

CMS EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS AND PARENTS
GUIDELINES FOR THE KNOTT'S TRIP
THURSDAY, MAY 19, 2016

This field trip is an extension of the Science standards that will be covered in class during the year.

Awesome eighth graders, as we prepare for our trip to Knott's Berry Farm, please review the following guidelines for maximum fun, **safety**, and ease of running the trip:

- **You are responsible for arriving at CMS no later than 7:15am the morning of the field trip. We will return to school at approximately 6:00pm. You are responsible for arranging your own transportation to and from school on that day. Parents-please be on time to pick up your child after the field trip.**
- You must bring money to buy lunch, as outside food is not permitted in the park.
- All eighth graders are expected to attend as this activity is an important component of the Science curriculum.
- The cost of this field trip is \$56. **Checks payable to CMS ASB.** Money is due to science teachers by February 17, 2016. If the permission slip AND payment are not turned in on time, you may not be permitted to attend this trip. *Due to the necessity of prepaying for park and bus costs, there are absolutely no refunds. **
- Wear durable school-type shoes. No flip-flops or sandals.
- The standard CMS dress code must be followed for the trip.
- You may use I-pods or other electronic gear while on the bus. Coronado Middle School and the bus company are not liable for any lost, damaged, or stolen items.
- Students may bring a snack for the ride home in addition to bottled water. Sodas and other types of drinks are not permitted on the bus.
- At Knott's we will split into smaller groups and each chaperone will be responsible for their group.
- Students are required to follow all behavior expectations consistent with those enforced at school as well as park rules. We will be courteous, follow directions, and demonstrate good character.

*Please turn in money for the cost of the trip as well as the permission slip to your science teacher. Submit a request for a scholarship *in writing* to your science teacher if you will be requesting one. Please be sure to include the *amount* of scholarship that you are requesting. All scholarship requests must be attached to a permission slip and received by the **February 17 deadline**.

CORONADO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Field Trip Permission

School: CMS

Trip Planned: Knott's Berry Farm

Class: All 8th Grade Students

Cost: \$56.00

Date: Thursday, May 19, 2016

Means of Travel: Chartered Bus

Departure Time: 7:15 AM

Anticipated Time of Return: 6:00 PM (teachers will wait with students no more than 15 minutes after bus arrival)

Due to the necessity of prepaying the admittance tickets and transportation for the trip NO refunds will be administered, regardless of the circumstances surrounding an already pre-paid commitment.

To give your child permission to attend the field trip please complete the permission slip below and return it to your child's science teacher by February 17th with payment.

CORONADO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Field Trip Permission

Student's Name _____
Last First Middle Date of Birth Grade

Address _____ Telephone _____

Father/Guardian place of work _____ Telephone _____

Mother/Guardian place of work _____ Telephone _____

Current health problem _____

In case of an emergency, illness, or accident, who should be notified if parents cannot be reached:

Name _____
Relative/Friend Address Telephone

Name _____
Neighbor Address Telephone

LOCAL PHYSICIAN TO CALL IN EMERGENCY _____
Address/Telephone

Student Cell Phone Number _____

I authorize officials of Coronado Unified School District to contact directly the persons named on this card and authorize the named physicians to treat my child if necessary in an emergency.
In the event that physicians, other persons named on this card, or parents cannot be contacted, the school officials are authorized to take whatever action is necessary in their judgment for the health of my child. I will not hold the school district financially responsible for emergency care and/or transportation.

Signature of parent or guardian

Date

Parents/guardians and students: Please read and sign the Behavior Agreement Form, located on the back of this permission slip.

Knott's Behavior Agreement

1. I agree to adhere to the middle school dress code and behavior contract.
2. I will not cut in line at the rides.
3. I will stay in groups of three or more.
4. I will meet all my check in times on time. If I am late, I understand that I will have a consequence at the park as well as at school.
5. I realize that I am a guest of Knott's; I am representing Coronado Middle School and it is a privilege to be here.
6. I will not shoplift any item.
7. I will not leave the Knott's park.
8. I will stay in my seat on the bus.
9. I will not chew gum on the bus or in Knott's.
10. I will clean up after myself in the bus and in Knott's.

Should I violate any of these agreements, I understand I may be asked to go home early at the expense of my family. Further consequences may apply.

Student signature

date

Parent/guardian signature

date