February 19, 2003

Dear Mr. Fisher,

This field trip was very educational and fun. The ship was enormous. I learned how the armies in war used signals to communicate with each other. They showed us how to load and fire these big guns. I really appreciated this field trip. The ship was enormous. It had lots of equipment on it. The dots and dashes codes were hard, but fun. The guns had to be loaded with lots of ammo. The guns were very exciting. The flag signs were easy, and something new for me. I think if I were in a war I would rather use the flags other than the dots and dashes. I really enjoyed this field trip. This was one of my best and educated field trips of all time.

Thank You

Sincerely,

Shemeli Kearse
February 19, 2003

Dear Mr. Fisher,

I really enjoyed the Wisconsin battle ship at Nauticus. I really liked the light signals. It was fun and very educating how we learned new ways to talk to others. I also liked the flags signals a lot. I noticed it was a good way to talk to the hand-cape of deaf children. I should know because my sister "Precious Owens" is autistic, but she's learning sign language. This was a very educational trip for me and I would love to go again. Besides I never got a chance to go into the movie theaters.

Sincerely,

Chazity Owens
Dear Sue,

I enjoyed my trip to Nantucket. I was impressed to see the USS Wrenson. The guns and speed that you held for me and my class about were great. The buoys and the flags were also great. My favorite part about Nantucket was when we took a little ship and to go out the near. The Nantucket Museum really helped me out in Social Studies. I hope to get to visit again.

Sincerely a friend,
Kathryn Copeland
THE WISCONSIN

My field trip to Nauticus to see the Battleship Wisconsin was fun. The Wisconsin is a very huge Battleship. Today, the Wisconsin is 62 years old. Here are some things that our class saw on the Wisconsin:

- We saw flags, huge cannons, tour guides, people who used to work in the Wisconsin, the radars, the helicopter landing place, the main cabin on the Wisconsin, and a great view of the Elizabeth River.
- We also marveled on the deck. We also ate lunch near the Wisconsin. My friends and I had the best view of the Wisconsin when we were eating our lunches. The field trip to the Wisconsin was great. I wonder if we are going to the Wisconsin this year.
Dear Mr. Martin Fisher,

Thank you for raising the money to send the fifth graders to Nanticus last year. It was very kind of you. We got to go on the U.S.S. Wisconsin. We learned some Morse code and got to see the big guns and we tried to lift the gun powder but it was way too heavy. It was a lot of fun when we shot the pencil through the block of wood in the lab. I learned a lot on that trip.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Autumn Pittman
Impression of the Wisconsin

The Wisconsin is a very big ship. It has a very big gunner and is loaded with lots of weaponry. The Wisconsin is very long. It carries another kind of boat which is a row boat. The Wisconsin has to levels on it. They carry lots of missiles.

On the second floor, the Wisconsin has over 3 flags on it. The Wisconsin has been in only two battles so far. The Wisconsin is one of the biggest ships in America. On the Wisconsin there is a big sign, It is a wonderful ship.
Dear Mr. Martin Fisher,

I really enjoyed going to Nauticus. When I went there and first saw it, I knew it was going to be fun and a good adventure for me. Also, I enjoyed seeing the flags and the big gym. I also liked when I could be the news forecast lady and put on clothes that matched the weather. I read the little passage that was in front of me. I really thank you for letting me be a part of Nauticus. I also thank you for letting me come free. Now, because of you, I will continue to visit Nauticus and become a member.

Sincerely,
Joshonda Lee
My Trip To Nanticoke

The trip to Nanticoke was fun. We learned a lot of things. When you go inside you can see models of ships. We even saw a real model that they used in a ship. They showed us how to load a ship. They showed how much ammunition you needed for the ship. We also went on a ship and they showed us the parts of the ship. They said that they can't load too much stuff they said. Because the heavier the stuff they load with, the heavier the ship they are close to sinking.
The Wisconsin

Our field trip to the Wisconsin was very nice. I really liked the tour of the ship. I liked walking around while the tour guide was telling us about certain things on the boat. I remember walking pass three rooms: it was the kitchen, the bed room, and the crew or captain's room. All rooms were small. The captain's room being the smallest and the kitchen being the biggest. The bedrooms were very small. They had no room to walk and their bunk beds were made of wood and the beds were small. The trip was very interesting I could just imagine being on the boat at that time. I also liked being taught how they used signals. If I had a chance to go on that field trip again I would.
The Wisconsin

The Wisconsin is a big ship. They showed us the morse code, the missiles, how they used the morse code. I even saw some of the bedrooms.
Dear Mr. Fisher 2-19-03
I enjoyed the trip last year. I would love to come back again. I enjoy doing Morse code please let me and my class come back. Teaching us about World War II really help me out now that I am in the 6th grade. Those guns you told us about were really huge. So please let us return to Douthus we all had a great time.

Sincerely,
Jenikrea Griffin
I learn a lot there.

It was fun and it made me learn a lot and I learn somethings in a fun way and I will like to come back anytime. They showed me thing about the war. It was fun on the boat they took us on. It also was some interested things they showed us on the boat. I seen big guns that I never saw before. They showed us the flags that sent messages. I thought that was interesting to see. I was looking at all the things that I thought I needed to know about and it was a lot. It was very good and a important field trip I ever been on. That's why I will choose to go back on that field trip again.

Sincerely,

Tyreece Scott
I like the field trip so much that I want to go again because I like inside the boat I like the big guns and I like the men who work there and I like the big screen TV and I like the WWII. It was an interesting fight and we had a lot of Native Americans who died in the WWII. I love Wisconsin battle ship in nations and I want to come again. I love Mr. Fisher and big guns. Thank you for letting me learn about WWII.
Dear Nauticus,

I really enjoyed the things that you taught us about the USS Wisconsin. I also enjoyed the experiments of fire, and the history of the USS Wisconsin. I also enjoyed when we had to design a boat. Another thing that I enjoyed was learning how to do Morse Code.

Thank you!

Clifford Barnett
Dear Mr. Martin Fisher,

I had so much fun at NAUTICAS. I remember going to the deck and learning about Morse Code. I remember we had to be very quiet because a ceremony was on deck. I remember when we went on the 3rd floor to watch the movie. We looked inside the windows to see where they sleep. I had a wonderful time and thank you for the free trip to NAUTICAS!"

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Waters Middle School
Dear Sirs,

I really enjoyed the trip to Nauticus. I liked when we went on the ship, because it is important to our country. The part I liked was when we did the signals with the flashlight and flag. I really had a nice time and would like to come again. The USS Wisconsin is the best ship ever.

Sincerely,

Earnisha
Cox
Dear Sir's,

I really enjoyed coming aboard the USS Wisconsin. It was really fun. I really liked it when we did the Morse code with the flashlights and flags. My favorite part was walking on the ship deck and learning about the ship and the way it helped in World War 2. It was fun to learn about the ship. Well, thank you for everything you taught us.

Sincerely,

Kearla Copeland
Dear Sirs,

I really liked the USS Wisconsin. I thought that when we got to make our own battleship it was very fun. I think it was cool to use the Morse code to signal the other ships. I thought everything there was cool. I liked when they told us it played a very important part in World War II.

From,

Brittany Roberts
Dear Sirs,

Thank you for giving me the time to tour your ship at Journeyc. I learned about the importance of the USS Wisconsin in WWII. I liked it alot and learned about they helped to win the war.

Your Friend,

Kristan Daniel
I enjoyed going to Deutsches and learning new things about the U.S.S. Wisconsin and about World War II. My favorite is when we got to build our own ships or war. I also learned how to send code messages to other ships. I saw some of the weapons they used in war and on ships.

By Kelly Patterson