LBL – Key Information for parents

Here is the information for you regarding our plans for Land Between the Lakes. The cost per child is $240.00 due on or by August 26th. Chaperone cost is $60 – you can include that in your check as needed if you plan to attend with your child (total $300). In addition to your permission slip and payment, we need the white emergency release form to be completed, **NOTARIZED** and returned. Remember, do not sign the notarized form until you are in the presence of the notary.

**MEDICAL NOTES:** If necessary, we will also need a medical release signed by you if your child is taking any medication(s) on the trip, we must have the attached medical permission signed and returned. Please write specific directions on the back of the page listing medication, dosage, and times per day. In addition, please bring the meds in and check them in on Tuesday, September 6th or the morning of Wednesday, September 7th before we leave on our trip. If you are chaperoning the trip, you do not need to notify us about medicine for your child. **Please do not forget to pick up your child’s medicine from Mrs. Merryman on Friday afternoon when we return.**

Here is a list of key points:

* Need to return to homeroom teacher – permission slip, payment (or pay online), white notarized travel form/release, and medical form (if needed)
* PLEASE LABEL ALL YOUR CHILD’S BELONGINGS!!
* Each child will need a sack lunch and a can drink on Wednesday, September 7th for our picnic lunch at the Homeplace at LBL.
* Each child needs to bring bug spray (aerosol advised).
* All bedding and if possible, luggage need to be put in a garbage bag on the day of departure. On the outside of your child’s luggage, please write his or her name on a large piece of tape so it is very visible. This will help when we unload.
* Each child will need one pair of long tube socks to tuck their jeans into for hiking in the woods.
* We encourage the students to take one bag (generally, a backpack works well) on the bus with all their personal items in it such as money, games, IPODs, etc. Your child may take these devices on the trip – at your discretion. It is your child’s responsibility to keep up with it.
* Each child will also need a bottle of water for the trip with NAME on it.
* Make sure your child puts his/her poncho in their carry-on bag (backpack) in case of rain at the Homeplace.
* **Please do not forget to pick up your child’s medicine from Ms. Merryman on Friday afternoon when we return.**
* Students may wish to bring in some money for the gift shops along the way. We suggest that you encourage your child to pick one thing to represent their trip rather than buying at every stop. The amount you do (if you choose) send is entirely at your discretion but I wouldn’t suggest more than $20/$25.
* Please call the school office and speak to Dr. Blair if you need to get in touch with us for any reason.