Fairfield Woods Middle School 1115 Fairfield Woods Road Fairfield, Connecticut 06825



September 13, 2017

Dear Parent/Guardian,

On Saturday, September 23, 2017 I will be offering a trip to the New York Renaissance Faire in Sterling Forest, Tuxedo, New York to members of my Madrigal club and their families. This Faire is a unique opportunity for the Madrigals to get a taste of the Renaissance period! The trip will offer entertainment ranging from a human Chess game, fortune telling, face painting, storytelling, hair braiding, folk dancing, Madrigal singing, and a joust on horseback. Please visit their web-site: www.renfair.com/NY for details & buying your child's ticket. Please purchase your own tickets online, print & bring them that morning. Tickets for children ages 5 - 12 are \$12, adults are \$25, and children under 4 are free.

We will be leaving from Fairfield Woods at Sam and should arrive home at approximately 8:30pm. Since we will be carpooling, this is not considered a Fairfield Public School sponsored trip. Families need to approve with whom their children will travel. We will need approximately 3 - 4 drivers to transport the club members who are able to attend.

Students should bring money for lunch & souvenirs (\$30-\$50 suggestion) since there are so many "medieval" foods and unique souvenir & craft choices in the forest. Please bring \$10 cash for gas for the drivers. Consider bringing breakfast and a dinner snack from home to conserve a little money. Please come and join us for a day you won't soon forget!

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