

Chicago 2017

General Itinerary (A detailed personal itinerary will be given to you at the All-Trip Meeting)

THURSDAY, MARCH 16th

8:30pm All-Trip Meeting at LSNHS in the PAC. All student luggage and carry-on will be delivered to the band/choir room for it to be searched during the meeting.

10:00pm Bus departs LSNorth for a 8+ hour bus ride.

Throughout the night we may stop to change bus drivers. This will **NOT** be an opportunity to get off the bus.

FRIDAY, MARCH 17th

7:15am Stop for breakfast and switch to tour buses at our hotel. We will not have access to our rooms at this time, but will just be switching to our tour buses for the day.

9:30am Arrive at the Museum of Science and Industry. During our stay here, a lunch voucher will be provided. At some point before we leave, you should eat lunch in the food court.

12:30pm Meet in Museum lobby for departure.

1:30pm Arrive at the Chicago Zoo to explore.

3:30pm Meet at front gate of the zoo to load bus and depart for the hotel.

4:30pm Check in to the hotel. We will stay on the bus upon arrival at the hotel and wait for keys to be passed out. Once you have your keys and luggage (luggage will be lined up outside of bus), you can proceed to your room to "move in".

5:30pm Dinner will be served in a clearly marked ball room.

6:30pm Load buses to depart for Festival Keynote Address and Mass Choir Rehearsal (all students are involved).

8:30pm Load buses to head back to hotel. Upon arrival at the hotel, you will have 30 minutes to get situated before we do room checks.

HOTEL INFORMATION

Hyatt Regency - Schaumburg

1800 E Golf Rd, Schaumburg, IL 60173

[\(847\) 605-1234](tel:(847)605-1234)

9:30pm All-trip meeting in hotel lobby to meet overnight security guard and receive hotel policies, as well as tomorrow's plans.

10:00pm Curfew. All students must be in their assigned room at this time. Bed check by chaperones will be at this time. Your chaperone will **NEED** to **SEE** each person in your room, so plan to be awake and available at this time.

10:30pm LIGHTS OUT

SATURDAY, MARCH 18th

8:00am Breakfast is served at the hotel. Location will be given to you at Friday night's meeting.

9:00am Depart hotel clinics.

Band/Orchestra: You will need to have your instrument and music.

Choir: You will need your music.

1:30pm Back to the hotel for a short rest.

3:00pm Depart hotel for the Navy Pier AND the Dinner/Dance Cruise. You may want a light jacket for the cruise.

4:15pm Sight-seeing and shopping at Navy Pier

6:00pm Boarding begins for Spirit Cruise.

10:00pm Once we are off the cruise, we will head back to the hotel.

11:30pm LIGHTS OUT

SUNDAY, MARCH 19th

8:00am Box breakfast available to pick up in lobby. You can choose to get it and take it back to your room OR pick it up before you get on the bus.

9:00am Depart hotel for a day of sightseeing. Make sure you bring a light jacket as we will be taking an evening dinner/dance cruise this evening.

10:00am Group 1 goes to the House of Blues Gospel Brunch. Group 2 does shopping and sight-seeing **WITH** chaperones on the Magnificent Mile.

12:30pm Group 2 goes to the House of Blues Gospel Brunch. Group 1 does shopping and sight-seeing **WITH** chaperones on the Magnificent Mile.

2:45pm Load buses to head to Blue Man Group.

4:00pm Blue Man Group

6:00pm Load buses to head to dinner

6:30pm Dinner at Gino's East Pizzeria

10:00pm (approximately) Curfew

10:30pm LIGHTS OUT (This is your last night of sleep in a bed, take advantage of that)

MONDAY, MARCH 20th

6:00-8:00am Breakfast is served in the hotel. When you come down for breakfast, you will load your suitcase on the bus to go home. You will need to have a change of clothes for the day and bus ride home. Your concert attire will be on the trailer.

Group Departure Times

6:15am Choir

8:00am Band and Orchestra

Festival Sessions

8:00am to 9:30am Choir

10:00am to 2:00pm Orchestra

2:30pm to 5:30pm Band

5:30pm BBQ Dinner delivered to Millineum Park

8:00pm Encore Concert

10:00pm Approximate time to load buses and trailers to head home.

Overnight Bus Ride back to Lee's Summit!!

TUESDAY, MARCH 21st

8:00am Approximate arrival back at LSNHS.