

STARBASE WRIGHT-PATT

STARBASE 2.0 Kick Off a Success!



Meeting Details

October 13 was the opening meeting of the 2010-2011 school year STARBASE 2.0. All 47 students and 12 mentors were present to begin this journey into STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math), team-building, and goal setting activities.

Students and mentors were introduced to one another in a variety of ways this first evening.

1) Teams participated in a balloon toss game to learn names and call signs, and to develop skills to work together.

2) Teams filled out Map It forms to discuss "Fun" and each person set a goal to complete something fun this school year.

3) As a group, the teams completed a Geo Cache mission. Using hand held Global Positioning System (GPS) devices, teams followed coordinates to complete a treasure hunt to five locations on the school grounds. The final location resulted in a prize for each team member.

Next Meeting

At the next meeting, team

members will be working together to learn more about one another. Students will be sharing with one another and mentors in three to five person rotations. Included will be Map It forms about "Happiness and Joy", and About Me checklists.

We will also learn about Magnetism and Motors as we listen, watch, and participate with a Wizard of Wright (WOW!) presenter from the Wright-Patterson Air Force Base Educational Outreach Office.

Please send completed permission forms for our November field trips with your children when they come to our October 27th meeting.

October 13, 2010
Month One/ Session 1
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Reminders

- Next meeting is Wed. Oct 27 from 4pm to 6pm.
- Permission forms need to be turned in for the Nov. trips by Wed. Nov. 3.
- Students returning completed permission forms on October 27, will be given their STARBASE 2.0 T-shirts at that time.

November Trips

In November, STARBASE 2.0 members will be traveling to two locations; STARBASE and Wright-Patterson Air Force base.

You should have received two permission forms after the Oct. 13 session. Please

send the completed forms to the meeting next week. After that date, they will have to be sent to the office by Nov. 3 so that base entrance may be assured.

Your child will be bringing home a form with details

and a list of which location he/she will be attending on the Nov. 10 and 17 dates.

Please note that the 2nd meeting in November will be one week early due to Thanksgiving break.

