

Randolph Middle School

Team Building / Environmental Ed. Field Trips

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FAIRVIEW LAKE YMCA CAMPS



1035 Fairview Lake Road
Stillwater, NJ 07875
www.fairviewlakeymca.org

2013 FIELD TRIP DATES

September **16-17** (Mon. & Tues.) - Team 6-1

September **23-24** (Mon. & Tues.) - Team 6-3

October **9-10** (Wed. & Thurs.) - Team 6-4

October **15-16** (Tues. & Wed.) - Team 6-2

COST

\$190 is the cost for your child to attend the trip. The cost is comprehensive and supports the entirety of the program including:

- The YMCA staff & programming
- All meals at camp
- Boating
- Appalachian Trail Hike
- Administrative costs and supplies
- Transportation
- Snacks provided by Metz (school provider)
- Team building & Adventure classes
- Pontoon Boat Ecology
- Evening programs

Chaperone cost is **\$30**. If you sign up to be a chaperone, please send the payment to your child's homeroom teacher and indicate the check is for chaperoning. Students do not require any money during the trip for gifts or souvenirs.

DEPARTURE INSTRUCTIONS

On both days of the trip students should arrive to school at regular time.

Students may take their regular school bus and gather in the old cafeteria next to the main entrance.

Buses to camp will depart at 8am.

RETURNING INSTRUCTIONS

Students should be picked up at RMS at 8:30pm, each night.

All pickups will take place at the far end of the building in the cafetorium.

DEADLINE

Permission and payments can be returned to school with your child once school begins in September.

We ask that all paperwork and checks be in no later than Friday Sep. 13th.

Please make checks payable to Randolph Middle School.



Use a smart device and scan the code
to visit Fairview Lake's website!

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Moving up from 5th grade and preparing to enter a larger school with new teachers and different classmates is a very exciting time in a student’s life. Within the first few weeks of this new experience in September, each 6th grader has the opportunity to explore new friendships and team building through our annual Environmental Education / Team Building trip to Fairview Lake YMCA camp in Stillwater, NJ.

The lasting rewards from this experience have been a long-standing tradition in Randolph for more than 45 years. This year’s improvements will feature activities in Science Education, Team Building, and Environmental Education, all at the spectacular waterfront setting of Fairview Lake, which lies beneath the base of the Appalachian Trail ridge.

Please note that this year’s trips are a day only experience. Students will arrive at school at regular time and get picked up each evening for two consecutive days. Students will participate in both indoor and outdoor activities: Rain or Shine. One of our RMS school nurses will be present throughout the duration of the trip. Please help the students prepare a small bag that they can carry that will contain a few important items listed below.

If you are interested in attending this year’s trip as a chaperone, there will be an online signup portal that you will easily be able to fill out, and choose the dates for which you will be available. An email will be sent to you shortly after this letter is mailed home. The email will contain the link for the online chaperone portal.

Best regards, Trip Coordinators, Dom LoPresti & Steve Coleman

<p><u>STUDENT CHECKLIST</u></p> <p>_____ Refillable Water Bottle</p> <p>_____ Sneakers or Boots (no sandals)</p> <p>_____ Casual Attire</p> <p>Optional</p> <p>_____ Bug repellent</p> <p>_____ Sun screen</p> <p>_____ Camera</p> <p>Check weather</p> <p>_____ Sweatshirt or Rain Jacket</p> <p>_____ Hat (Sun / Rain)</p> <p><u>Not Allowed by Fairview Lake YMCA</u></p> <p>Camping Knives Electronics</p> <p>Money (Nothing to buy) Candy, gum, snacks</p>	<p><u>PARENT CHECKLIST: All students and parents,</u></p> <p>_____ Signed Permission Slip</p> <p>_____ \$190.00 Check made payable to Randolph Middle School</p> <p>_____ Arrange for PICKUP at RMS on both evenings at 8:30 pm.</p> <p>_____ \$30.00 Check made payable to Randolph Middle School (Chaperones only)</p>
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PERMISSION SLIP FOR FAIRVIEW LAKE YMCA TRIP

Homeroom Teacher _____ Homeroom # _____

Our son/daughter _____ has our permission to participate in the Team Building / Environmental Education Field Trip at Fairview Lake YMCA 1035 Fairview Lake Road Stillwater, NJ 07875 and Randolph Middle School.

Signature of Parent / Guardian

Father / Stepfather Name: _____

Mother / Stepmother Name: _____

Guardian Name if not parent: _____

Preferred Phone #1: _____ Contact Name: _____

Circle one: Cell Phone Home Work Other

Preferred Phone #2: _____ Contact Name: _____

Circle one: Cell Phone Home Work Other

Person to contact if parent is unavailable:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Medical contact information to be forwarded if necessary:

Physician to contact if necessary: _____ Phone: _____

Insurance Information: ID#: _____

Group#: _____

Date of last tetanus shot: _____

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