

"Long Ago at Lutherwood"
Territorial Outdoor School, June 12th -16th

Dear Territorial Families,

May 25, 2017

Long Ago at Lutherwood is almost here. We are excited and ready to go. We want to remind everyone that buses will leave promptly at 8:30AM so please do not bring your children to school late the week of June 12th - 16th or they will miss the bus and you will have to drive them to camp. If you are helping, be sure you got the letter and the map that I sent home with your child this week. Let me know if you didn't get one so I can get you that information asap and thank you for volunteering. Please ride the bus if at all possible if you are volunteering, as there is limited parking. Since I am directing camp this year, I will be at Camp Lutherwood and not in the building when the students are there. Please do not make last minute going home changes that week as your child will probably not get the message. If your child will be absent or you will be unable to help during the time you signed up, call the school between 7-8 AM and 2:30-3:30 PM.

There is a list of what students need to bring to camp on the back of this letter. Please read it carefully and remember to send your child in sturdy shoes and socks, NOT SANDALS OR FLIP FLOPS. We will be walking a lot. Also, please check your child carefully after camp. We are in the woods in the spring and we don't want any woodland critters to come home attached to your child. T-shirts and pants or long shorts are the best clothes for camp. Also, be prepared for rain. Outdoor School T-shirts will be going home with your child on Friday, June 2nd. Please have your child wear them *every day* at Outdoor School.

Ask your child about his/her favorite part of each day. Let your child debrief with you and get ready for the next day. We are working on cooperation and collaboration at camp. Clans will get a chance to share what they have learned in Songs & Skits on Friday with presentations to each other. Ask your child what he/she is doing with their clan for Friday's celebration.

We will be having a fabulous feast on Friday featuring local foods. Please send a lunch that day as well in the event the fare is not to your child's liking. We don't want anyone going hungry!

Thank you for all of your donations of food, materials and time, energy and encouragement to make "Long Ago at Lutherwood" happen for our kids. It is an incredible act of team work and we are grateful to everyone who contributed to the cause. Territorial families ARE the BEST!

Sincerely,

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