

MCFARLAND HIGH SCHOOL MUSIC DEPARTMENT BEN PETERSEN, LEANNA HERSHEY, NATE MENDL, & JOE HARTSON, DIRECTORS DESTINATION: NEW YORK CITY, NY DATES: MARCH 22-28, 2018

AS OF FEBRUARY 8, 2017

THURSDAY, MARCH 22

2:00 PM Three (3) 56-PAX Motor coaches arrive at **McFarland HS;** Begin loading 5103 Farwell St., McFarland, WI 3:00 PM Depart for **New York City!**

(935 miles, 16.5 hours drive plus 3 hour stops and 1 hour time change)

PM Dinner en Route (student cost)







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FRIDAY, MARCH 23

AM Breakfast en route (student cost)

11:30 AM Approximate arrival at 5th Avenue

PM Lunch on 5th Avenue (student cost)

Extending south to north from 59th St. to 110th St., and east to west from Fifth Ave. to Central Park West, you will find over 840 acres of landscaped & recreational areas: zoo, theater, sports facilities, lakes & more.

*Meet your professional BRT Tour Director here

1:30 PM A Special Performance by the McFarland High School Band, Choir and Orchestra at the Madison Avenue Atrium and Sculpture Garden, one of New York's most highly visited corporate building atriums. Garnering near universal recognition as New York City's peerless privately owned space, this tree-filled conservatory is known for its impressive art exhibits and lunchtime crowds looking for an escape from the office.

(Indoor performance) (based on availability)

3:30 PM Depart for Rockefeller Center

Located in the heart of midtown Manhattan, it is known for its big Christmas tree and ice skating in winter, Today Show concerts, Radio City Music Hall and Saturday Night Live. There is a vast array of options for shopping and dining, whether you're looking to purchase high-end goods or just grab a quick bite to eat.

4:30 PM Walk over to **Top of the Rock**

5:00 PM View the "Big Apple" from the observation deck

7:00 PM Meet at Cucina and Co. (Rockefeller Center)

7:15 PM Enjoy a group dinner at Cucina & Co.

Buffet to include: soft drinks, dinner rolls & butter, mixed greens, roasted turkey, baked ziti, new potatoes, vegetable of the day and cupcakes for dessert

9:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for Embassy Suites – Elizabeth (908) 558-0752

95 International Blvd, Elizabeth, NJ 07201

10:00 PM Arrive at the hotel and check-in

Private Nighttime security guard on duty 10:30 pm-5:30 am





SAT	URDAY	, MARCH 24		
7:30	AM	F-11 PM-12 P		
8:30	AM			
9:30 AM Arrive and prepare for your performance The Largest cathedral in the world, the 601-foot-long nave is the length of two foo fields, holding 5,000 worshippers, and the 162-foot-tall dome crossing, could comfortably contain the Statue of Liberty.		The Largest cathedral in the world, the 601-foot-long nave is the length of two football fields, holding 5,000 worshippers, and the 162-foot-tall dome crossing, could		
10:00	AM	McFarland High School Choir Performance at St. John the Divine (piano available) (30 minute performance) (based on availability) **Please make sure performance is respectful of the sacred nature of the chapel		
10:45	AM	Load motor coaches; depart for the USS Intrepid Museum		
11:30	AM	Arrive at the USS Intrepid Museum; set up for performance		
	PM	McFarland High School Band performs at the USS Intrepid (based on availability)		
Afterv	vards	Enjoy time to explore the museum & Space Shuttle Enterprise		
	PM	Lunch at the museum (student cost)		
2:30	РМ	Meet your guides and depart for a sightseeing tour of Manhattan . The tour will take you to the sites that made the Big Apple famous! The tour will be customized to meet your group's interests, perhaps including such things as: Lincoln		
		Center, Columbus University, the Dakota and the John Lennon Memorial, "Strawberry Fields" in Central Park, Greenwich Village, and the Financial District and former site of the World Trade Center.		
5:30	PM	Walk to Ellen's Stardust Diner (o.4 miles)		
5:45	PM	Enjoy a group dinner at Ellen's Stardust Diner		
		Our retro 1950s theme diner is also home to the future stars of stage and screen at Ellen's Stardust Diner. This is the home of the singing waiters and some of the best Diner food in the country.		
7:15	PM	Load motor coaches; depart for Lincoln Center		
8:00	PM	Enjoy a performance by the New York Philharmonic (based on 2018 schedule)		
10:30 PM Load motor coaches; return to the hotel		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		

Private Nighttime security guard on duty 10:30 pm-5:30 am







SUN	DAY	MARCHA	r

8:00 AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel
9:00 AM Load motor coaches; depart for Liberty State Park (New Jersey)
*Note: All backpacks must be left on the buses for security reasons

10:00 AM Board Ferry; depart for **Liberty Island and Ellis Island**Enjoy your chance to tour the American Immigration Museum on Ellis Island.
From 1892 to 1954 millions of the world's huddled masses passed through the gates following the American Dream.

AM Informal Performance by the McFarland High School Choir at Liberty Island (A capella) (based on permit acceptance/availability)

PM Lunch at Ellis or Liberty Island food court (student cost)

PM McFarland High School Band, Orchestra and Choir Performance at The Bowery Mission (based on availability) (30 minute performance)

1:00 PM Return on the ferry to Battery Park1:30 PM Walk to the 9/11 Memorial Visitors Center

2:00 PM Enjoy a visit to the National September 11th Memorial and Museum

This 16-acre site features two enormous waterfalls and reflecting pools, each about an acre in size, set within the footprints of the original twin towers. Its design conveys a spirit of hope and renewal, and creates a contemplative space separate from the usual sights and sounds of a bustling metropolis. With more than 400 trees, the Memorial Plaza is one of the most eco-friendly plazas ever constructed.

5:30 PM Load motor coaches; depart for Little Italy and Chinatown

PM Enjoy free time exploring
Enjoy time to shop New York City souvenirs and experience the many different ethnic tastes of these neighborhoods.

7:00 PM Enjoy a group dinner at Ping's Chinese Restaurant

Menu to include: Crispy spring rolls, pan fried pork dumplings, sliced beef in garlic sauce, peking style pork chops, general tso chicken, sautéed mixed vegetables, sweet and sour chicken, vegetable lo mein, yeung chow fried rice, fortune cookies and drinks.

9:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for hotel

Private Nighttime Security Guard at the Hotel (10:30 pm – 5:30 am)





MONDAY, MARCH 26

8:15	AM	Enjoy breakfast at the hotel		
9:15	AM	Load motor coaches and depart for Cary Hall at The DiMenna Center 450 W 37th St, New York, NY 10018		
10:15	AM	Arrive at The DiMenna Center		
	AM	McFarland HS Band, Choir and Orchestra participate in a Clinic A staff conductor of the New York Philharmonic will rehearse your group in your own repertoire, addressing musical interpretation and technique. Clinics can be excellent professional development opportunities for music teacher/ensemble leaders as well. (Based on availability)		
	PM	Load coaches and depart for Grand Central Station		
	PM	Lunch on own (student cost)		
		The world's great rail terminals, is New York's most visited with 500,000 people passing		
		through it daily. It features 15 restaurants and over 40 shops, the New York City Transit		
		Museum and a gourmet food market.		
	AM	Informal Performance by the McFarland High School Choir at Grand Central Station (A capella)		
3:15	PM	Load motor coaches; depart for the Museum of Modern Art		
3:30	PM	Experience a Guided Tour of MoMA		
		Forever at the forefront, the Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) is not only devoted to presenting the best in contemporary art, but also to promoting the understanding of		
		modern art and expanding the definition of what is considered "art" in the first place.		
5:00	PM	Load motor coaches; depart for Chelsea Pier		
5.00	1 101	62 Chelsea Piers #300, New York, NY 10011		
6:00	PM	Boarding begins		
7:30	PM	Enjoy a Spirit of New York Dinner Dance Cruise		
, ,		Departing from Chelsea Piers in New York City, Dinner cruises sail for up to three hours		
		along a route that includes many notable attractions. Watch the NYC skyline sparkle at		
		night and see the Freedom Tower and Statue of Liberty, catch a glimpse of the		
		Manhattan, Brooklyn, and Williamsburg Bridges aboard the Spirit of New York as we		
		cruise under each!		
10:00	PM	Load motor coaches; return to the hotel		

Private Nighttime security guard on duty 10:30 pm-5:30 am







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		MARCH 27
8:00	AM	Enjoy breakfast at the hotel
9:00	AM	Check out of hotel; load motor coaches;
9:30	AM	Depart for your workshop location
10:00 AM		McFarland HS Band, Choir and/or Orchestra participate in Broadway Classroom
		Workshops
		Working with a Broadway musician, your students will sight read and prepare a special
		performance of a selected piece of Broadway music provided by Music Theatre
		International. After 90 minutes of work on the piece, your group will be joined by a
		Broadway performer who will discuss interpretation of the material and then perform
		it, accompanied by your students. (based on availability) (90 minutes)
		**Choral and Instrumental clinics will be separate
12:00	PM	Load motor coaches; depart for Rockefeller Center
12:30	PM	Lunch at Rockefeller Center (student cost)
1:30	PM	Meet at Radio City Music Hall (20 min prior to your tour time)
	PM	Tour Radio City Music Hall
1:45	PM	Group 1 Tours (30 Participants)
2:00	PM	Group 2 Tours (30 Participants)
2:15	PM	Group 3 Tours (30 Participants)
		Take the Radio City Music Hall Backstage Tour at Rockefeller Center. Opened in
		1932, the largest theater in the US has an opulent Art Deco interior. Once a movie
		palace, it now hosts a variety of musical performances and special events, such as the
		Tony Awards and the MTV Video Music Awards. The annual Christmas Show starring the
	DAA	world famous Rockettes, 36 long-legged dancers, is a New York tradition.
:30	PM	Walk over to Times Square
	PM	Free time to shop and explore in Times Square area
		Known as "The Crossroads of the World" and "The Great White Way," it is one of the
		most popular commercial intersections in the world! Located in central Manhattan at
		the junction of Broadway and Seventh Avenue, this popular NYC attraction is home to
		top destinations such as Broadway Theaters , ABC's Times Square Studios , and the Ed

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28

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THESDAY MARCH 37

5:00 PM Approximate arrival at McFarland High School

Meet at John's Pizzeria

Group Dinner at John's Pizzeria / Times Square.

Walk to your theater for the evening's performance!

Check out <u>www.broadway.com</u> for show options! Load motor coaches; depart for McFarland High School

Enjoy a **Broadway Musical** (based on availability and 2018 schedule)

(935 miles, 16.5 hours drive plus 3 hour stops and 1 hour time change)



5:30

5:45

7:00

8:00

10:30 PM





INDIVIDUAL PAYMENT SYSTEM

Your group leader has elected to utilize Bob Rogers Travel's online Individual Payment System (IPS) to collect trip payments. Please read the following information to assist you in registering for this trip.

TRIP DETAILS

Trip ID:	WI001200039
Group Name:	McFarland High School Music Department
Group Leader:	Ben Petersen, Leanna Hershey, Nate Mendl, & Joe Hartson
Destination:	New York City, NY
Trip Dates:	March 22-28, 2018

All package costs are based on projected participation and occupancy, and are subject to change.

Participant Type Occupancy					
Student	\$1,346.00 (all students in quad occupancy)				
	Quad	Triple	Double	Single	
Chaperone	\$1,346.00	\$1,461.00	\$1,575.00	\$2,034.00	

Payment Details	Due Date	Amount Due
Registration Deadline	March 22, 2017	
Deposit	April 13, 2017	\$150.00 per traveler
2 nd Payment	May 19, 2017	\$300.00 per traveler
3 rd Payment	September 15, 2017	\$300.00 per traveler
4 th Payment	November 17, 2017	\$300.00 per traveler
Final Payment	January 19, 2018	Remaining Balance

Payments must be made through the IPS system via VISA, MasterCard, DISCOVER Credit/Debit Card or VISA/Mastercard Reloadable Prepaid Card (available at your local financial institution) and will be automatically deducted from your selected card on the payment due dates.

All Gift Cards are not accepted.

CANCELLATION POLICY

All cancellations must be in writing to Bob Rogers Travel. All money and fees paid prior to the individual cancellation (determined by the postmark or email date) are nonrefundable and nontransferable. No refunds or credits will be issued for a cancelled participant.





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INSTRUCTIONS FOR CREATING YOUR IPS ACCOUNT

You will need the following items to be able to create your IPS Account.

- An active Credit /Debit/Reloadable Prepaid Card endorsed by Visa, MasterCard or Discover.
- An active email account.
- Your Trip ID.
- Internet access.

STEP 1:

- Go to ips.bobrogerstravel.com to begin the registration process.
- If you are new user to the IPS system, please enter in Trip ID #: WI001200039 to register.
- If you are a returning user, please enter in your E-mail and password to register.

Returning Users	New Users	
E-Mail Address	Enter the trip ID provided by your organizer and click Register. Trip ID	
Login Forget Password?	Register	

STEP 2:

- Complete all appropriate fields.
 - Password must be alpha & numeric with a minimum of eight characters and one upper case character.

STEP 3:

Read and accept the following Travel Insurance Acknowledgement and Travel Agreement.

STEP 4:

- After all appropriate information has been supplied, an enrollment email will be sent to the provided address. All future notifications will come via email. (Check junk/spam folder if emails are not received.)
 - o If you need to **register additional travelers**, please login using your email and password, then click on the trip ID and select "Add a Traveler".
 - o Return to *ips.bobrogerstravel.com* to review your account and update your payment information.

Thank you for choosing Bob Rogers Travel – we look forward to helping you create lasting memories!





STUDENT DELUXE



SCHEDULE OF INSURANCE COVERAGE AND OTHER NON-INSURANCE SERVICES

Trip Cancellation**	Trip Cost*
Trip Interruption**	150% of Trip Cost*
Trip Delay - 6 hours	\$750 (\$150/day)
Missed Connection – 3 hours	\$500
Baggage/Personal Effects	\$1,500
Baggage Delay – 24 hours	\$300
Accident & Sickness Medical Expense	\$25,000
Emergency Evacuation & Repatriation	\$100,000
Non-Insurance Worldwide	Included
Emergency Assistance Services	included
Cancel for Any Reason (CFAR)***	Optional

^{*} Up to the lesser of the Trip Cost paid or the limit of Coverage for which benefits are requested and the appropriate plan cost has been paid. Maximum limit of \$10,000

PER PERSON RATES

Cost of Trip	Rates With CFAR*	Cost of Trip	Rates With CFAR*
\$0	\$10.50	\$4001 - \$4500	\$181.50
\$1 - \$200	\$18.00	\$4501 - \$5000	\$202.50
\$201 - \$400	\$25.50	\$5001 - \$5500	\$223.50
\$401 - \$600	\$31.50	\$5501 - \$6000	\$244.50
\$601 - \$800	\$37.50	\$6001 - \$6500	\$265.50
\$801 - \$1000	\$45.00	\$6501 - \$7000	\$285.00
\$1001 - \$1500	\$61.50	\$7001 - \$7500	\$306.00
\$1501 - \$2000	\$81.00	\$7501 - \$8000	\$327.00
\$2001 - \$2500	\$102.00	\$8001 - \$8500	\$349.50
\$2501 - \$3000	\$121.50	\$8501 - \$9000	\$3 7 0.50
\$3001 - \$3500	\$141.00	\$9001 - \$10000	\$391.50
\$3501 - \$4000	\$162.00		

The above rates are for trips up to 30 days – for each day over 30 add \$3.00 per person per day.

*Cancel For Any Reason (CFAR) benefit not available to residents of New York State

All of the above rates are for the plan which includes insurance and non-insurance services.

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^{**} For \$0 Trip Cost, there is no Trip Cancellation and Trip Interruption is limited to \$500 return air only

^{***} CFAR coverage is 75% of the nonrefundable trip cost. CFAR is optional and available for individuals or your entire group. Trip cancellation must be 48 hours or more prior to scheduled departure. CFAR must be purchased at the time of plan purchase and with or prior to your final trip payment. This benefit is not available to residents of New York State.

GENERAL LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

Insurance benefits are not payable for any loss due to, arising or resulting from: 1. suicide, attempted suicide or any intentionally self- inflicted injury of You, a Traveling Companion, Family Member or Business Partner booked to travel with You, while sane or insane; 2. an act of declared or undeclared war; 3. participating in maneuvers or training exercises of an armed service, except while participating in weekend or summer training for the reserve forces of the United States, including the National Guard; 4. riding or driving in races, or speed or endurance competitions or events; 5. mountaineering (engaging in the sport of scaling mountains generally requiring the use of picks, ropes, or other special equipment); 6. participating as a member of a team in an organized sporting competition; 7. participating in bodily contact sports, skydiving or parachuting, hang gliding or bungee cord jumping; 8. piloting or learning to pilot or acting as a member of the crew of any aircraft; 9. being Intoxicated, or under the influence of any controlled substance unless as administered or prescribed by a Legally Qualified Physician; 10. the commission of or attempt to commit a felony or being engaged in an illegal occupation; 11. normal childbirth or pregnancy (except Complications of Pregnancy) or voluntarily induced abortion; 12. dental treatment (except as coverage is otherwise specifically provided); 13. amounts which exceed the Maximum Benefit Amount for each coverage as shown in the Schedule of Benefits; 14. due to a Pre-Existing Condition, as defined in the Policy. The Pre-Existing Condition Limitation does not apply to the Emergency Medical Evacuation or return of remains coverage; 15. medical treatment during or arising from a Trip undertaken for the purpose or intent of securing medical treatment; 16. a mental or nervous condition, unless hospitalized for that condition while the Policy is in effect for You; 17. due to loss or damage (including death or injury) and any associated cost or expense resulting directly from the discharge, explosion or use of any device, weapon or material employing or involving chemical, biological, radiological or similar agents, whether in time of peace or war, and regardless of who commits the act and regardless of any other sequence thereto.

The following limitation applies to Trip Cancellation: All cancellations must be reported directly to the Travel Supplier within 72 hours of the event causing the need to cancel, unless the event prevents it, and then as soon as is reasonably possible. If the cancellation is not reported within the specified 72 hour period, the Company will not pay for additional charges, which would not have, been incurred had You notified the Travel Supplier in the specified period. If the event prevents You from reporting the cancellation, the 72-hour notice requirement does not apply; however, You must, if requested, provide proof that said event prevented him or her from reporting the cancellation within the specified period.

Additional Limitations and Exclusions Specific to Baggage and Personal Effects: Benefits are not payable for any loss caused by or resulting from: breakage of brittle or fragile articles; wear and tear or gradual deterioration; confiscation or appropriation by order of any government or custom's rule; theft or pilferage while left in any unlocked or unattended vehicle; property illegally acquired, kept, stored or transported; Your negligent acts or omissions; or property shipped as freight or shipped prior to the Scheduled Departure Date; or electrical current, including electric arcing that damages or destroys electrical devices or appliances.

Cancel For Any Reason Protection: Optional Coverage applies only when requested on the application and the appropriate additional plan cost has been paid. CFAR must be purchased at the time of plan purchase and with or prior to your final trip payment. If You purchase the Cancel For Any Reason protection and You cancel Your Trip for any reason not otherwise covered by this plan, the Insurer will reimburse You for up to 75% of the prepaid, forfeited, non-refundable payments or deposits You paid for Your Trip provided You cancel Your Trip more than 48 hours prior to Your Scheduled Departure Date. This benefit is not available to residents of New York State.

Purchase up to final Trip Payment for Pre-Existing Condition Waiver!

The Pre-Existing Condition Exclusion will be waived if the protection plan is purchased before final trip payment for the trip, for the full non-refundable cost of the trip and the booking for the covered trip is the first and only booking for this travel period and you are not disabled from travel at the time you pay the premium

This document contains highlights of the plan. The Plan contains insurance benefits underwritten by the United States Fire Insurance Company. Fairmont Specialty and Crum & Forster are registered trademarks of United States Fire Insurance Company. The Crum & Forster group of companies is rated A (Excellent) by AM Best Company 2015. The Plan also contains non insurance Travel Assistance Services that are provided by an independent organization, OnCall International, and not by United States Fire Insurance Company or Travel Insured International. Review the Plan Document for complete terms, including benefits, conditions, limitations and exclusions that apply. The Plan Document will be provided to you by your travel supplier upon purchase of the plan. Coverages may vary and not all coverage is available in all jurisdictions.

Details of Coverage

Restrictions apply - see Plan Document for complete coverage details.

Travel Protection

Trip Cancellation/Trip Interruption

Provides reimbursement up to your full, prepaid, non-refundable trip cost when you are forced to cancel or interrupt due to:

- Unforeseen sickness, accidental injury or death, which occurs before departure. (Certain exclusions apply)
- Being Hijacked, quarantined, or having to serve on a jury or appear as a witness in court;
- Fire, flood, burglary or other Natural Disaster at your Primary Place of Residence or Destination;
- A documented theft of passports or visas;
- Being directly involved in a traffic accident while en route to Your scheduled point of departure;
- Bankruptcy or Default of an airline or cruise line
- Strike that causes a complete stop of services for at least 18 consecutive hours
- Inclement Weather that causes a complete stop of services for at least 18 consecutive hours
- Being the victim of a Felonious assault within 10 days of the Scheduled Departure Date;
- A Terrorist Incident*
- Your host being unable to accommodate you due to their death or life threatening illness/injury

Trip Delay

Reimburses up to \$150 per day when you are delayed en route to or from the covered Trip for 6 or more hours. Covered expenses include:

- Prepaid, unused, non-refundable land and water accommodations.
- · Local transportation to join the Trip.
- Reasonable additional expenses incurred for meals and lodging.

Missed Connection

Reimburses up to \$500 in unplanned expenses to rejoin your trip when a 3-hour common carrier delay causes you to miss a cruise or tour departure. Expenses include reasonable accommodations, meal expenses, and non-refundable payments for the unused portion of Your Cruise or Trip. Coverage will not be provided to individuals who are able to meet their scheduled departure but cancel their Trip due to Inclement Weather.

Baggage Protection

Baggage/Personal Effects:

Reimburses for loss, theft, or damage to Baggage and Personal Effects up to the maximum benefit. Receipts are required for reimbursement. Baggage Delay (Outward Journey Only):

Reimburses for expenses of necessary Personal Effects, if Your checked Baggage is delayed or misdirected for more than 24 hours from the time You arrive at the destination stated on the ticket, except travel to final destination or Your place of residence.

Emergency Accident and Sickness Medical Expense:

Up to \$25,000 to cover treatment costs when accident or illness strikes during the trip.

Covered Medical Expenses are necessary services and supplies which are recommended by the attending Physician. They include, but are not limited to:

- · Services of a Physician;
- Charges for Hospital confinement and use of operating rooms; charges for anesthetics (including administration);
- X-ray examinations or treatments, laboratory tests; ambulance service; and drugs, medicines, prosthetic and therapeutic services and supplies.

Emergency Medical Evacuation/Repatriation:

Up to \$100,000 to transport you to nearest treatment by U.S. standards and return you home when able to fly.

All transportation must be authorized and arranged by the Assistance Company.

Non-Insurance Worldwide Emergency Assistance Services

The non-insurance Travel Assistance feature provides a variety of travel related services. Some of the services offered include:

- · Medical or legal referral
- · Hospital admission guarantee
- · Translation service
- · Lost Baggage retrieval
- · Inoculation information
- · Passport / visa information
- Emergency cash advance
- · Prescription drug / eyeglass replacement
- · Bail bond

^{*} Terrorist Incident must occur within 30 days of Your Scheduled Departure Date in a city listed on the itinerary of Your Trip. This same city must not have experienced a Terrorist Incident within the 90 days prior to the Terrorist Incident that is causing Your cancellation of Your Trip. Benefits are not provided if the Travel Supplier offers a substitute itinerary;