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TO: Middle School Principals

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SUBJECT: Lagoon Day – Monday, June 1, 2026

We look forward to helping you provide an exciting, successful, and safe experience for your students at Lagoon this year. Following the same procedure as last year, we encourage you and your staff to load buses as they arrive at your school. As each bus is loaded with an advisor/chaperone on board, please let it depart for Lagoon. There is no need to wait for all buses to arrive then leave together. Your assistance with this process last year helped alleviate much of the unnecessary waiting on the bus and congestion at the ticket gates.

Your assigned bus driver may ask you to verify the condition of the bus before boarding students, then at Lagoon and finally when they return to the school. This is to make sure no students or personal property are left on the bus. This is also to ensure the bus has remained clean and trash has been properly discarded. Again, please ask your students and advisors/chaperones to take everything off the bus with them once it arrives at Lagoon. It is extremely unlikely the same bus that transports your students and advisors/chaperones to Lagoon will be the same bus that transports students and advisors/chaperones back to their school. If the temperature exceeds 85° F, load a cooler with ice and water bottles on one of the buses at your school in the event heat and potential delays become an issue as students are waiting to board buses at Lagoon. Your cooler will be returned within a few weeks.

As the day comes to a conclusion, plan on buses arriving back to Lagoon at 5:00 p.m. For the safety of everyone involved, please make sure all designated advisors/chaperones report to their assigned school bus loading area at 4:45 p.m. Students will then load at 5:00 p.m. with all buses departing by 5:15 p.m.

As a reminder, instructions and signs will be posted on the North side of Lagoon in the employee area. Look for your school's sign, which will be visible on large cones at the same location where buses unloaded at Lagoon during morning drop off. Each advisor/chaperone will be given a colored paddle. When your school has 50 students and at least one advisor/chaperone, we will load the bus. Once a group of your school's students and advisor/chaperone head to the designated bus, please ask the advisor/chaperone to pass the paddle to the next advisor.

Thank you for your support and cooperation.
Jordan School District Transportation