

Dear Parents,

It's that time of year to gear up for our camp trip to The Leelanau Outdoor Center (LOC). Third year students will depart school promptly at 8:30 am on Wednesday, May 31st. First and Second year students will depart school at 8:30 am on Thursday, June 1st. On both days we will all travel via LOC's big blue bus and will arrive back at school for car line on Friday, June 2nd.

Attached, you will find a packing list for your child. Please do not send electronics, food items, sunscreen or insect spray. We will have hypoallergenic, organic sunscreen and insect spray available to share.

**\*Please pack a plain white t-shirt, labelled with your child's name. We will be tie dying this year as a craft rotation on Thursday. T-shirts made of mostly or all cotton work best with the dyes.**

Nadine, Jill and Steve will chaperone both Wednesday and Thursday nights with Jodie and Bob Flowers joining for Thursday night. The staff at LOC will be with us throughout our entire stay.

Please complete a **Medication Permission and Instructions** form (found on the TCH website under parents/forms) for any medicines that need to be given or applied during the trip. By 8:15 on the morning of your child's departure, bring the completed form and medication clearly labeled in a Ziploc bag to your child's teacher.

**IMPORTANT:** Two permission forms for the trip are located in the Student Forms Online (SFO) tab on our website by clicking the Children's House Online buttons on the homepage. If you have any trouble finding this, please call the front desk. All students need the forms signed in order to attend camp. The forms are: **The Children's House Consent Acknowledgment Waiver and Release Agreement and Leelanau Outdoor Center Minor Participation Release and Indemnification.**

Your children all have fond memories of their camp visit from past years and the fall. The LOC staff does an excellent job in providing an action packed, fun-filled experience. Weary campers typically drop off to sleep the instant their head hits the pillow. Please let us know if you have any questions or information to share with us to facilitate your child's camp trip.

In case of emergency, you can contact the camp at 231-334-3808 or our cell phone at 231-409-2232 (Nadine) and 231-633-4343 (Jill). The address for LOC is 1653 S. Port Oneida Road, Maple City.

We are looking forward to a great time!

Nadine and Jill