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FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION ISSUE PAPER

Consent Agenda Item (Action Item):

A request to allow Betsy Layne Elementary 8th grade to travel out of state to Kings Island in Mason, Ohio using district transportation.

Applicable Statue(s), Regulations(s), Board Policy/Procedure(s) and/or Consolidated Plan Activity:

The Floyd County Board of Education must approve all field trips that are taken outside of Kentucky. BOE Policy 09.36

Fiscal/Budgetary Impact:

The school will cover the expenses through fundraising activities and student donations. Transportation will be paid for by district funds

History/Background:

- Kings Island features several musical performances, magic shows, and science shows.
- Practical Living and Vocational Studies are integrated into the school curriculum for all students and provide experiences that are designed to promote learning in Kentucky. Core Academic Standards within the Practical Living and Vocational Studies and other content areas.

Staff Recommendation & Rationale:

Approve the Betsy Layne 8th Grade students' out-of-state trip to Kings Island in Mason, Ohio. This trip will be Friday May 20, 2022 during the parks Education Days. Students will gain a greater understanding of the science, engineering, and mathematics behind their favorite rides and attractions. Learning is hands-on and interactive through activities such as the Eiffel Tower Egg Drop and COSI Force and Motion Live Show. Students will have the opportunity to learn about the laws of gravity with our interactive Science Spots.

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