


SOPHOMORE CLASS RETREAT!



SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER 18, 2015

ADMISSION TO THE DAY: 2 CANS OF FOOD OR BOXES OF PASTA for our 1st food drive of 2014-2015. Food will be donated to a local food pantry for distribution to individuals and families in need.

TIME	ACTIVITY
8:05 – 8:25	In Commons -- ADVISORY GROUPS + ATTENDANCE Collect food for food drive!  Bagel breakfast
8:30	LOAD BUSES
8:35 – 10:15 AM	BUS RIDE to NYC – 6 advisories will sit on one bus, six on another. TBA
10:30	Orientation, directions for hunt (students stay on buses)
10:45 – 12:30	Metropolitan Museum of Art SCAVENGER HUNT WITH WATSON TOURS!
12:30 -1:15	LUNCH –with advisor at local establishments bring \$10-15
2:30	Load Busses, take attendance
2:30-4:15/4:30	Trip back to Friends Academy
4:15/ 4:30	Return to Friends (estimated time of arrival)

A note re: the history of this retreat

day (Sept 2014): The idea of a kick-off retreat for the sophomores came out of student discussions several years ago where students expressed that they would really benefit from a day being ALL TOGETHER to get re-acquainted after the summer. The city trip would be the "all-class trip" for the 10th grade and help to bring them up to par in sharing with an all-class experience similar to what the other classes had (e.g. - 9th - outdoor ed, 11th - Washington, 12th - retreat at Camp DeWolfe). Since then, we have had some great retreat days into New York City, and it is our strong hope that this Friday's event will be a terrific one where we will grow together as a community!

Sincerely,

Sophomore Class Advisors