

Natural History Museum

of Los Angeles County

Please sign and return to your Scout Leader by Date: 2/2/10
Scouts who do not have a signed form cannot participate

PARENTAL CONSENT FORM

We/I hereby apply for _____ (child's name) to be admitted into the Overnight Adventure Program of the Page Museum at the La Brea Tar Pits on March 20-21, 2010 (date) from 7 PM until 9 AM. I understand that he or she will be working under the direction of Museum Staff and his/ her Leaders at the Museum and that in the event I have any questions or concerns, Katy Haugland, Family Programs Assistant Coordinator, 213/763-3536 or Robin Savoian, Manager, Family and Community Programs, 213/763-3535 are available to assist me. We/I agree that work done in the program will be subject to all rules of the Museum. We/I hereby release the County of Los Angeles, the Los Angeles County Natural History Foundation and their respective officers, employees and agents from any claims, costs, losses or injuries related to the participation of _____ (child's name) in the program.

I understand that photographs of program participants may be taken by the Museum. As a condition of his/her being admitted into the program, I agree that the Museum has the right to take photographs of _____ (child's name) and use the photographs to benefit the Museum.

Signature Parent or Guardian

Date

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name of Emergency Contact

Address of Emergency Contact

Emergency Phone Number

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Overnight Adventure Rules to Enforce With Your Group

General Museum Rules*

1. No running please
2. Please do not touch exhibits (unless specifically a “hands-on” exhibit)
3. Please use indoor voices
4. Please stay in designated areas
5. Please leave the Museum clean
6. Please use common courtesy
7. Please **follow the directions of Museum Staff and Group Leaders**

*Please remember that it is a privilege to spend the night at the Museum and that we must have your utmost respect of the Museum and the things we have here.

Overnight Adventure Rules

1. Stay with your group and **always** have an adult from your group with you!
2. No eating or drinking in Museum, except in designated areas.
3. Please leave “goo” inside plastic bags until you arrive at home.
4. Please don't open crafts until you arrive at home.
5. Do not point flashlights in anyone's face
6. Take a buddy or adult to the bathroom in the middle of the night.
7. When quiet time and lights out are announced, that means:
Quiet Time and Lights Out.
DO NOT EXPLORE THE MUSEUM AFTER LIGHTS OUT!
8. For early risers: prior to 7 AM, please remain quiet. A Museum Staff will wake everyone at 7 AM. You may leave early but please respect the people that are still sleeping.

What to Bring

1. Sleeping bag, pillow, and pad (**You may bring an air mattress and pump -- there are no pumps at the Museum. There are electrical outlets throughout the Museum for plugging in your pump.**)
2. Tooth brush and paste
3. Pajamas
4. Flashlight
5. A jacket
6. Wear clothes you do not mind getting messy

Adult Expectations – Page Museum

Thank you for participating with us tonight. To ensure your Overnight Adventure is an enjoyable and educational experience, we expect the following:

1. Group Supervision

- The Museum Staff is responsible for providing your group with an exceptional experience. We do require, however, that you ensure your group follows the rules and acts in a respectful and appropriate manner.
- Please enforce Museum rules with your group.
- You are responsible for your group's behavior at all times.
- An adult should be with children at all times. Children should not roam the Museum without adult supervision.
- Adults, please stay with your group.
- If you or your group is not following the Museum rules or these guidelines, the Museum reserves the right to have you leave the program.

2. Activity Participation

- Please provide assistance to your group during activities (helping instructors distribute materials, making sure children stay focused on task, etc.)

3. Night-time Supervision

- While we don't expect you to stay awake the whole night, we do ask that you get your group settled down for bed as soon as possible and be aware of their whereabouts during the evening. Please do not let children explore the museum by themselves after "lights-out."
- Please ensure that when the lights are turned out, children do not play with their flashlights or disturb others.
- Please make sure children know to take a buddy with them to the restroom during the middle of the night.
- For early risers: prior to 7 AM, please remain quiet. A Museum Staff will wake everyone at 7 AM. You may leave early but please respect the people that are still sleeping.

4. Food & Drink

- There is no food or drink allowed anywhere in the Museum except for in the La Brea Theater, where we have snacks and breakfast.

5. Cell phones

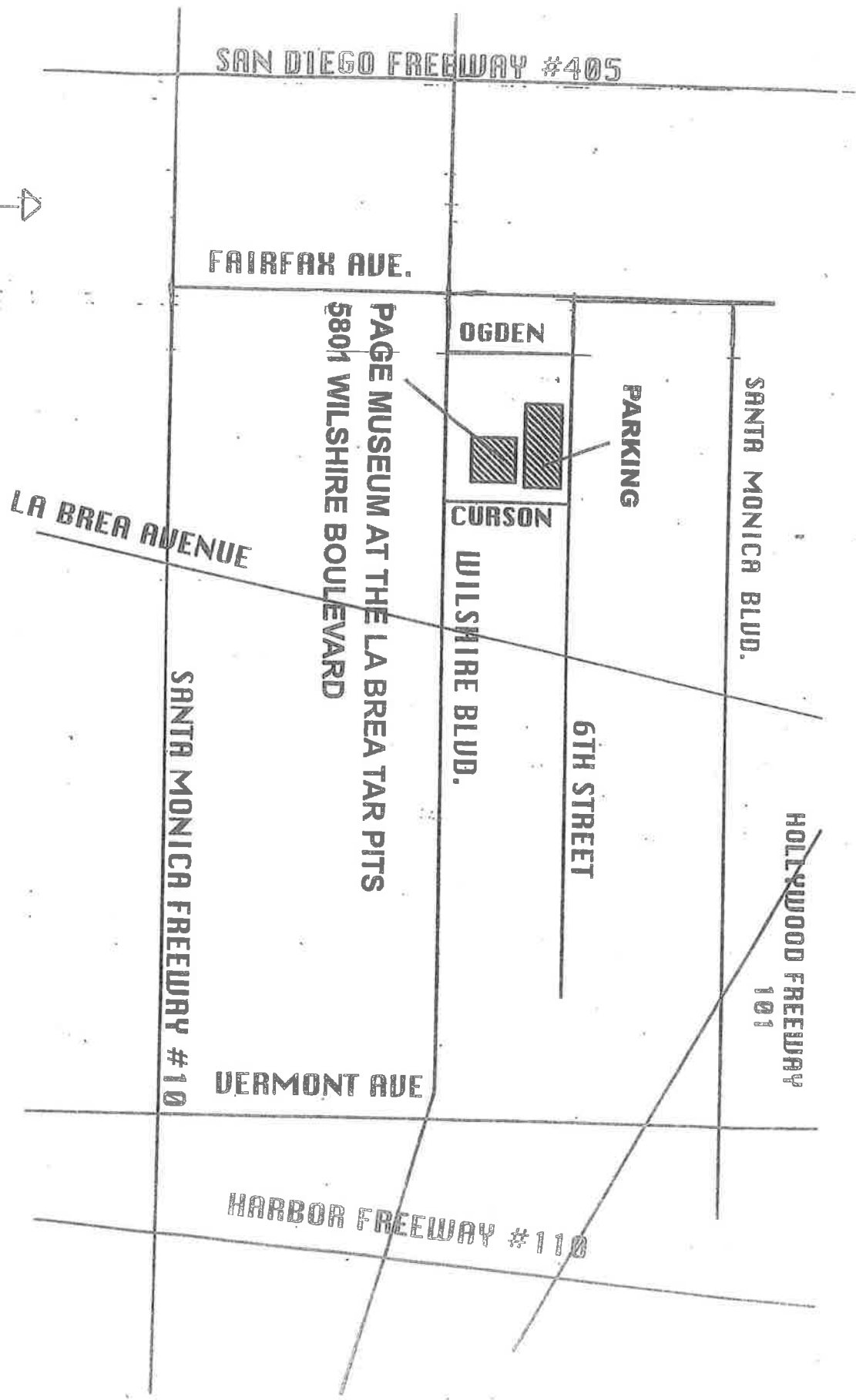
- Please do not use cell phones during the Overnight Adventure, unless it is an emergency. It disrupts the activities and interrupts the children's fun.

6. For Smokers

- It is required by law that anyone wishing to smoke must leave the building via the Security Entrance. If you do take a smoking break, it is your responsibility to ensure that another adult has taken responsibility for your group. DO NOT smoke inside the Museum at any time.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please let us know.

Katy Haugland
Family Programs Assistant Coordinator
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MAP NOT DRAWN TO SCALE

RESTAURANTS NEAR THE LA BREA TAR PITS

Just a few steps away at the corner of Wilshire and Curson Avenue (less than one block from the Museum) you will find:

- Marie Callendar's (323) 937-7952
- Baja Fresh (323) 549-9080
- Koo Koo Roo (323) 954-7200
- Johnnie's Pizzeria (323) 904-4880
- Organic to Go (323) 954-0877

Within one mile of the Museum, there are several local restaurants and fast food places:

- Shakey's Pizza – 6052 W. Olympic
- Jack In the Box -- 465 S. Fairfax
- Carl's Jr. -- 1005 S. Fairfax
- The Original Chulada Grill – 5607 San Vicente
- Sizzler – 6145 Wilshire
- Pioneer Chicken – 5970 W. Olympic
- Quizno's Subs – 6325 Wilshire
- Kentucky Fried Chicken – 5925 W. 3rd St
- Little Caesars – 6310 3rd St
- Ca'Brea (Italian country cuisine) – 348 S. La Brea Ave (323) 938-2863
- Pink's (famous hot dogs) – 709 N. La Brea Ave (323) 931-4223
- Sonora Café (Southwestern cuisine) – 180 S. La Brea Ave (323) 857-1800
- Canter's Deli – 415 N. Fairfax Ave (323) 651-2030
- Little Ethiopia (several blocks featuring foods of Ethiopia) – Fairfax Ave. south of Olympic Blvd.
- You may also find a wide range of eating options at the Farmer's Market, located at 3rd and Fairfax. 6333 W. 3rd St. (323) 933-9211. L.A.'s oldest outdoor market, with 30 acres containing over 70 stalls, stores, markets, and cafes.
- And, of course, you are welcome to bring a picnic and eat on the grassy lawn near the back entrance to the Page (adjacent to the parking lot).