

March 25, 2016



Dear Parents,

On **Monday, April 11 (the day that we are back from Spring Break)**, the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade classes will travel to the Arroyo Hondo Preserve near Gaviota for a field trip to learn about geology, native plant communities and plant adaptations, environmental studies, and Chumash culture.

We will eat snack and lunch at the preserve before returning to campus. Your child will need to bring a hearty and healthy morning snack and a lunch, and Silvergreens orders should be cancelled for that day. Sorry for any inconvenience. Please be sure to also provide a backpack for your child(ren) to carry their layers of clothing, snack/lunch, and a bottle of water. It is a pack it in/ pack it out park, so it is best if snack and lunches are as waste-free as possible. Any trash generated will be packed out by your child(ren).

Due to the presence of ticks and poison oak at the park, the preserve asks that visitors wear long pants, sturdy walking shoes, and socks. The poison oak is very healthy and prolific this year, so long pants will be extra important for this year. Please have your child wear long pants (jeans o.k.), either a uniform shirt or an LBS Jog-a-thon t-shirt, sturdy athletic shoes, and bring a sweatshirt. A hat is a good idea.

Please fill in the lower portion of this form and return it to homeroom by Monday, April 11. The class will travel to and from school by bus.

Thank you,

Ms. Svedlund, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Brown, and Ms. Roca

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(Student name) \_\_\_\_\_

has permission to travel by school bus  
to the Arroyo Hondo Preserve  
on Monday, April 11, 2016

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(parent/guardian signature)

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(date)