



## LAKEVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

### Field trip to Brunette River

We are going on our second field trip of the year on October 18th.

Why so close to the first? Hopefully to see the chum salmon returning to their place of birth in large numbers. Mr. Elmer Rudolph from the Sapperton Fish and Game Club who was part of the group instrumental in reviving the Brunettes River will be taking us on a tour. We will walk along the banks of the river where he will describe the work that was done and how it affected the return of the salmon. It is his best guess that the salmon will be in the stream at this time. Students will have to dress for the weather and bring a bagged lunch and snack.

#### Big ideas:

Grade 6 Multicellular organisms rely on internal systems to survive, reproduce, and interact with their environment.

Grade 7 Evolution by natural selection provides an explanation for the diversity and survival of living things

#### Goals:

To witness first-hand the amazing feat of salmon returning to their birthplace.

To understand the adaptations of salmon as they spawn.

To understand the need to be socially and environmentally responsible for the environment.

To consider the damage done to the environment and how that affects the life of indigenous peoples.

Transportation: We will require parent drivers

Time: We will leave school at 9:20 and arrive back sometime after lunch (sooner if it pours rain).

Place: We will meet in the lower parking lot in Hume Park and cross the street to the path by the river.



*Please return by Tuesday October 8th, 2019*

☐ I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ to take part in the field trip to the Brunette River on October 18th, 2019.

☐ My child will not be participating in this field trip and will do alternative assignments at school.

☐ I am able to drive and to chaperone for the day.

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Signature of Parent or Guardian