

THE FARM SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Wednesday, April 30th, 2008

Important End of Year Dates:

- Thurs. May 1:** PTSA Meet the Candidates, 3pm
Fri. May 2: Renaissance Festival Field Trip
Fri. May 9: End of Year Program and Graduation
Mon. May 12: Farm School Elementary Family Camp Out at the Swimming Hole! Big Fun!
Fri. May 16: Last day of on campus classes
Fri. May 16: Farm School Prom Night
Mon. May 19 – Thurs. May 22: Secondary School camping trip to Sequoyah Caverns in Alabama
May 19 & 20: Last 2 days of school – Home Study

School Meeting Notes - Wed. 4/30

Agenda: Secondary School Camping Trip, and Yearbook Committee. **Discussion:** Noah supplied answers to our questions regarding the Sequoyah Caverns campsite, including: fees, tours, swimming, and reservations. We discussed when we would leave, how long we will camp, and when we'll return. We also discussed creating a yearbook committee that Molly agreed to coordinate.

Resolutions: 1) Those of us intending to camp out agreed we would go to Sequoyah Caverns in Northeast Alabama from Mon. 5/19 to Thurs. 5/22. 2) Noah & Molly will prepare our camping budget. 3) Molly, Zachary, and Phorest will form a yearbook committee with the first meeting on Thursday, May 1st at lunchtime.

PTSA Meet the Candidates - 5/1 @ 3pm

Thursday at 3pm, meet the Candidates for the two open seats on the Farm School Board. Their bios are posted by the door to the High School room.

TN Renaissance Festival Field Trip- 5/2

On Friday, May 2nd, The Farm School will go to the Renaissance Festival in Arrington, TN. We will be leaving the school at 7am SHARP. We will leave the festival at 2pm so we can be back to the school by 3:30 pm. Please send money with your student (or food and drinks) for breakfast and lunch.

Graduation and End of Year Program - 5/9

Join us next Friday evening to honor our graduates and to celebrate the achievements of our Students!
6:00 - End of Year Program on Farm School Lawn
7:00 - Graduation Commencement and Ceremony
8:00 - Post Graduation Reception at the Roman household (potluck snacks appreciated, not required)

Elementary Family Camp Out- Mon. 5/12

Elementary students are encouraged to camp out with their family at the swimming hole on the evening of May 12th. At 3:30, we will make an excursion off Farm to the home of Jeremy Lee and Sadie Ibur, where their son Jehiah will give us a brief tour of their land. We will then return to our campsite for a cookout and fun and games. **Big Fun!**

Farm School Prom Night - 5/16

As well as being our big end of year party, this event will also serve as a fundraiser for our camping trip to Sequoyah Caverns in Alabama. Stay tuned for details regarding time and venue.

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Yoga @ 12 South in Nashville - 5/3 @ 4pm

This Saturday, May 3rd, Farm School teacher Tonya Jones is instructing a family yoga class at 12 South Yoga in Nashville at 4:00 pm. For contact information, please visit Tonya's website: www.tonyajonesyoga.com The address for 12 South Yoga is 2814 12th Ave South, Nashville, TN 37204 www.12southyoga.com

Wherever you go, go with all your heart. ~Confucius

Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind. ~Dr. Seuss