

“Passport to your Future” 8th Grade Career Day

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We are very excited to be presenting “Passport to your Future,” an all-day 8th grade Career Day and field trip to Schenectady County Community College.

On **Friday, March 19, 2010** we will be busing the students to SCCC from 8:30-1:00. Students will attend 4 different career sessions, listening to guest speakers discuss their careers. Sessions are based on interest inventories they completed back in October. Afterwards, students will have the opportunity to eat lunch on campus. Pizza, salad, milk/water and cookies will be provided for a cost of \$7 per student, or students can bring a bagged lunch and forgo the \$7 fee.

This day is meant to be fun and exciting but also to be taken seriously as we expose our students to the professional world. We are asking that all students “dress for success” and therefore, follow the dress code: slacks or black denim pants or appropriate length skirts/dresses for girls (no jeans, no sweatpants, and no shorts). Boys should wear a collared shirt and girls should wear a blouse or sweater (no t-shirts, sweatshirts, or tank tops). If your child does not have clothing that meets this dress code, please contact us as soon as possible and we will do our best to find appropriate attire. Any students who show up to school on **Friday 3/19** dressed inappropriately will **NOT** be allowed to attend.

All 8th graders are expected to attend. Please sign the permission slip and indicate if your child will be buying or bringing a lunch. **Permission slips and \$7 CASH ONLY!** (if buying lunch) are due back to your child’s **1st period “D” day teacher** as soon as possible, but **no later than Wednesday March 17th.**

We are also looking for chaperones! If you are interested and available to chaperone the entire day, please indicate below.

We thank you for your anticipated support as we bring back Career Day! Please feel free to call or e-mail us with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Draper Guidance Counselors
Kyra McTighe, Angie Santabarbara and Debbie Wood
356-8371 kmctighe@mohonasen.org

My child _____ has permission to attend Career Day on Friday March 19, 2010.

(Please check one of the two lunch options below)
Enclosed is \$7 cash for my child to have the pizza, salad, milk/water and cookies for lunch.

My child will not be buying lunch but will bring a bagged lunch instead.

(Please indicate if you are or are NOT interested in Chaperoning this event)

I AM interested in chaperoning Career Day. I can be contacted at _____.

I am NOT interested in chaperoning Career Day.

Parent Name/Signature _____ Date _____

Draper Field Trip Permission/Medical Information Sheet

Career Day - 3-19-10

Student _____ Grade 8

Name of persons to call in case of an emergency during hours of the trip

Name _____ Relationship to student _____

Phone: Hm _____ Wk _____ Cell _____

Name _____ Relationship to student _____

Phone: Hm _____ Wk _____ Cell _____

Physician _____ Phone _____

Insurance Carrier _____

Is your child currently on medication? Yes ___ No ___ if yes, name of medication _____ reason _____

Will your child be taking this medication during the hours of the field trip?

Yes _____ * No _____

Does your child know what medication they are taking, when to take it, why they need it and how to take their medication? Yes ___ No ___ . If yes, you are indicating that they are "**self-directed**". Your child will be responsible to remember to ask a chaperone or nurse(if attending) for their prescribed medication. ***If your child normally takes this medication during the school day and medical notes are on file, your child will get this medication on the field trip if warranted.** If the medication is not normally taken in school, a permission slip from a parent and physician must be attached to this form. The medication in its original container must be given to the school nurse at least 2 days before the trip.

All asthma inhalers should be in the possession of the student during the trip.

They are responsible for remembering to carry it with them.

If there is anything the chaperones should know about your child please use the space below to provide details

I give the above named student permission to go on this trip.

In my absence and if I cannot be reached in the event of an emergency, I being the parent/guardian of the above minor do hereby give permission for any emergency medical care to be given. I assume all responsibility for this designation and hold the school district harmless from any liability that may result from this designation.

Parent/Guardian signature _____ Date _____

Please return this form by 3-17-10 to D day 1st block teacher

(Both sides of this form needs to be filled out)