

January 9, 2012

RE: FARM FIELD DAYS

Dear Principal:

We are currently planning the 2011 Field Days to be held on **Tuesday, May 1, 2012 and Wednesday, May 2, 2012 at Butterfield Farm at 13000 South 6225 West, Herriman, Utah.**

This is part of the national "Agriculture in the Classroom" program and is sponsored by local agriculture organizations. Farm Field Day gives students an opportunity to see a well managed farm as well as specific demonstrations on dairy, soil erosion, embryology, beef, pork, sheep, and farm production. The purpose behind this project is to help children understand where food comes from; and thus, the importance of agriculture in our society.

This program is offered to second graders, so please forward this information to your second grade teachers. Those teachers interested in their class attending one of these field days may go to <http://saltlakecounty4-h.org/hm/event-registration/farm-field-days> to register. Teachers may select a day and time best suited for their class. Please note that we can only accommodate a limited number of students for this event and so registration is offered on a first come first serve basis. Please register by February 18th. Your registration will be confirmed with the respective teachers by email and will include event details.

Thank you for your interest in this great program. If you need more information, feel free to call the USU 4-H Office at 801-468-3180. We hope to see you on the farm!

Sincerely,



Vernon Parent
Extension Associate Professor
Salt Lake County 4-H Director