



PERMISSION/ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FOR EDUCATIONAL EXCURSIONS and ATHLETIC/CO-CURRICULAR PARTICIPATION

THIS FORM MUST BE READ AND SIGNED BY A PARENT/GUARDIAN OF A PARTICIPATING STUDENT. STUDENTS 18 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER MAY SIGN ON THEIR OWN BEHALF.

St. James School, Seaforth, of the Huron-Perth Catholic District School Board is arranging a trip to Morrison Dam, Exeter (Ausable Bayfield Conservation Authority) on Wed. Sept. 30, 2009 to take part in the Species At Risk and Go Wild programs. Students will travel by bus leaving St. James at 9:15 am and returning at approximately 2:45 p.m. Bussing costs are fully funded. The cost for the full day program is \$8.00 per child/parent. Students MUST wear pants, a long sleeved shirt and running shoes. Layers of clothing are advised as the program is entirely outdoors rain or shine. In the event that it rains please dress prepared. Students are to bring a litterless lunch including a drink, and extra water. Hand sanitizer is recommended as there is no running water.

NOTE: The bus can only hold a maximum of 4 parents. Therefore 2 parents from each class will be able to go. If more than 2 parents from a class would like to go, then we will choose by lottery.

Elements of Risk

Educational excursions and programs, such as the event described above, involve certain elements of risk. Accidents may occur while participating in these activities. These accidents may cause injury. By choosing to permit your child to participate in the activity, you are assuming the risk of an accident occurring.

The chance of an accident occurring can be reduced by carefully following instructions at all times while engaged in the activity.

The Huron-Perth Catholic District School Board does not provide any accidental death, disability, dismemberment, dental, or medial expenses insurance on behalf of the students participating in this activity.

NOTE TO PARENT(S):

- 1. If volunteer drivers are used, I give permission for my son/daughter to travel with a volunteer driver. Yes [] No []
2. Students are not permitted to drive other students.
3. Appropriate sun protection must be provided for outdoor excursions.
4. Please return this form in its entirety.

Please list any medical conditions or procedures (e.g. diabetes, asthma, allergies, etc.) that pertain to your son/daughter.

Blank lines for listing medical conditions or procedures.

Permission and Acknowledgement

I have read the above and give _____ (name of student)

permission to participate in the trip to Morrison Dam to be held on Wed. Sept. 30, 2009 from 9:15 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.

[] \$ 8.00 payment is included per child/parent.

[] I am interested in accompanying the students on this trip, understanding that I must travel to and from Morrison Dam on the bus.

My child is provided with the appropriate sun protection for this activity Yes [] No []

Signature of parent/guardian/adult student: _____

Date: _____