

Western High School Band – Disney Trip

March 27 – March 31, 2010

Join the Western High School Band as they travel to Disney World in Florida from Saturday, March 27, 2010 – Wednesday, March 31, 2010 (during Spring Break 2010). *This trip is voluntary*, but we hope all students will participate if possible. Here is our itinerary and what is included in this trip:

<p><u>Saturday, March 27, 2010</u> 8:30 AM Trip Departure Lunch & Dinner Meal allowance provided Travel Overnight</p>	<p><u>Monday, March 29, 2010</u> Breakfast at Hotel (included) Performance/Workshop at Disney (Lunch on Own in Park) Performance/Workshop at Disney Time at Disney Magic Kingdom Dinner Meal Allowance Provided Time at Disney Magic Kingdom Depart for Hotel at park closing</p>	<p><u>Tuesday, March 30, 2010</u> Breakfast at Hotel (included) Hotel Checkout Disney Animal Kingdom (Lunch on Own in Park) Disney Animal Kingdom (cont.) 3:00 Depart for Disney Epcot Disney Epcot Dinner Meal Allowance Provided Disney Epcot/Illuminations Depart for HOME at park closing Travel Overnight</p>
<p><u>Sunday, March 28, 2010</u> Breakfast Meal Allowance Provided Disney WaterPark on Arrival ~10:00 AM Depart for Disney Hollywood Studios Disney Hollywood Studios (Lunch on Own in Park) Disney Hollywood Studios (cont.) Dinner Meal Allowance Provided Disney Hollywood Studios Leave Park at park closing Hotel Check-In</p>		<p><u>Wednesday, March 31, 2010</u> Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner on Own 10:00 PM Arrive WHS</p>

Payment Schedule:	TOTAL DUE: \$700 (student) or \$730 (parent*)
Friday, May 1, 2009	Commitment Form and <u>\$200 Payment Due</u>
Friday, October 30, 2009	<u>\$250 Payment Due</u>
Friday, January 15, 2010	<u>\$250 Payment Due (\$280 for parents*)</u>

FUNDRAISING INFORMATION

Western Bands will not be providing any fundraising opportunities for this trip. This issue was discussed at a Band Parent Council meeting and it was decided that this was the way to proceed. In addition, financial assistance from the Band Parents Council is not available.

Mr. Heydenburg will provide students and parents with sample letters that students can use to request financial donations from extended family members and community organizations. These will be made available in the fall of 2009.

The Band Parents Council and Mr. Heydenburg understand that this regrettably will prevent some students from participating in this trip, but given the current economic situation, it was decided that this is the best option. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Heydenburg or discuss the issue with a Band Parent that attended the meeting. (989-662-4481 x6186 or heydenburgc@bcschools.net)

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Trip participants are welcome to pay in smaller increments over a longer time (through the summer, for example) as long as the balance reaches the designated amount by the scheduled time.

CANCELLATION INFORMATION

Should the trip be cancelled entirely before May 15, 2009, all students will receive a complete refund.

In addition, a student may cancel up until the day of the trip due to (1) Transferring to another school (2) Accidental bodily injury or sickness (3) Serious illness or the death of an immediate family member within 7 days of departure. A student that cancels under these conditions will be granted a full refund minus a \$50 fee.

Families interested in additional cancellation protection at a 5% fee should contact Mr. Heydenburg.

THIS FORM AND PAYMENT OF \$200 IS DUE BY MAY 1, 2009

**Western High School Band – Disney Trip
STUDENT Commitment Form**

One form per student please – PLEASE PRINT!

Student Name: _____ Grade (in 09-10): _____

The above student is committed to participating in the Western High School Band trip to Disneyworld, Florida. We agree to pay the entire amount (\$700) according to the schedule provided. We give full permission for this student to participate in this trip.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

*Include first payment of \$200 (per student) with this form.
Please make checks payable to Western High School
This form is due by Friday, May 1, 2009*

Only complete the bottom portion of this form if parent intends to participate in the trip as a chaperone.

**Western High School Band – Disney Trip
PARENT Commitment Form**

One form per parent please – PLEASE PRINT!

PARENT Name: _____ preferred roommate: _____

*The above parent is committed to participating in the Western High School Band trip **AS A CHAPERONE** to Disneyworld, Florida. We agree to pay the entire amount (\$730*) according to the schedule provided.*

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

*Include first payment of \$200 (per parent) with this form.
Please make checks payable to Western High School
You may combine amounts into one check if you prefer.
This form is due by Friday, May 1, 2009*

**parents are more expensive (\$730) because there will be two adults per hotel room vs. four for students.*