

October 21, 2019

7th Grade Students/Parents:

Plans are beginning to take shape for the annual GCS Mackinaw Trip! This year's trip is scheduled for **Memorial Day weekend, May 23-25, 2020**. This class adventure is one of the highlights students look back on with fond memories. The school encourages all 7th grade students to participate in this class bonding, history exploring, and memory building experience. We invite parents to come along to strengthen their relationships with their children as well as build relationships with other GCS parents. Please let me know if you would be willing to chaperone and/or drive for this trip by filling out an attached participant form.

This is a very full, fast moving three-day adventure to Sault St. Marie, Mackinac Island, and Mackinaw City. Saturday is spent in Sault St. Marie where we will be taking a boat tour through the Soo Locks, touring the Museum Ship Valley Camp, and stopping at the visitor's center to watch ships raise and lower in the locks. We will then travel to Mackinaw City for dinner and free time downtown.

Sunday will be enjoyed on Mackinac Island. We will start with a carriage ride tour to the Butterfly Conservatory and Arch Rock. Next, we step back in time to tour Fort Mackinac and then eat lunch at the amazing Grand Hotel. Finally, we have free time to shop, bike, and relax on beautiful Mackinac Island.

Monday in Mackinaw City will start off with a self-guided tour of Fort Michilimackinac and the Mackinaw Lighthouse, a tour of the retired Coast Guard icebreaker ship "Mackinaw," and wrap-up at historic Mill Creek.

The cost of this year's all-inclusive Mackinaw trip is **\$250.00 per person**. This cost includes transportation, lodging, all meals, daily activities, group t-shirt, and admission fees into the various state parks. Each participant will have the opportunity to add the Adventure Package while at Mill Creek (see page 2). The cost of this package is an extra \$9.50 per person and is completely optional. If you would like your name on the back of your group t-shirt, that is an additional \$4.00 and again is completely optional.

Items that will need to be turned in to Mrs. Heath by Friday, November 22, 2019:

***** All students whether attending or NOT attending need to return the enrollment form. *****

- 1. Mackinaw Enrollment Form (one per participant)**
- 2. Medical Form with copy of both sides of insurance card (students only)**
- 3. Mackinaw Group T-Shirt Order Form (one per family)**
- 4. Non-refundable deposit of \$50.00 (per participant)**
- 5. Adventure Package Fee of \$9.50 (if chosen – add to deposit)**
- 6. Name on back of T-Shirt Fee of \$4.00 (if chosen – add to deposit)**

The remaining balance will be spread out into two payments of \$100.00 each. The payment due dates are Friday, February 7, 2020 and Friday, April 17, 2020. If you are unable to make your payment by these dates, please contact me.

I am looking forward to a wonderful trip! Please use my school email to contact me with any questions.

For His Glory,

Mrs. Katie Heath

kheath@geneseechristianschool.com

Mackinaw Enrollment Form



****One participant per form.**

Participant's Name: _____ Student _____ Adult _____
Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Home Phone _____
Father's Cell/Work Ph _____ Mother's Cell/Work Ph _____
Parent's email: _____ Age of student on May 23-25, 2020: _____

Parent's please sign if student is NOT GOING on this trip. _____

Return this Enrollment Form to Mrs. Heath along with your check payable to Genesee Christian School.

ADVENTURE PACKAGE @ MILL CREEK

(Optional) \$9.50 per person

Naturalist guided nature tour takes you trekking through the treetops on the Forest Canopy Bridge, soaring over Mill Creek on the Eagle's Flight Zip Line, and up the Nature Trail Climbing Wall. All minors (ages 12-17) must have a waiver signed by a parent. Minors ages 11 and under must have a parent accompany the minor. All participants must be at least 4 feet tall, weigh between 50 and 250 pounds, wear shoes that are securely attached to your feet, not be wearing skirts or dresses, and have their Waiver of Liability form signed by a parent or guardian if under 18 (to be handed out later).

Yes, I would like the Adventure Package. If yes, please add \$9.50 per person to your deposit.

Please read, sign & date (Required for Adventure Package)

By checking the box, I am granting my child permission to participate in the Adventure Package and do not hold Genesee Christian School and its faculty responsible for any injuries that might occur while on tour. I risk forfeiting 100% of my payment for this package if I cancel my enrollment prior to the scheduled departure date.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

Date

MACKINAW SHIRTS (SEE ORDER FORM)

Cost of shirt has been included price of the trip

YES: LAST NAME ON THE BACK OF MY SHIRT. If yes, please add \$4 to your deposit.

PAYMENT
INFO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID IN FULL BY APRIL 17, 2020.

- \$50 Deposit for enrollment. (plus \$9.50 Adventure Package &/or \$4 for last name on back of shirt, if chosen—see above) is due on Friday, November 22, 2019
- \$100 payment is due on or before Friday, February 7, 2020
- \$100 Final payment is due on or before Friday, April 17, 2020

Final payments not received 30 days prior to scheduled departure date forfeit enrollment on the trip.

STANDARD CANCELLATION POLICY

All cancellation requests **must be submitted** in writing either by **letter or by email** to kheath@geneseechristianschool.com listing the participant(s) name and the reason for the cancellation. **Your original deposit is non-refundable.** Any balance paid, not including the non-refundable deposit, will be refunded for written cancellations prior to 31 days from the scheduled date of departure. **No refund will be given for any cancellations 30 days or less (after April 25) from the scheduled departure date.**

Please read, sign & date: (Required for Trip Enrollment)

I have read and understand the terms and conditions as outlined on this Enrollment Form.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

Date

Parent Chaperones only:

Please check this box if you are willing to help drive. By checking this box, I understand that I may not be reimbursed for all gas and travelling expenses.

_____ **Number of passengers I will be able to take (do not include driver in the count).**

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AUTHORIZATION TO CONSENT TO MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR DEPENDENT

I (we) _____ and _____ of _____,
(first name) (first name) (last Name) (city)

_____ County, Michigan do hereby state that I am (we are) the (natural parent(s))
(county)

(legal guardian(s)) having legal custody of _____ a minor, age _____,
(child's name) (age)

born _____ who resides with me (us) at _____,
(date) (address, city, state)

I (we) authorize | **Mrs. Katie Heath** | who is a teacher at Genesee Christian School at 1223 South Belsay Road,
Burton, MI 48509

to consent to any X- ray, examination, anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment, and hospital care, to be rendered to the above named minor under the general or special supervision and on the advice of any physician or surgeon licensed to practice when the need for such treatment is immediate and efforts to contact me (us) are unsuccessful. I (we) will not hold Genesee Christian School and/or its staff is responsible for any accidents or mishaps to my child.

Dated the _____ day of _____ 20_____.

Emergency Contact

I authorize Genesee Christian School and/or its staff to contact the person(s) listed below when efforts to contact me have been unsuccessful.

_____ Name _____	_____ Relationship _____	(_____) _____ Phone Number _____
_____ (signature of parent or guardian)		(_____) _____ (home phone)
(_____) _____ (mom's cell phone)		(_____) _____ (mom's work phone)
(_____) _____ (dad's cell phone)		(_____) _____ (dad's work phone)

INSURANCE INFORMATION

Company: _____

Address: _____

Name in which policy is listed: _____

Home address of subscriber (if different than parent or guardian)

Child's Doctor: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

Child's Allergies (if any): _____

Medications child is currently taking (name and amount): **All medication must be in the original containers with proper labels.**

(Please include a copy of both sides of your insurance card)

Mackinaw Group T-Shirt Form

for 7TH Grade student & parents

- Jerzees Heavyweight Blend
- 50% cotton/50% polyester NuBlend® preshrunk
- Sizes: (Adult S, M, L, XL)
- Size: (Adult 2XL extra \$2.00)
- Size: (Adult 3XL extra \$3.00)

Add your last name on the back for \$4
 (Add this cost to your deposit)

*****This is approved “spirit wear” by administration and may be worn any day to school! *****

All orders need to be turned in with enrollment form by Friday, November 22, 2019 to Mrs. Heath. Orders will be delivered at the Mackinaw meeting in the spring.

Family Name _____ Phone Number _____

All attendees will receive a shirt. The cost of the shirt is included with your trip unless ordering a 2XL or 3XL (see above).

Use one line for each item ordered (Please indicate who the shirt is for).

Name of Person	Qty.	Adult Sizes Only	OPTIONAL Last Name on the back of shirt (Add \$4)	Cost
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$

Total due \$ _____

Money is only due for added names on the back or larger sizes ordered.