



HARRISON KZ JAN. 29– FEB. 9, 2024 NEWSLETTER

HARRISON NEWS

Welcome Harrison families!

January is almost over, the month of LOVE is heading our way!

Even with all the day off of school, kids zone had an excellent two weeks. We introduced two new rules, which the kids memorized quickly. Butterfly ball continues to be a huge hit with the students, with Hoola-Hoop Showdown following as a close second.

The next two week themes are Jungle/Zoo and Pioneer/Oregon Trail. I have had some of the staff create some new games and crafts. One game created by some staff are called farmers tag so be on the look out for that. A craft I am excited for is the edible cowboy hat on February 8th! They will be sent home with each participant.

Please continue to make sure you are providing jackets and or sweat-shirts as participants will be going outside. Also, if there is snow on the ground, participants will be unable to play in the snow unless they have the proper snow gear being snow pants and boots. Please send an allergy aware snack and refillable water bottle each day. It is also important to label the participants belongings as it is extremely helpful when trying to help the children keep track of their things.

***** ALLERGY NOTE:** We have kids with extremely severe nut allergies in our program. Please only send snacks with your child for Kids Zone that are **100% NUT FREE**, this includes Nutella, almond butter, etc. Only sunflower seed butter or soy butter is allowed. This is **EXTREMELY IMPORTANT**. ***

Please report any program absences to us as well as the school at HSS.kidszone@genevaparks.com or call 630-945-5043.

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IMPORTANT DATES

Sign up for Day off Fun Zone!

On February 19th there is no school. Registration Deadline is 2/12

On March 1st there is no school. Registration Deadline is 2/23



GENERAL KIDS' ZONE REMINDERS

- We ask that you make sure the kids do NOT bring any toys from home. We don't want anything to go missing or break while at Kids' Zone.
- Please make sure your child is dressing appropriately for the weather. We will enjoy the outdoors as much as possible!
- Label your children's coats and other belongings. Be sure to check our lost and found daily!
- Please remember if your child is going to be absent to call the site to let us know. Our phone is only on during program operating hours but feel free to call anytime. Please leave a message with the date and your child's name if calling them in for the day.
- Have Fun!

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JAN. 29– FEB. 9 , 2024 Calendar

Jan. 29th– Feb. 2nd	Monday - 1/29	Tuesday - 1/30	Wednesday - 1/31	Thursday - 2/1	Friday - 2/2
Jungle/Zoo 	Craft Paper Plate Snake Activity Rumble in the Jungle	Craft Pipe Cleaner Chameleon Activity Zoo Captivity Tag	Craft Paper Plate Elephant Activity What Time is it Mr. Fox	Craft Popsicle Stick Hippopotamus Activity Penguin Show-down	Craft Less than/greater than gator sticks Activity Monkey Ball
February 5th-9th	Monday - 2/5	Tuesday - 2/6	Wednesday - 2/7	Thursday - 2/8	Friday - 2/9
Pioneers/ Oregon Trail 	Craft Popsicle Stick Harmonica Activity Farmers Tag	Craft Paper Plate Horseshoe Activity Horseshoe Tic-Tac- Toe	Craft Color by Numbers Activity Directional I-Spy	Craft Edible cowboy hat Activity Tug of War	Craft Melted Beads Activity Scavenger Hunt

DAY OFF FUN ZONE

Looking for some fun-filled activities on your day off of school? Day Off Fun Zone is the place to be! Join your friends for a structured day of on-site adventures including arts and crafts, active games, themed activities, field trips and more!

2023-24 Institute Days and School Holidays

Institute Days, non-attendance days, and School Holidays are not included in the installment plan.

During some of these days, we offer Day Off Fun Zone, which requires additional registration and fees.

Registration can be completed online or ask us for a program flyer.

JOIN US ON SOME FUN FIELD TRIPS!

Kindergarten-5th Grade. Please see below and website for destinations that are scheduled.

Date & Featured Trip	Trip & Activities (8:00am-2:15pm) Code	Before Hours (6:30-8am) Code	After Hours (2:15-6pm) Code	Registration Deadline
General Day Off Trips				
January 15 - Puttshack	1212001-1A	1212001-1B	1212001-1C	1/8
February 19 - Field Museum	1212001-2A	1212001-2B	1212001-2C	2/9
March 1 - Main Event	1212001-3A	1212001-3B	1212001-3C	2/23

WORK WHERE YOU PLAY

NOW HIRING: GROUP LEADERS

- Ages 16+
- Shifts 6-8am and/or 2-6pm M-F

\$15/hour starting
No nights or weekends!

APPLY HERE!

A JOB THAT REWARDS YOU BACK

NOW HIRING: SITE COORDINATORS

- Ages 21+ with associates degree or higher
- IMRF benefits

\$20/hour starting
No nights or weekends!