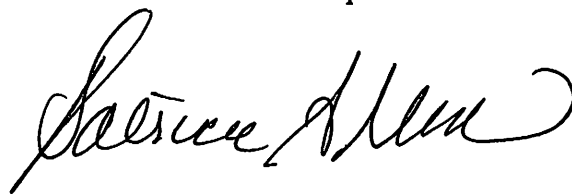


Sixth Grade Parents,

June is creeping up on us!! All of us here in the 6th grade are gearing up for our Heifer International adventure. We are all paid-up and ready for the experience! Together, we are headed out to Rutland, Mass. on **June 17th** to take part in Heifer International's Global Village Tour. Students will learn about cultures from around the world by first taking part in a guided tour of the eight world villages and their corresponding cultural gardens. By lunch, we will all be hungry and so will split into small groups and each head off to one of eight cultural villages. Once situated in the "village", the group will communally create their very own lunch. Group members will be busy as grain will need to be crushed, fires made, dough kneaded, vegetables cut, pans prepared for the fire, and ingredients mixed together with precious little water. Each group will enjoy a lunch indicative of his/her cultural village. I ate in the Peruvian village last year and enjoyed hot tamales, beans and hot, sugary coffee - all cooked over an open fire that was built by students. Building our fire was interesting!

We are headed out on the **7:00a.m. boat from Vineyard Haven**. Students **should arrive no later than 6:30a.m.** Your child should enjoy a satisfying **breakfast at home** or bring breakfast to the boat. Students will not have access to the food court on the ferry. As always, **soda, candy, chips, and gum are not allowed** on this trip. Please no packed milk. You may wish to **pack a snack** and a **water bottle** as we have an hour and a half ride to Rutland - please, no canned or bottled drinks. We should arrive at Overlook Farm by 10:00 for the start of our day. Our program finishes at 2:30p.m, at which time we will start **back for the 6:15 p.m. ferry**. Your child may be hungry by the time we hit the Cape and so we will stop for pizza and water in Falmouth. The cost of pizza and water has been figured into the cost of the trip.



Mrs. Patricia A. Nelson

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Field Trip Permission and Waiver

Heifer Project International ("Heifer International", "we", "our" or "us") is an international charitable organization whose mission is to work with communities to end hunger and poverty and to care for the Earth.

We understand the individual identified below (the "participant") will be participating in a field trip at a Heifer Learning Center. We routinely film and take photos of activities occurring at such field trips, and would like to obtain permission to use and edit the resulting photos and video footage, along with the participant's name, indefinitely and free of charge, for training, fundraising and education purposes in furtherance of our charitable mission. We would also like to obtain permission for the participant to participate in the field trip.

By signing below, participant (and, if participant is 17 years of age or under, participant's parent or guardian) (a) grants Heifer International the permission requested above, (b) WAIVES AND RELEASES Heifer International and its directors, officers, representatives, employees, and volunteers from, and INDEMNIFIES them against, any and all claims, demands, damages, actions, uses of action, and liabilities that may arise from the field trip or the use of said photos and video footage, and (c) agrees Heifer International will be the exclusive owner of any results or proceeds from such photos and video footage.

Please Print Clearly

Participant's Name	Participant's Signature	Date	Participant's Date of Birth
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If participant is 17 years of age or under:

Parent's/Guardian's Name	Parent's/Guardian's Signature	Date
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Parent's/Guardian's Contact Information

Please check the "opt out" box below if you do not wish to receive correspondence/communication from us)

Mailing Address	Zip Code	Email Address	Phone #
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Opt out (I do NOT wish to receive correspondence/communication from Heifer International)

Internal use only:

Sponsoring Organization: _____
 Program Name/Dates: _____
 Location: Heifer Ranch Heifer Farm Heifer Village