



TO: Board of Education
Mr. Scot Prebles, Superintendent

FROM: Todd Rings, Middle School Principal

RE: Approval of Middle School Overnight Trips:
Washington, D.C. (grade 8)
State Competitions

DATE: June 15, 2015

I am requesting Board approval of our Washington, D.C. trip for the 2015-2016 school year.

The Washington, D.C. trip will be May 10th through May 13th. Great Day Tour Company is again coordinating our trip that will include Gettysburg, the monuments, Arlington National Cemetery, and numerous museums. We will be staying at the National 4-H Center. Staff members, both DARE officers, and parents will be chaperoning our trip. The cost for next year's trip is approx. \$510. Scholarships are available for those experiencing financial difficulties and students also have the opportunity to raise money for their trip through an organized fundraiser.

I would also ask approval for the following teams to attend state competitions should they qualify.

Power of the Pen
Model United Nations
Math Counts
Science Olympiad