

GRADE 8 TRIP NEWS

February 2014

Since the annual RLMS 8th grade trip is approaching quickly, we are sending out this notice with some important information.

➤ All parents should mark their calendars for a **MANDATORY Grade 8 Trip Parent/Student Meeting on Wednesday, March 12th at 7:00 p.m. in the RLMS auditorium.** Chaperones have already been notified and will meet immediately following the meeting.

➤ Included in this mailing is a packet of medical information and form (if needed) which must be filled out and returned to the school nurse by Wednesday, April 2nd. Please be sure to read through all of this information very carefully!

➤ Please keep in mind that although the grade eight trip offers your child exceptional educational opportunities as you can undoubtedly imagine, we can only take those students who can demonstrate appropriate and responsible behavior. The responsibility placed upon the chaperones is a tremendous one. They must have 100% cooperation from all students at all times during this field experience.

Additionally, the students themselves are also asked to assume a great deal of responsibility for their safety and the success of this trip. *Please be advised that the school reserves the right to remove a student from this trip if there are serious concerns regarding the student's ability to demonstrate responsible and safe behavior on an overnight trip.*

Students not participating on this trip for whatever reason are expected to attend school during these three days where an academic program will be provided for them.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call me! I'll look forward to seeing everyone at the Parent Meeting on March 12th.

Thanks!

Kate Fitzpatrick