

August, 2022

Dear 8th Grade Parents;

As mentioned in my July 20th email, we have secured a fall trip for our 8th grade students! As you will recall, our annual fall trip with Adventure Treks had to be cancelled, as Adventure Treks is not offering any school-based outdoor educational programming for the upcoming school year.

With this in mind, we have arranged an exciting fall trip with the Nantahala Outdoor Center (NOC: <https://noc.com/groups/schools/>). Listed below is some general information for you at this point regarding the fall trip:

- Dates: 9/19-9/22
 - We will depart Seven Hills on **9/19 at 6:00 AM** and arrive at NOC around 1:00 PM
 - We will depart NOC on **9/22 at 1:00 PM** and arrive at Seven Hills around 9:00 PM
 - There will be **no school for 8th grades on 9/23**, allowing all to recover!
- Other information:
 - This trip will have a variety of fun activities, including zip-lining, white water rafting, wilderness survival skills, etc.
 - Please know that we will be in touch with you in August with further details and information about the trip (activities, packing lists, waiver forms, etc.)
 - There is no need for you, as parents, to do anything at this point in the summer. If you do feel the need to get in touch with me, please do so via email (bill.waskowitz@7hills.org).

Please let your 8th grader know of this fun and exciting trip that we are all looking forward to. In the meantime, please find time to enjoy the remaining summer weeks! Thanks, as always, for your time, efforts, and support!

Take care.



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