

Louisville High School Bands

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Dear Parents and Current Members of the Louisville High School Band,

As many of you already know, our 2024 Florida Trip has been approved and is currently being organized. This is an incredible undertaking and the trip requires a lot of time and effort for everyone involved.

We will depart Louisville High School on Tuesday, February 13, 2024 and will return on Sunday, February 18, 2024.

The cost of the trip is **\$1198.00 per student.** Students will be housed in rooms of four. If you are interested in serving as a chaperone for the trip, please email Mr. Bleininger at <u>kris.bleininger@lepapps.org</u> and/or return the included chaperone form by May 12, 2023. We are looking for between 15-20 chaperones.

All Disney information will be posted to our website as it becomes available. You can find the Disney 2024 information on the main page of <u>www.theprideoflouisville.com</u>. Here you will find payment information and all of the details about the trip. When paying, you will be dealing directly with our tour company. Please do not send money to school or to the band office. Your first payment and trip agreement form is due on **May 12, 2023**. Please sign up promptly. We will not be able to guarantee your spot on the trip if your initial deposit and agreement form are late.

The safety and behavior of all is of utmost importance to me. We will have a tour director present with us 24 hours per day. We will have access to security and first aid everywhere we go. Even still, there will be times during the trip when the students are not under direct supervision of adults or our chaperones and will need to conduct themselves in an appropriate manner. *We provide the opportunities to travel and showcase our students because we are proud of them and the product they work so hard to produce.* Although this is the case, the opportunity to travel as a member of the Louisville High School Band **is a privilege, not a right.** Any student who chooses not to conduct themselves in an appropriate manner **will be sent home at the expense of his/her parent or guardian.** While I do not foresee any problems with our group, the behavior of the students has been and will continue to be observed to determine whether or not they can represent our school and community with the level of maturity that is expected of them. **The director reserves the right to deny participation to any student for behavior-related issues that have occurred or will occur as a member of our group.** Should you have any questions, please feel free to email or call.

Thank you for taking the time to read the enclosed materials. We are going to have an amazing trip that will result in a lifetime of memories.

Mr. Bleininger

Dear Parents,

The Louisville High School Band will perform in Walt Disney World next February! We will depart the afternoon of Tuesday, February 13, 2024 and return on Sunday, February 18, 2024. It is an *honor* to be selected for this performance, and all students will be required to be a part of this parade so that the "Pride of Louisville" will truly shine in Florida. The students and staff have been looking forward to this trip and could not be more excited to show off their talents and represent our school and community in Walt Disney World!

We have already been accepted to perform on Thursday, February 15, 2024 in the Magic Kingdom!!! (time TBA)

The student price for the trip is \$1198.00. This includes:

- Deluxe roundtrip transportation on 56-passenger, climate-controlled, restroom/DVD/wifi/seat belt equipped **Barons Bus Motorcoaches**
- 3 nights at Springhill Suites Orlando at FLAMINGO CROSSINGS Town Center/Western Entrance 13279 Hartzog Road Winter Garden, Florida 34787
- Admission to Hollywood Studios, Magic Kingdom, Epcot and Universal Studios and Islands of Adventure
- Breakfast each morning at the hotel along with one additional gift card (\$20.00) per day for use in the theme parks
- All transportation while at Disney
- All taxes and gratuities

The cost will be divided into 3 payments of \$300.00, \$300.00, and the balance, plus a non-refundable deposit of \$200.00 due with the enclosed consent form.

All payments must be made to our tour company, Noteworthy Tours. Please follow the instructions included with this letter. Money should never be turned into the school or the band office. Please adhere to the payment schedule above to keep your spot on the trip intact.

\$200.00	Initial non-refundable deposit	Due: May 12, 2023
\$300.00	1st payment	Due: August 4, 2023
\$300.00	2 nd Payment	Due: September 29, 2023
Balance due	3 rd payment	Due: November 10, 2023

The participation agreement must be turned into the band office on or before May 12, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact the band office during the school day at 330-875-7493 and/or attend any Louisville Band Booster meetings held on the first Tuesday of the month, August through May. You may also email Mr. Bleininger at <u>kris.bleininger@lepapps.org</u>.



Performance & Educational Travel for Students

Welcome to Noteworthy Tours Individual Billing! Thank you for entrusting Noteworthy Tours with your group's upcoming tour. Your school has chosen to utilize our online Individual Billing system to collect tour payments. The following information will assist you in registering and in providing payments for this tour. Questions? Call 419.366.3568 or email us at payments@noteworthytours.com

TOUR INFORMATION

Group Name:	Louisville High School Marching Band
Tour ID:	FL3318LHB
Travel Dates:	February 13 – 18, 2024
Destination:	Florida

ESTIMATED* TOUR PACKAGE COSTS (Based on 141-144 Tour Participants)

Student:	\$1,198.00 per student based on the quad (four students per room) occupancy rate			
Adult/Chaperone:	\$1,343.00 per adult based on the double (two adults per room) occupancy rate			

* Tour package costs are currently based on 141-144 participants riding the motorcoaches.

* Final tour package costs will be determined once the final number of tour participants has been confirmed.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Payment Details	Due Date	Amount Due		
Online Registration and Deposit	May 12, 2023*	\$200.00 per participant		
2 nd Payment	August 4, 2023*	\$300.00 per participant		
3 rd Payment	September 29, 2023*	\$300.00 per participant		
Final Balance	November 10, 2023*	Balance**		

** The final balance will be determined once the final number of tour participants has been confirmed.

TOUR REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

- ✓ Go to <u>www.noteworthytours.com</u> and click on the **INDIVIDUAL BILLING** button.
- ✓ Select MAKE A RESERVATION.
- ✓ Locate your Louisville High School Marching Band Tour ID (FL3318LHB) and click.
- ✓ Click **BOOK** to start your reservation and then select **NEW CUSTOMER.**
- ✓ (NOTE: If any member of your family traveled with us in the last five years, your email address is already in the system. Select RETURNING CUSTOMER and enter your email address.)
- ✓ Enter the email of the person who will be responsible for making payments for the tour!! DO NOT ENTER
 THE STUDENT'S NAME OR EMAIL AT THIS POINT! Click SAVE.
- ✓ Enter information as requested on the following pages.
- ✓ After you create your password, enter the participants' names and other requested information.
- ✓ Enter the traveler's name. (Student name student will be the **main contact** as the student is the traveler.)
- ✓ After you save, you will be able to enter additional names. You can now enter additional students and/or family members who will travel on the tour.
- ✓ Note: A \$200.00 per-person deposit <u>is required</u> at the time of booking to confirm your reservation.
- ✓ Note: Payment transactions are processed by PayPal. A PayPal account is <u>NOT</u> required. Click on PayPal and then click on "Pay with Debit or Credit Card."
- NOTE: Your first payment MUST be made by credit card at the time of registration. After the first payment, additional payments can be made by credit card or by sending a check or money order to
 Noteworthy Tours, 2165 Bradley Road, Westlake OH 44145.

FUTURE ONLINE CREDIT CARD PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

- ✓ Go to <u>www.noteworthytours.com</u> and click on the **INDIVIDUAL BILLING** button.
- ✓ Choose MAKE A PAYMENT.
- Enter your email address and password and then enter information as requested on the following pages.
- ✓ WE DO NOT KEEP CREDIT CARD NUMBERS ON FILE AND PAYMENTS ARE NOT AUTOMATICALLY MADE.

PAYMENT POLICY

- Your account must be current and up-to-date with payments totaling \$500.00 (1 payment of \$200.00 and 1 payment of \$300.00) by **August 30, 2023,** or your reservation will not be included on the hotel room list.
- The final balance is due by November 10, 2023. If your final balance has not been received by November 10, 2023, your reservation will be canceled. No refunds will be issued.
- A \$45.00 service fee will be charged for checks returned because of insufficient funds.

CANCELLATION POLICY

- All cancellations must be made in <u>writing</u> to Noteworthy Tours. The cancellation date will be determined by the postmark or email date.
- <u>Prior to September 13, 2023</u>, a refund less any non-refundables from suppliers, and less a non-recoverable online payment processing fee of 4.5%, and less a \$35.00 cancellation fee will be issued.
- On or after September 13, 2023, a refund less any non-refundables from suppliers, and less a nonrecoverable online payment processing fee of 4.5%, and less a \$50.00 per participant cancellation fee, will be issued.
- On or after October 13, 2023, a refund less any non-refundables from suppliers, and less a non-recoverable online payment processing fee of 4.5%, and less the value of the non-refundable Disney pass, and less a \$150.00 cancellation fee will be issued.
- **On or after November 10, 2023**, no refunds will be issued for cancellations received.
- Refunds will be applied to your credit card or issued by company check within 30 days of refund approval.

TRAVEL INSURANCE

The purchase of individual travel insurance is recommended. To view information, to explore costs, and to purchase a travel insurance plan, visit <u>https://www.allianztravelinsurance.com</u>, call 1.866.884.3556, or contact a travel insurance company of your choice. A Travel Agent ACCAM number is not required to purchase insurance.

QUESTIONS?? Call: 419.366.3568 Email: payments@noteworthytours.com

Thank you for traveling with Noteworthy Tours!

			OCCUPANCY									
Number of participants riding the motorcoaches		QUINT (five students per room)		QUAD (four persons per room)		TRIPLE (three persons per room)		DOUBLE (two persons per room)		SINGLE (one adult per room)		
			STUDENT	ADULT	STUDENT	ADULT	STUDENT	ADULT	STUDENT	ADULT	STUDENT	ADULT
Tour Packa	age	e Costs	Based on Three	e Motorcoach	es							
165 -		168	\$1,082.00	N/A	\$1,125.00	\$1,125.00	\$1,177.00	\$1,177.00	\$1,271.00	\$1,271.00	N/A	\$1,531.00
161 -		164	\$1,092.00	N/A	\$1,136.00	\$1,136.00	\$1,188.00	\$1,188.00	\$1,281.00	\$1,281.00	N/A	\$1,541.00
157 -		160	\$1,103.00	N/A	\$1,146.00	\$1,146.00	\$1,198.00	\$1,198.00	\$1,292.00	\$1,292.00	N/A	\$1,552.00
153 -		156	\$1,114.00	N/A	\$1,157.00	\$1,157.00	\$1,210.00	\$1,210.00	\$1,303.00	\$1,303.00	N/A	\$1,563.00
149 -		152	\$1,129.00	N/A	\$1,172.00	\$1,172.00	\$1,224.00	\$1,224.00	\$1,318.00	\$1,318.00	N/A	\$1,578.00
145 -		148	\$1,141.00	N/A	\$1,185.00	\$1,185.00	\$1,237.00	\$1,237.00	\$1,330.00	\$1,330.00	N/A	\$1,591.00
141 -		144	\$1,155.00	N/A	\$1,198.00	\$1,198.00	\$1,250.00	\$1,250.00	\$1,343.00	\$1,343.00	N/A	\$1,604.00
137 -		140	\$1,169.00	N/A	\$1,212.00	\$1,212.00	\$1,264.00	\$1,264.00	\$1,357.00	\$1,357.00	N/A	\$1,618.00
133 -		136	\$1,188.00	N/A	\$1,232.00	\$1,232.00	\$1,284.00	\$1,284.00	\$1,377.00	\$1,377.00	N/A	\$1,638.00
129 -		132	\$1,204.00	N/A	\$1,248.00	\$1,248.00	\$1,300.00	\$1,300.00	\$1,393.00	\$1,393.00	N/A	\$1,653.00
125 -		128	\$1,221.00	N/A	\$1,264.00	\$1,264.00	\$1,316.00	\$1,316.00	\$1,410.00	\$1,410.00	N/A	\$1,670.00
121 -		124	\$1,244.00	N/A	\$1,287.00	\$1,287.00	\$1,339.00	\$1,339.00	\$1,432.00	\$1,432.00	N/A	\$1,693.00
117 -		120	\$1,263.00	N/A	\$1,306.00	\$1,306.00	\$1,358.00	\$1,358.00	\$1,451.00	\$1,451.00	N/A	\$1,712.00
113 -		116	\$1,283.00	N/A	\$1,327.00	\$1,327.00	\$1,379.00	\$1,379.00	\$1,472.00	\$1,472.00	N/A	\$1,732.00

2024 Louisville High School Band Trip: Walt Disney World, Orlando, Florida

February 13, 2024 – February 18, 2024

Student Participation Agreement

All students must sign and return by May 12, 2023.

Student Name

Last

Reservation/Trip Policy

First

Please understand that in order for our band to give its very best performance, all students must participate in the trip. Fundraisers have been and will continue to be made available to help with the cost of the trip.

- A non-refundable deposit of \$200.00 is due to Nothworthy Tours (instructions included with this letter) by **May 12, 2023.**
- All prices are based on four students per room. Room sign-ups will occur at a later date.
- Every student must make required payments on time. *You may pay for the trip in full at any time.*

Deposit	\$200.00	May 12, 2023
Payment #1	\$300.00	August 4, 2023
Payment #2	\$300.00	September 29, 2023
Payment #3	balance due	November 10, 2023

- Any student finding himself/herself in serious disciplinary action throughout the school year may find his/her trip privileges revoked. This decision will be made in conjuction with the Louisville High School Administration.
- All Louisville City Schools/Louisville High School codes of conduct policies apply to this trip. Any student in violation of this code may be immediately sent home at the cost of his/her parent or guardian.

Student Agreement : please read and sign

I agree to the Reservation/Trip Policy listed above and understand my financial commitment for this trip. I further understand that these policies are created and enforced for the welfare of all participants.

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Permission : please read and sign

I agree to the policies listed above and understand my financial commitment for this trip. I further understand that these policies are created and enforced for the welfare of all participants and therefore give my child permission to participate in this trip. If you are interested in traveling with the band as an official trip chaperone (we need approximately 15-20 parents), please reserve your spot on the trip by returning the form below by May 12, 2023.

(Detach and return portion below)

Interested in chaperoning?

Chaperones will be chosen based on previous chaperone experience with students. (help at football games, competitions, other performances, etc.)

Chaperone Prices:

4 per room: \$1198.00 per person (same as student price)

3 per room: \$1250.00 per person

2 per room: \$1343.00 per person

Please indicate below who would like to chaperone:

Name_____

Name

Name_____

Name_____