

Dear Parent/Guardian:

September 25, 2007

The Mount Si Wildcat Production Club is planning an extended learning experience that will take us to Orlando Florida to experience the Film and Media industry first hand. This experience will be chaperoned by the WPC' advisor, Joe Dockery along with teacher Rick Haag from Tahoma high school and a handful of parent chaperones. You are receiving this letter because your student has expressed interest in participating in this experience. We plan to leave Seattle on Wednesday evening, January 16, and return on Monday, January 21. Below lists some of the opportunities that your student could experience.

Studio Tours

- Universal Studio's Special FX Tour*
- MGM Studios Behind the Scenes Tour*

Attend Live Taping on set

- To be determined*

Possible College Visits

- Full Sail*
- The Digital Animation & Visual Effects School at Universal Florida*

As you can see there is a wealth of experiences to be had! There are also many more opportunities to choose from so these are just a few of the possibilities. This trip is also being planned in coordination with Tahoma High School. Not only will your students have the opportunity to learn and grow with fellow WPC students but they will also benefit from exposure to other students who show a dedicated interest to the Art of Film.

I have had the opportunity to take many students on extended learning experiences to destinations such as Portland, New York and Los Angeles. I am looking forward to the opportunity of providing your student with an experience to remember.

I have estimated airfare, hotel, transportation and tickets to be roughly \$800. Please be aware that this does not include spending money or money for food. Students will have the opportunity to produce special event DVD's to help offset the cost of their trip. Please talk with your student to see if they plan to be involved in these fundraising productions. Also, please be aware that we are limited to 12 students on this trip, and a selection criterion has been set up for selection purposes.

Please note that this trip has yet to be approved by the Snoqualmie Valley School Board. All plans being made are tentative and will not become firm until approved by the School Board. This trip will be presented at an upcoming School Board meeting. Upon School Board approval, you will receive another letter with an itemized breakdown of expenses and additional details. A Payment of \$500 will be due mid to late October with the balance due in mid to late November. Travel arrangements cannot be made until money has been received. Proceeds raised through fundraising efforts through March 31 (not to exceed the prepaid amount) will be credited toward their individual accounts. On March 31, I will submit a refund request for overpayment to those students who raised money through fundraising. It will take approximately 4-6 weeks after the request is submitted for a check to be received.

By signing this letter, you are acknowledging the expenses associated with this trip and your willingness to support your student in this endeavor. This signature only signifies support at this time and you are not making a commitment to the trip. If you have any questions, please e-mail me at dockeryj@svsd410.org.

Parent Signature

Date

Student Signature

Date