 from the area code

i.e. WAIKIKI

010 31 1719 12434

CONTACTS: Hotel Waikiki  
Katenblankweg 2  
2202 CN NOORDWIJK ANN SEE

Telephone (01719) 12434

Dialling Codes:

From the U.K. to The Netherlands  
dial 010 31

From The Netherlands to the U.K.  
dial 09 44

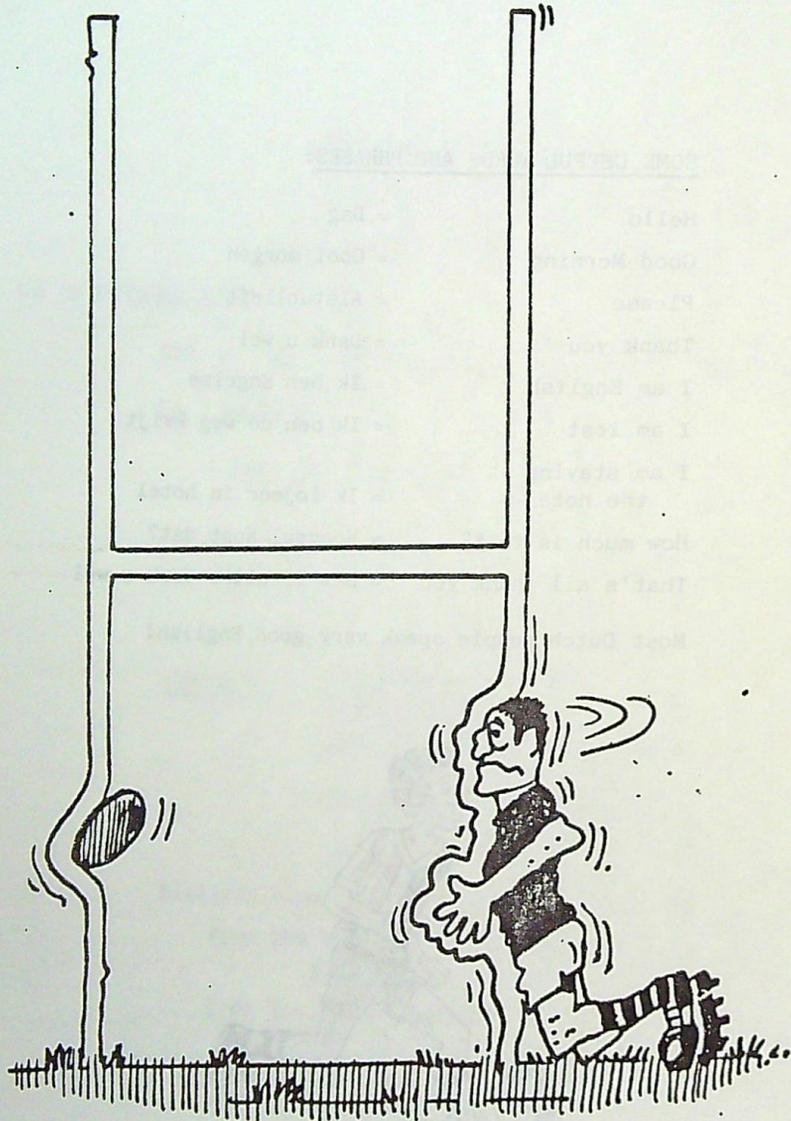
In each case omit the initial '0'  
from the area/std code

## SOME USEFUL WORDS AND PHRASES:

Hello	= Dag
Good Morning	= Gooi morgen
Please	= Alstublieft
Thank you	= Dank u wel
I am English	= Ik ben Engelse
I am lost	= Ik ben de weg kwijt
I am staying at the hotel	= Ik lojeer in hotel
How much is that?	= Hoeveel Kost dat?
That's all thank you	= Dat is alles dank u wel

Most Dutch people speak very good English!





#### INSURANCE

All members of the party will be covered by a comprehensive insurance policy issued by the Norwich Union Insurance Company.

#### POCKET MONEY

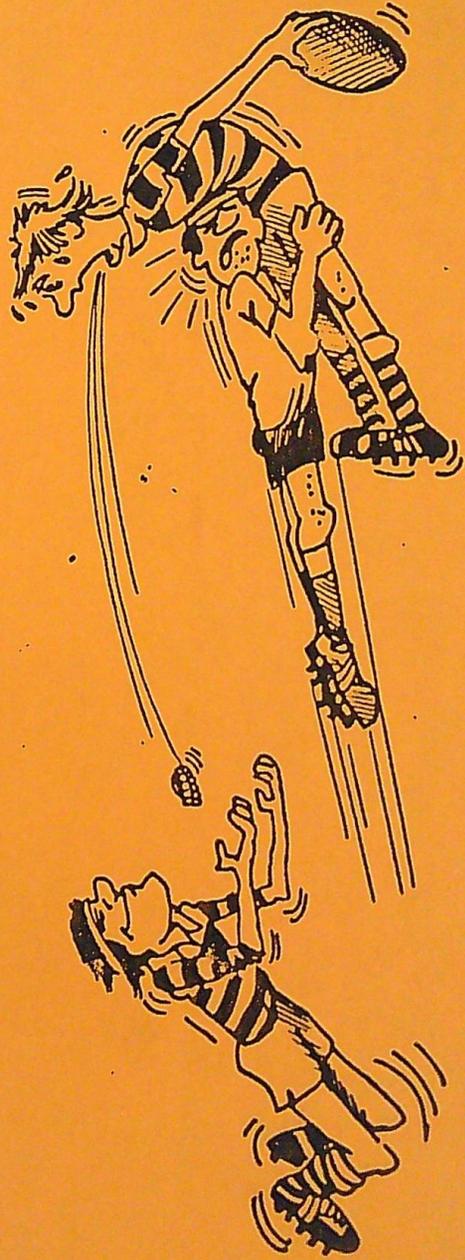
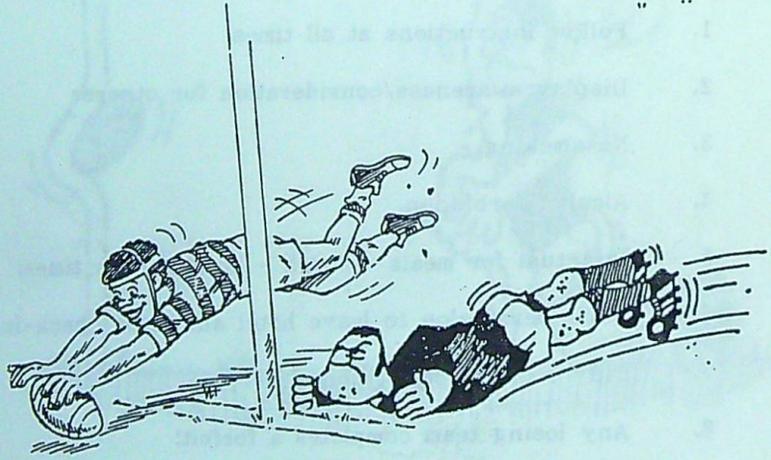
This has already been paid in by pupils. Thomas Cook Travel have now provided each pupil with currency at preferential rates in individual plastic bags. These will be held in the hotel safe and distributed at appropriate times each day. Pupils should not leave any money in hotel rooms.

#### CUSTOMS

Duty free tobacco and alcohol apply only to persons aged 17 years and over. This applies to cigarettes, cigars, tobacco, wines and spirits, which you are not allowed to buy on the continent.

#### GENERAL RULES

1. Follow instructions at all times.
2. Display awareness/consideration for others.
3. No smoking.
4. Alcohol forbidden.
5. Punctual for meals - coach - hotel return times.
6. Staff permission to leave hotel and must check-in.
7. Tidy room + competition + sleep.
8. Any losing team completes a forfeit!



**GOOD SUPPORT PLAY?**