



Dear Parents,

Thank you for signing up your child for the Outdoor Adventures @ Mancos Public Library. This program was developed by a team of educators, biologists, artists, outdoor recreation specialists, and librarians who believe kids need an opportunity to explore, build, hike, create, and work together in a kid-centered outdoor community. They will be supervised by an adult, yet the activities will be derived by the interests and passions of the kids.

The following loose schedule will be followed for our Friday meetings. **Note: We follow the school's schedule, and if there is school on Friday there will be no Outdoor Adventures. Also, inclement weather may be considered a "snow day", as children may have difficulty with transportation to arrive for the program.**

The following is our schedule:

1:00-1:15 Meet at the Library in the meeting room or outside under veranda. Kids will be asked to use restrooms, wash hands, and fill water bottles for the hike. We will then have a snack as discuss the day's activity and prepare to leave.

1:15-2:40 Leave the Library for a hike to local locations in and around the town of Mancos, including Mancos River, Boyle Park, Cottonwood Park, Cedar Grove Cemetery, or the sledding hill (known as The Y) etc. Occasionally, the group will stay at the Library for special projects.

2:40-2:45 Gather up in one big group for return to the Library.

3:00 Pick up time back at Mancos Public Library.

This is not a drop-in program. If a child is enrolled it is expected that they will attend as often as possible. If your child is unable to attend please contact us as soon as possible. The library number is 533-7600. Participants must come dressed for the weather – rain/snow gear for stormy days; sun hat for hot days if necessary. Participants' footwear must match the weather as well. Sturdy, (no heels) durable shoes and hiking boots work best. Snow boots are a MUST on snowy days. We sometimes venture in and across the river and shoes often get wet. An extra pair of shoes to change into is always welcome. We go out in ALL TYPES OF WEATHER: That is part of the adventure.

_____ *Please fill out the form below & return to the library. Keep top portion as a reminder of what we are doing.* _____

Participants name	Age	Grade
Parent/Guardian's name		
Parent/Guardian's phone(s)		
Parent/Guardian's email address		
Physical Address		
Mailing address		
Parent/Guardian's signature		

Outdoor Adventures @MPL Health History

Check any allergies participant may have and briefly describe the reaction:

- Insect stings/bites
- Food (Wheat, nuts, etc.)
- Asthma (allergy induced)
- Hay Fever
- Penicillin
- Other

Circle below if participant currently has or has had any of the following:

Epilepsy	Asthma	Diabetes
Hypertension	Bleeding/Clotting Disorders	Other

Complete the following:

Are there any activities to be encouraged, limited, or avoided? If yes, please explain:

Does participant have a current tetanus shot?

Date of shot?

List current medications (please send with directions if to be administered during after school program):

Does your child have special dietary considerations?

Anything else we need to know?

Outdoor Adventures @MPL Contact Form

Date:

Participant's Name:

Age:

Date of Birth:

Gender:

Home Phone:

Home Address:

Family Physician:

Physician phone:

Insurance Company:

Policy # / ID #

Parent/Guardian name:

Work phone:

Home phone:

Cell phone:

In an emergency, please notify:

1. Name:

Relationship:

Work phone:

Home phone:

Cell phone:

2. Name:

Relationship:

Work phone:

Home phone:

Cell phone:

We will contact the following person(s) if we are unable to reach the above listed contacts in an emergency.

Name:

Relationship:

Phone:

Name:

Relationship:

Phone:

I understand that the Mancos Public Library personnel cannot be held liable for any good faith effort to provide emergency care or assistance to my child.

Parent/Guardian signature:

Date:

Read and sign the following

The health history provided in this document is correct as far as I know. I understand that participation in Outdoor Adventures @ Mancos Public Library is entirely voluntary. I understand that the outdoor adventures take places primarily outdoors in all types of Southwestern Colorado fall, winter, and spring weather. I know and understand the risks and dangers involved in this program and know and understand that unanticipated dangers might arise. I hereby release the Mancos Public Library from any responsibility for injury which might occur as a result of participating in Outdoor Adventures After-School Program except for those determined to be a result of gross negligence on the part of Mancos Public Library.

I give permission for _____ to participate in all outdoor activities. I also give permission to authorized personnel to carry out such emergency diagnostic and therapeutic procedures as may be necessary for my child, and also permit such treatment procedures to be carried out by local hospital(s) for my child in the event of an emergency. I understand that any medical expenses will be billed directly to me or my insurance company.

Parent/Guardian signature _____

Date _____

Photo Release Form

Your child will be participating in many exciting educational activities with the Mancos Public Library. We sometimes use names, voices, and/or photographs of students in connection with audio/video productions, articles, or press releases, but not as an endorsement. Please sign in the space below if you agree to grant to the Mancos Public Library permission to use your child's name, voice, and picture in connection with any of their audio/video productions, articles or press releases.

Parent/Guardian signature _____

Parent/Guardian email address (to receive photos) _____