

Lloyd Harbor School

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Dear Sixth Grade Parents of Select Chorus Members,

Next Friday, June 6, is our trip to **Music in the Parks** and we are thrilled to see the enthusiasm of the students as we prepare for this event.

Attached is a detailed itinerary and chaperone assignments.

The attire for the day is:

- Our uniform **Music in the Parks T-Shirt**
- **Khaki** shorts or capris for the girls (NO lacrosse or athletic shorts)
- **Sneakers** (no flip-flops for the performance)

Parent chaperones are asked to wear their Music in the Parks t-shirts, as well. Students are required to remain in their uniform shirts for the entire day, including the awards ceremony.

For the bus, we encourage you to bring snacks, water and something for lunch. There will be time to eat as we drive from the performance site to the park. You should also consider bringing a sweatshirt, jacket and/or rain poncho (let's hope we won't need it!)

On the day of the trip, each parent chaperone is responsible for looking after his/her child, as well as the other students in the group, for the entire day. When we arrive at Dorney Park, chaperones will escort youngsters to food pavilions, bathrooms, rides and all attractions. It is probable that parent chaperones will join together. However, parents are still responsible for their group at all times. Children should never be left unattended.

At the end of the day, there will be an awards ceremony for the schools that participated in the day's music festival. **Chaperones must escort their groups to the awards ceremony in Food Fest Grove at 5:30 PM**. After the awards ceremony, all chaperones and groups will have additional time in the park.

<u>In the event you have a situation that will not allow you and your child to travel home on the buses with us, please contact Ms. Visceglie prior to the trip and arrangements will be made for a sign-out at the end of the awards ceremony. Please note: a parent may only sign out his or her <u>own</u> child.</u>

At 7:15 PM, we will meet near the entrance for check-in and attendance before proceeding to the buses. **We should return to school at approximately 10:30 PM.**

Thank you for your continued support through our planning and rehearsal schedules. It will be exciting to see the children reuniting with friends and making new ones! We are looking forward to a wonderful performance and a fun time at the theme park.

Sincerely, Ms. Visceglie, Mr. Chiarello, Ms. Massimo, & Mr. Gray MITP Chaperones

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- **8:50 AM** Students come to school (regular time) and report to homeroom for attendance.
- **9:05 AM** Parents and students meet in the café for check-in before boarding the buses.
- **9:15 AM Buses depart.** Please understand that we cannot wait for students who are late, as <u>we must be on time</u> for our scheduled performance and they will not accept us once that time has passed.
- **12:30 PM** Arrive at the Northeast Middle School in Bethlehem, PA.
- 1:00 PM Chorus warm up
- 1:20 PM Chorus performance
- **1:40 PM** Board buses and depart for Dorney Park
- **2:00 PM** Arrive at Dorney Park
- **5:30 PM Awards Ceremony** @ Food Fest Grove
- **6:00 PM** More time in the park (and time for dinner on own)
- 7:15 PM Meet at Main Entrance for Check-in
- **7:30 PM** Buses depart Dorney Park
- 10:30 PM Arrive back at Lloyd Harbor School