

5th Grade Sandy Hook Field Trip

Monday - June 10, 2019

- Come to school at the regular time. Report to your Home Room as usual.
- Wear the Field Trip Tee Shirt provided & casual clothing. Wear old sneakers and a light jacket or rain gear. You will be outside all day rain or shine and should dress accordingly.
- Expect to get dirty. Chest waders will be provided for seining activity. No swimming!
- Bring an extra pair of socks and or flip flops for the ride home.
- Apply sunblock as needed before coming to school.
- Bring a brown bag non-perishable lunch. Write your name on the bag.
- All students must bring a beverage or two. No glass bottles!
- If you receive a school provided lunch during the regular school year, indicate that on the permission slip. A lunch will be provided. Otherwise, bring a brown bag lunch.
- Bring 3 plastic bags; 1 for collecting shells; if you tend to get sick on the bus; for wet socks and shoes.
- You may bring a camera or iPod, etc. "No" video taking is allowed.
- Cell phones will be collected in the morning & returned when we return.
- The school is not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged personal items or electronics.
- Optional: Bring lightweight nylon drawstring backpack/sport bag to carry; camera, lunch, beverage, shells, jacket, etc.
- The bus will return by 4:00 P.M. Parents/Guardians must be at Memorial to pick up child. Students may not walk home. If a student is going home with someone other than parent/guardian, indicate on permission slip!
- Students in the Aftercare program, will go there upon return.
- Complete permission slip and return with payment to your homeroom teacher as soon as Possible. It will be accepted until the bus is full.
- If you "will not" be going on the trip, the permission slip must be filled out, signed by parent/guardian, and returned. Check where it states MY CHILD "WILL NOT" be going on the field trip.
- If at any time your child violates any school policy before the trip, they will not be allowed to go on the trip. The money will not be refunded.

Keep this page for your information.



January 28, 2019

Dear 5th Grade Parents/Guardians

Our annual 5th grade field trip to Sandy Hook has been scheduled for June 10, 2019. The total cost will be \$45.00 per student. The trip is limited to 90 students, thereafter we will have a waiting list and notify students regarding seat availability on the trip. To secure a place on the trip, please return payment as soon as possible.

Realizing that these are difficult economic times, if full payment presents a burden, at this time, please contact us in the strictest of confidence so we may workout payments in smaller payments. No refund will be given.

As prescribed in previous years, any student who is deemed to have below acceptable behavior, attendance or poor academic grades will not be permitted on any field trip.

The trip will include the following:

- Bagel breakfast
- Field trip t-shirt
- Beach hike
- Plant identification walk
- Seining – boots, nets, bucket
- Shell collection and identification
- luxury coaches with restrooms & DVD screens

Please visit www.njseagrant.org for more information.

Please send your child's full payment in an envelope labeled "Sandy Hook" with your child's name and homeroom. We ask that you make payment with either cash, check or money order, made payable to Memorial School.

Sincerely,

5TH Grade Team

WOODLAND PARK BOARD OF EDUCATION

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FIELD TRIP PERMISSION/AUTHORIZATION FORM

I, _____, parent/legal guardian of _____,

(Please print parent/legal guardian's first name and last name)

who is a 5th grade student enrolled at Memorial School, hereby grants permission for my child to be released from class to participate in a field trip sponsored by the Board of Education to the

Sandy Hook, in Highlands, on Monday June 10, 2019 from 8:12 - 4:00

I/We understand and acknowledge that the Board of Education will be solely responsible for any activities, student supervision, and for any transportation for my child conducted as part of this field trip including transportation from Memorial School to Sandy Hook. Children who are ill are not to be sent on any trip. If a child becomes ill or behaves improperly, while on any field trip, a parent/guardian will be contacted to retrieve the child immediately.

As part of giving this permission, I/We agree to hold the Board of Education completely harmless and faultless, from any claims or suits of any kind whatsoever, of or relating to the field trip. Any special dietary, medical, physical, or other needs of my child are fully disclosed and have been provided to school authorities.

(Print name of Parent/Legal Guardian) (Print Date) (Homeroom)

(Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian)

PLEASE RETURN PERMISSION SLIP BY _____

Home Phone # _____ Cell # _____

Emergency Contact _____ Relationship _____

Phone # _____ Cell # _____

Size of Tee Shirt - CIRCLE ONE (THESE ARE ADULT SIZES)

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Amount Due \$45.00 Check No. _____ Cash _____

_____ My child receives a school provided lunch during the regular school year. I would like a school lunch provided to my child on this day.

_____ My child will go to After-Care.

_____ I will pick up my child at 4 P.M.

_____ My child will go home with _____ (must be an adult).

_____ My child "WILL NOT" be going on the field trip.