

GIDDYAP! WE'RE OFF TO THE WELLS FARGO MUSEUM!

Our first trip is scheduled for **Thursday, April 8th**, to the Wells Fargo Museum in downtown Los Angeles. This interesting trip examines early California history, the use of stagecoaches, the discovery of gold, and even the use of the telegraph. (Admission is free.)



To reach the museum, we'll be boarding a school bus (compliments of PFC) around 8:30 a.m. Once downtown, if time allows, we'll also be taking an Art Walk to tour the exterior of Disney Hall and to view the public art—sculptures created by such world-renown artists as Louise Nevelson, Alexander Calder, Joan Miro, Jean Dubuffet, Nancy Graves, Nancy Rubins, and more.

After the walk, we'll enjoy a wonderful, docent-guided tour of the Wells Fargo Museum. Following the tour, we'll lunch around the reflecting pool on the east side of MOCA. Then, we'll hop onto our school bus and head back "home."

This fantastic trip involves a lot of walking, so comfortable clothing (**with pockets**) and shoes are a must. Children will need to have **POCKET SNACKS** to tide them over until lunch. Please don't pack "meltables." Make sure your child gets plenty of sleep the night before.

WHAT IS NEEDED:

Field Trip Form

- The Field Trip Form needs to be completed, signed, and returned by Monday, March 15th. Check to make sure that you completed and signed **BOTH** the top and bottom portions of the form.

Sack Lunches

- Students will need a healthy lunch and a bottle of water. This should be placed in a sack with his/her name on it, and then double-bagged inside a plastic grocery bag which is also labeled with the student's name. [Remember, a parent chaperone will be toting several lunches.]

Pocket Snacks

- Provide your child with a couple of healthy, "non-meltable" pocket snacks.

Clothing and Shoes

- Make sure that your child is dressed in layers, with a focus on pockets [for the snacks] and comfortable, sneakers.

Rest

- Enforce an **early bedtime** the night before the trip, and make sure your child eats a **healthy breakfast**.

The infamous highwayman, Black Bart

