FAIRFIELD WOODS MIDDLE SCHOOL 1115 FAIRFIELD WOODS ROAD FAIRFIELD, CONNECTICUT

April 23, 2019

Parents/Guardians,

Although June 5 is a long way off, we are currently planning an exciting "end of year" activity for your children. This year the 8th graders' field day will be held at the Holiday Hill Recreation facility. For many years the students at Fairfield Woods have thoroughly enjoyed their day at this facility. Both students and teachers were impressed with the quality service, refreshments - available all day - and activities provided by the Holiday Hill staff.

Holiday Hill, located in Cheshire, Ct., is a 160 acre resort area that offers a wide range of activities including tennis, softball, basketball, canoeing, bocce, volleyball and swimming. (Lifeguards are on duty all day.) Counselors and an Athletic Director are available to help coordinate games. The 8th grade teachers will also be on hand to participate in the day's activities.

The cost of the day including transportation is **\$65** per student. We are sending this "end of year" notice early so we can finalize our plans with the Holiday Hill staff and give plenty of time for your children to plan for this trip. *Please fill out the form below and return to your child's homeroom teacher* by <u>Monday, May 6, 2019</u>. Please sign the permission slip (page 2) and return it along with a check for 65.00 made payable to Fairfield Woods Middle School. This form also serves as the permission form to attend graduation practice at the high school, June 14, and to ride to FWHS on June 13.

Respectfully,

Kristofer Kelso, Dean of Students

Date	Event	Time	Location
Tuesday, June 5, 2019	Holiday Hills	All Day	Cheshire, CT
Wednesday, June 12, 2019	8th Grade Dance	7:00PM-9:00PM	FWMS
Thursday, June 13, 2019	Closing Exercises PRACTICE	9:30AM-11:00AM	Students bussed to and from FWHS
Friday, June 14, 2019	Closing Exercises	9:30AM	Fairfield Warde High School Students bussed to FWHS -leave with parents.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE SECTIONS BELOW AND SEND IN TO SCHOOL WITH YOUR CHILD. Please sign below, make check payable to Fairfield Woods Middle School for 65.00 and send in the signed form and check to your child's homeroom teacher by Monday, May 6, 2019.

Student Name

Homeroom

Date of Field Day – Tuesday, June 5

_____ Yes, my child will be able to participate in field day. No, my child will not be able to participate in field day.

I ______ give permission to attend: field day, closing exercises practice bus, and closing exercises bus.

P.S. A simple demerit system is in effect for all 8th graders. A referral to the Dean (hallway, bus, cafeteria, classroom, etc.) results in one demerit (the regular disciplinary consequences are in effect as well.) If students earn 3 demerits they lose the privilege of attending Field Day. Each successive demerit results in the loss of another "end of year" activity up to and including participation in closing exercises.

Most students, of course, will not receive any demerits. If your child has received one please remind them that these additional consequences are in place.