



**FIELD TRIP NOTIFICATION AND
PERMISSION FORM**

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Grade 9 Bison Fun Day
Thursday, January 30th, 2020

Dear Students and Parents:

This year Ardrossan Jr. Sr. High School will provide a day of special activities for our grade 9 students at the end of semester 1 called "Bison Fun Day". This day is intended to be a fun-filled day of activity, friendship and school spirit for our grade 9 students. The goal is to provide a choice of unique and fun activities that students would not normally be able to experience at school, while giving all students an opportunity to spend time with friends in a more relaxed social setting.

Bison Fun Day will be held this year on Thursday, January 30, 2020. All grade 9 students are eligible to attend. The day will feature 2 opportunities: 1-bowling, laser tag and a movie or 2-skiing/snowboarding at Sunridge during the school day. This is a regular school day, and we expect that all grade 9 students will attend. Students who choose not to participate or do not register or pay for sessions prior to the deadline will be expected to attend school for the day and complete assigned work. Parents should contact the school, as usual, to advise us of any absences.

Students have the following two options:

- A. **Bowling and Laser Tag in Edmonton at Gateway Center**
Lunch on their own in the food court @ Sherwood Park Mall- purchase or bring a lunch.
A movie at Galaxy Cineplex in Sherwood Park (students will be voting on the choice of movie, once the movie listings are released).

OR

- B. **Skiing/Snowboarding @ Sunridge (40 students maximum, first come first serve)- if cancelled due to weather or participation, students would be going to Gateway and Movie)**

Cost per student is \$30, you have already paid \$20 on your school fees. There will be additional cost of \$10 to cover the costs of tickets/entrance fees. If rental of skis is required, this is an additional cost of \$12. Snowboard rental is an additional \$15.

Please note: Gateway Center, Sherwood Park Mall and Sunridge are public facilities and open to the public during our visit.

Permission/Registration Form and Payment

As we need to plan well in advance and book the facilities and buses, we require all students to register and pay in advance. However, no students will be left out due to cost factors. The signed permission/registration form and payment for both trips are due back to the school no later than Thursday, January 16th, 2020.

Supervision and Safety

There is an element of risk in every athletic activity. The safety and well being of students is of primary importance and attempts are made to manage the foreseeable risks inherent in physical activity by taking appropriate precautions. However, due to the very nature of some activities, the risk of injury may increase. The Safety Guidelines for Physical Activity in Alberta Schools will be followed for all activities. However, bowling, laser tag, skiing and snowboarding have inherent risks that both students and parents need to be aware of. Failure to obey safety rules and precautions may result in serious injury or death.

Students will be supervised by teachers, school staff and parent volunteers. In the interest of student safety, we are asking that you notify us of any medical concerns or special needs that your son/daughter may have.

Ardrossan Jr. Sr. High School reserves the right to cancel the trip if there is not enough participation by students for this day. Regular classes would occur.

Elk Island Public Schools does not carry accident insurance for students. Personal coverage is encouraged.

We would greatly appreciate having volunteers to help with supervision on this field trip. Please call the school (780-922-2228) if you can assist us in this regard. Should you have any questions about the above information, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Sincerely,



Miss MJ Nam
Principal
Ardrossan Jr. Sr. High School



Mr. Lonnie Hicks
Assistant Principal
Grade 9 Administrator

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Permission/Registration Form and Emergency Information

Return by Thursday, January 16th, 2020

Registration

Student Name: _____

Homeroom: _____

I, _____, give permission for my child

to participate in the:

- Gateway Bowling and Laser Tag, Lunch in the Food Court SP Mall (bag lunch or own expense) and Cineplex Theatre - \$10

- Sunridge, Lunch at the hill (bag lunch or own expense) - \$10
 - Add \$12 for Ski Rental
 - Add \$15 for Snowboard

Medical Conditions: _____

Emergency Contact Information: _____

I am able to volunteer: Name _____ Phone _____

We will contact you to confirm your supervision.

I have read and understand all the attached information for the field trip.

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____