



Dear 7th grade Parents,

Our 7th grade students will be attending the Sea Camp Marine Science Program, May 8-12, 2023. It is an exceptional program, in beautiful Mission Bay, CA.

General information about Sea Camp is attached. The need-to-know details are listed below.

Where: Mission Bay, CA.....which is located on beautiful Fiesta Island in the Mission Bay 10 miles north of downtown San Diego, CA.

Duration: 5 days and 4 nights

When: Monday, May 8th, 2023, thru Friday, May 12th, 2023

Cost: ~ \$1,100.00 per student for tuition and airfare (we are uncertain currently on the exact cost of the airfare as we are not able to book the flights yet). The pizza fundraiser is a great source of offsetting some of this cost! Contact the PTO to find out how to participate.

Transportation: We will be flying roundtrip from Denver to San Diego via Southwest Airlines. Parents are asked to get your kids to DIA (2.5 hours prior to departure) for the departing flight (time TBD). Sea Camp will transport us with vans to and from the San Diego Airport. Returning flight from San Diego to Denver at (time TBD), parents will pick up your children up from DIA.

Course of Study: *MARINE SCIENCE*

Instructors: All instructors at Sea Camp are educated with at least a college degree and are certified Red Cross Lifeguards with First Aid, CPR for the Professional Rescuer and Oxygen Administration training. Councilors/Instructors are with the students 24 hours a day.

Lodging: Our 7th grade students will stay in a dormitory on the Sea Camp campus. The girls will occupy one dorm building and the boys will occupy the other dorm building. Each facility has a gender appropriate counselor. Bathroom facilities are outside each building, one for each gender.

Meals: Meals will be served to the group at a communal table in the center of the facility. Three, well rounded, tasty meals are provided, per day.

Chaperones: Three RMAE, middle school staff members will chaperone this trip.

Bring: Sleeping bag, pillow, toiletries, towel, water appropriate clothing, regular clothing, hat, notebook, pencils, baggies, water bottle, etc.

Forms: **A Jeffco Messenger will be sent out today after our virtual SEACAMP Meeting. All forms and information will be in that messenger. They can also be found on our website [HERE](#). You will need the SEACAMP forms (last 3 of the packet) filled out and turned in by Thursday, October 13th, 2023 along with a non-refundable deposit in the amount of \$500.00. There is much planning that goes into this trip and the deposit ensures that your child will be going.**