

Fall Semester - 2021

Field Trip Experience - 1 Trip per FAMILY!

BONUS EXPERIENCE!! Please NOTE only 1 TRIP per family is allowed this semester.

A trip does NOT count toward your maximum number of Community Resource classes, it is a **bonus enrichment opportunity** for students to explore the skills and talents in our community. A project does NOT have to be completed for a field trip, but a trip CAN be the basis for a project that can be counted for another class. If you sign up for a trip and plans change so that your family cannot attend the trip, please email Becky right away as she will be keeping a 'Waiting List' of interested families for each trip. rhalcombe@shamrocks.us

Fri. Sept. 10 - Dutch Creek Farms, Shipshewana, IN

This Amish run family farm and petting zoo is amazing! With over 300 exotic and farm animals available for interaction, there certainly is one that will please everyone in your family. The small animal petting zoo includes everything from goats, rabbits and deer to skunks, lemurs and monkeys. Then enjoy a ride in the safari-style draft horse drawn wagon across the fields to observe and feed lots of large and exotic animals. Everyone is given one bucket of food for the ride. Kids of ALL ages will love being able to safely pet and feed almost every animal by hand.

Partnership Students: FREE

Other students age 3 - 12 - **\$6.95**

Adults - **\$8.95**

Limited to the first 70 students that sign up. I WILL keep a waiting list for this event so please email me should you wish to attend but were unable to do so due to the limit.

Additionally, if you were able to sign up some of your children but not all, because of the limit, email me as well. ALL of your children will be allowed to attend if some of them are registered.

Arrive at location at assigned time - either 9:30am or 11am - A detailed Itinerary for the day will be sent by email on the Monday prior to the TRIP

Website: <https://www.dutchcreekfarmanimalpark.com>

Fri. Sept. 24 - Sarett Nature Center, Benton Harbor, MI

What does it take to make a good home for wildlife? Where do animals live? Meet some of Sarett's animal ambassadors to see where they live, then become a nature detective yourself to find animal homes out on the trails.

Partnership Students: FREE

Other children age 3 and above - \$4.

Adults - \$4.

Limited to the first 40 students that sign up. I WILL keep a waiting list for this event so please email me should you wish to attend but were unable to do so due to the limit.

Additionally, if you were able to sign up some of your children but not all, because of the limit, email me as well. ALL of your children will be allowed to attend if some of them are registered.

Arrive at location at 10am - A detailed Itinerary for the day will be sent by email on the Monday prior to the TRIP

Fri. October 1 - Wolf Lake State Fish Hatchery

Our visit will begin with a wonderful multimedia introduction & presentation in the visitor's center. We will learn about Great Lakes fish, their life cycle, and their habitats. We will also learn how Michigan fish hatcheries work to protect & conserve our lakes, rivers, and streams. Following this, there will be a tour of their operating facility and a nature hike. To wrap things up, we will be able to enjoy our sack lunches on their property as the students have the opportunity to feed and observe some of the fish in a huge in-ground holding tank.

FREE to all!

Limited to the first 40 students that sign up. I WILL keep a waiting list for this event so please email me should you wish to attend but were unable to do so due to the limit. Additionally, if you were able to sign up some of your children but not all, because of the limit, email me as well. ALL of your children will be allowed to attend if some of them are registered.

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Fri. October 15 - Southeast Berrien County Landfill, Niles, MI

We will have the opportunity to see firsthand how a large recycling center works. As well, come and learn how our garbage & rubbish are processed and a landfill is constructed and maintained.

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Thurs. November 4 - Bethel University, Mishawaka, IN

Partnership students have been enjoying Bethel productions for years! I am sure that this year will be NO exception. This year they will be performing *The Hound of Baskerville*. It's a Sherlock Holmes mystery and also a comedy.

Partnership Students: FREE
Other children age 3 and above - \$7.
Adults - \$7.

Limited to the first 60 students who sign up. I WILL keep a waiting list for this event so please email me should you wish to attend but were unable to do so due to the limit. Additionally, if you were able to sign up some of your children but not all, because of the limit, email me as well. ALL of your children will be allowed to attend if some of them are registered.

Arrive at location at 9:15am - A detailed Itinerary for the day will be sent by email on the Monday prior to the TRIP

Fri. December 10 - Nutcracker Ballet - Morris Performing Arts Center, South Bend, IN

This timeless holiday event has become a tradition for the Partnership program. It will be performed at the beautiful Morris Performing Arts Center in downtown South Bend and is a lovely way to bring in the Holiday season!

Partnership Students: FREE

Other children - \$4.

Adults - **\$5.**

Limited to the first 60 students who are signed up. I WILL keep a waiting list for this event so please email me should you wish to attend and were unable to do so due to the limit. Additionally, if you were able to sign up some of your children but not all, because of the limit, email me as well. ALL of your children will be allowed to attend if some of them are registered.

Arrive at location at 9am - A detailed Itinerary for the day will be sent by email on the Monday prior to the TRIP