



Overnight Rules to Enforce With Your Group & Planning Your Arrival

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
8. All participants must keep shoes and shirts on while inside the museum

*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. No outside food or drink will be allowed inside the museum.
4. Please do not open crafts until you arrive at home.
5. Do not point flashlights in anyone's face and eyes.
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 member will wake everyone at 7 AM. You may leave early but please respect the people that are still sleeping. Furthermore, it will be dark in the hall until 7 AM.

What to Bring

1. Sleeping bag, pillow, and pad (you may bring an air mattress and pump - there are no pumps available at the Museum, however there are electrical outlets if you need to plug in your pump)
2. Tooth brush and paste
3. Pajamas (it's a good idea to bring layers because the museum is fairly old and the air/heat is hard to control sometimes)
4. Wear clothes you do not mind getting messy

Planning your Arrival

1. Please ensure you have eaten dinner prior to arriving at the museum. You will not be allowed to eat inside. We do provide a light evening snack and light breakfast. If you plan on eating in the area please remember to allow extra time for this.
2. Overnight parking is only allowed in Classic Parking Lot 3 to the west of the museum: on Bill Robertson Lane, south of Exposition Blvd. After hours parking is \$10 per car, cash only.
3. Groups: Please bring a roster listing the names of each child and adult attending.
4. Please arrive no later than 6:45 PM on the evening of your overnight. Doors open at 6:30 PM. We cannot allow anyone into the museum until after 6:30 PM. The program starts promptly at 7 PM; we cannot wait for late arrivals. Please allow extra time for possible congestion in downtown LA area.
5. Enter the museum through the South entrance: Coliseum side and up the stairs.
6. You are responsible for reading and ensuring your group follows the Museum's rules.

Adult Expectations NHM/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/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 Member 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 Rotunda/La Brea Theater, where we have snacks and breakfast.
- Alcohol and drugs are not permitted. Anyone found to be in possession of or under the influence of alcohol or drugs will be asked to leave immediately and will not receive a refund.
- No outside food or drink is permitted inside the museum. Please ensure your group is aware they should eat dinner before arriving.

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.

Restaurants near the Natural History Museum

Near Figueroa/Exposition intersection:

- Chipotle
- Quizno's
- Chick-Fil-A
- Pizza Rustica
- Which Wich

On Figueroa between Adams and Jefferson:

- Del Taco
- Five Guys
- Panda Express
- Pasta Roma
- Chano's
- Jack in the Box
- Flame Broiler
- Fatburger
- Subway
- Taco Bell
- Carl's Jr,
- El Pollo Loco
- Popeye's
- Kentucky Fried Chicken
- McDonald's
- Yoshinoya Beef Bowl
- Freebird's

Within one mile of the Museum, I have found some other local restaurants:

- La Barca Restaurant –
2414 S. Vermont
- Taqueria Vista Hermosa –
3655 S Grand Ave
- Chicken Itza Restaurant –
3655 S Grand Ave
- Mayura Amrit –
1277 W Jefferson Blvd
- Health Hut - 3333 S Hoover St
- Figueroa Philly Cheese Steak -
3844 S Figueroa St
- Thai Corner Food Express -
3655 S Grand Ave
- Margarita Pizza Bar –
3335 S Figueroa St
- Viztango Café –
3017 S Figueroa St
- La Taquiza – 3009 S. Figueroa
- Mikoshi Japanese Noodle House
– 3010 S. Figueroa
- Denny's – 824 W. Jefferson (at
the corner of Figueroa)
- Togo's – 3619 S. Vermont (in the
Smart and Final parking lot)
- Pete's Burgers – 2400 S.
Hoover, below the 10 freeway

And, of course, you are welcome to bring a picnic and eat outside the Museum.

If you plan to eat in the area, please remember to allow for this extra time.



Please sign and return to your Group Leader by Date: _____

Families/Individuals who do not have a signed form cannot participate

PARTICIPANT CONSENT FORM

We/I hereby apply for _____ (child's name/ family's last name) to be admitted into the Overnight Adventure Program of the Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County / Page Museum at the La Brea Tar Pits on _____ (date) from 6:30 PM until 9 AM. I understand that he/she/ they will be working under the direction of Museum Staff and his/ her/ their group leaders at the Museum and that in the event I have any questions or concerns, Jenny Coyle, Overnight Program Coordinator, 213.763.3536 is 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/ family's last name) in the program.

I understand that photographs of program participants may be taken by the Museum. As a condition of the family/child being admitted into the program, I agree that the Museum has the right to take photographs of our family/ child and use the photographs to benefit the Museum.

List Names of all Participants (in same family):

- 1. _____ 2. _____
- 3. _____ 4. _____
- 5. _____ 6. _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian

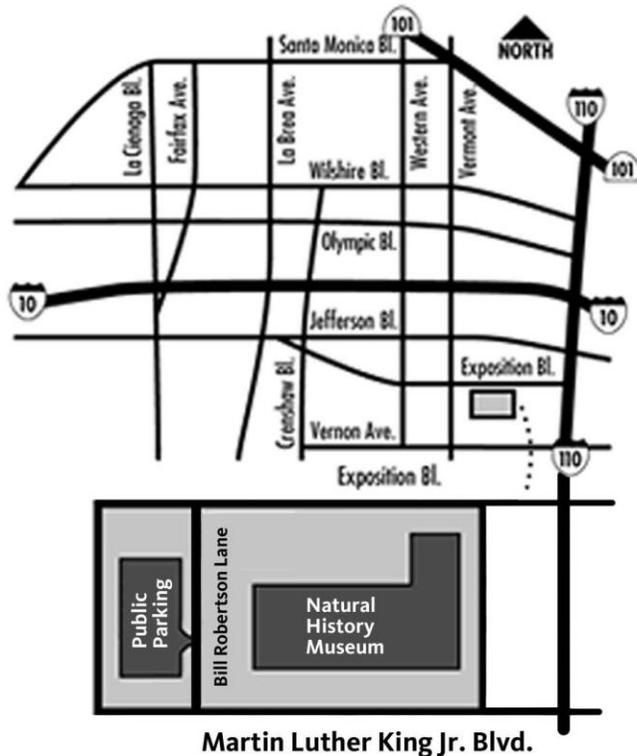
EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name of Emergency Contact

Address of Emergency Contact

Emergency Phone Number

The Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County



Information:
www.nhm.org
(213) 763-DINO (3466)

Directions

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from Downtown/Pasadena

Take the 101 or 5 Freeways to the 110 South Freeway. Exit Martin Luther King Blvd. Make a right on Martin Luther King Blvd., make a right on Bill Robertson Lane. Parking will be on your left.

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from Long Beach/Torrance

Take the 110 North Freeway. Exit Martin Luther King Blvd. Make a Left on Martin Luther King Blvd., make a right on Bill Robertson Lane. Parking will be on your left.

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from San Bernadino and Riverside Counties

Take the 10 Freeway heading west and transition to the 101 North and continue to the 110 Freeway heading south and Exit Martin Luther King Blvd. Make a right on Martin Luther King Blvd., make a right on to Bill Robertson Lane. Parking will be on your left.

W

from Westside

Take the 10 Freeway heading east. Exit Vermont Ave. Make a right on Vermont Ave., heading south towards Exposition Blvd. Make a left on Exposition. Parking will be to your right, off of Expo Center.