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Field Trip Information

The Living Desert Zoo
47900 Portola Ave
Palm Desert / Indian Wells

March 29, 2017

Admission:

Adult - \$11.00

Students - \$8.00

*Sack lunch is required OR for \$15 we will purchase a lunch at the zoo.

Field Trip Schedule

8:00 AM	Leave preschool, enroute to Zoo
9:30 AM	Arrive to Living Desert Zoo
9:45 AM	Enter Zoo
11:30 AM	Lunch
3:00 PM	Exit Zoo, enroute to Preschool
4:30 PM	Arrive to Preschool / Dismiss

Trip Information

On March 29, 2017, Little Bits of Heaven Preschool will be taking a field trip to The Living Desert Zoo in Palm Desert. Transportation will be provided to all participating students. Parents opting out their child to participate in the trip must make alternative care arrangements. All fees must be paid for when turning in this permission slip. Please read below for details about the trip and its requirements.

Chaperones & Parent Participation

Participating students will be driven to the event by selected chaperone drivers or their own parents. A chaperone is a school parent transporting another child who is not their own. Chaperones must provide a copy of their drivers license and proof of insurance. Chaperones will also have supervisory responsibility while at the Living Desert Zoo. Parents participating in the field trip will be transporting their own child; however, only chaperones may transport other students. Parents are invited but are not required to attend this field trip.

Snacks & Lunches

We will provide snacks for all students. These will be distributed once we arrive at the Zoo.

All students must bring a sack lunch. Sack lunches are ready-to-eat meals that require no preparation (i.e., sandwich, bag of chips, and a drink). Sack lunches will be repackaged into a brown paper bag and labeled. Lunches will then be placed in a box and turned in to the Zoo for storage until withdrawn at lunch time. Lunch will be purchased for students who do not bring a sack lunch.

Contact & Schedule

Mr. & Mrs. Flores will have contact information with all parents & chaperones attending this trip. All children will remain supervised at all times. For accountability reasons, parents attending the event with their child must inform Mr. or Mrs. Flores if they wish to leave early. The 'Field Trip Schedule' will be adhered to as best as possible. If delays happen, particularly in returning, we will inform parents as soon as we can.

How to Dress / Cash for Items

This trip will require a lot of outdoor walking in the sun. Please dress children comfortably. It's recommended kids wear closed-toe walking shoes, and weather appropriate clothing. Sunscreen will be provided as necessary. All children will be given a name/school tag.

Parents unable to go to the field trip may give Mr. & Mrs. Flores cash (with the full discretion) to spend for their child on souvenirs and/or snacks at the Zoo. Unspent money will be returned.

Emergencies & Health Conditions

Parents with children that are prone to car/motion sickness may wish to consider not attending this field trip or, at the very least, take measures to lessen or prevent motion sickness. Any child who gets dizzy, lightheaded, vomits, or gets ill in any way during the field trip will be taken back to the preschool and will be required to get picked up.

In the event of an emergency, parents will be immediately notified using the phone numbers provided on their enrollment form.