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WINFIELD HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR AND CONCERT BAND, WINFIELD, MO
TRIP TO NEW YORK – April 1 – 4, 2020
TRIP #20-01020

Wednesday, April 1, 2020

5:30 AM: All travelers arrive at the St. Louis Lambert International Airport and check-in. Groups A & C will check in first. Group B will check in after A & C.

GROUP A & C

7:30 AM: Depart on your AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT #1003 to Chicago (71 seats confirmed)

8:42 AM: Arrive in Chicago O'Hare

10:30 AM: Depart on your AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT #114 to New York (71 seats confirmed)

1:36 PM: **EASTERN TIME-** Arrive at LaGuardia Airport and meet your TOUR MANAGER in the baggage claim area.

Grab a quick lunch on your own at the airport to eat on the bus

2:45 PM: Board your LOCAL MOTORCOACHES provided by STARR TRANSIT (800-782-7703/ 609-587-0626) and depart for Manhattan

4:00 PM: Arrive at **Chelsea Market** - In just fifteen years Chelsea Market has become one of the greatest indoor food halls of the world, with more than thirty-five vendors purveying everything from soup to nuts, wine to coffee, cheese to cheesecake as well as books, clothing, and other global shops. It is one of the most trafficked, and written-about, destinations of any kind in New York City. Chelsea Market is a neighborhood market with a global perspective.

GROUP B

8:00 AM: Depart on your AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT #4371 to New York (32 seats confirmed)

11:29 AM: **EASTERN TIME-** Arrive at LaGuardia Airport and meet your TOUR MANAGER in the baggage claim area.

12:15 PM: Board your LOCAL MOTORCOACH provided by LEPRECHAUN LINES INC (845-565-7900/914-403-5190) and depart for Manhattan (coach will store luggage until hotel check-in this evening)

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Lunch on your own

Weather permitting, you may also choose to explore the nearby **High Line** - A nearly 1 ½ mile-long park built on an historic freight rail line elevated above Manhattan's West Side.

NOTE: Group B's Tour Manager will only be with your group until the end of the day. Then the main Tour Manager will take over for full trip.

- 5:00 PM: Depart by coach for dinner
- 5:30 PM: Arrive at BEN'S KOSHER DELI, 209 W. 38th St., New York, NY 10018 (212-398-2367)
- 7:00 PM: After dinner, explore **Times Square** – The heart of the Theater District; where New Yorkers celebrate New Year's Eve. View the skyscrapers and glittering marquees.
- 8:30 PM: Depart by coach for the hotel
- 9:30 PM: Arrive at HAMPTON INN NEWARK RIVERWALK, 100 Passaic Ave., Harrison, NJ 07029 (973-483-1900) and check-in.

PRIVATE NIGHT TIME HOTEL SECURITY

Thursday, April 2, 2020

- 8:00 AM: DELUXE CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST at the hotel
- 9:00 AM: Depart by coach for Manhattan
- 10:10 AM: Arrive at NBC STUDIOS, 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, NY 10112 (212-664-6849) for a GUIDED TOUR – A behind the scenes tour of the production areas of several radio and television shows. The "**Today**" show, "**Dateline NBC**" and "**Saturday Night Live**" are produced here. *(Please arrive 30 minutes prior to your tour time. Tour lasts 65 minutes. Tours at 10:40, 11, 11:20, 11:40, 12 and 12:20pm)*
- 1:25 PM: After your tour, enjoy lunch on your own at **Rockefeller Center** – Home to NBC Studios, a seasonal ice skating rink, the beautiful Channel Gardens and a vast complex of eateries and stores. ***(last tour group may want to eat before their tour)***

Before and/or after your tour, explore **Fifth Avenue** – Home to some of the best known stores and buildings in the world including Tiffany's, Saks Fifth Avenue, the Lego Store, the NBC Studio Store, the Plaza Hotel and more.

View **St. Patrick's Cathedral** – One of the largest churches in the U.S. Twin spires 300-foot-high grace the 13th Century Gothic-style structure. ***(\$5 pp donation is suggested at***

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your own expense if you wish to enter the cathedral)

- 2:00 PM: Walk to the park
- 2:30 PM: Explore **Central Park** – Explore some of the wooded and landscaped grounds.
- 4:15 PM: Depart by coach for dinner (or walk if weather permits)
- 4:45 PM: Arrive for DINNER at JOHNS PIZZERIA, 260 West 44th St., New York, NY 10036 (212-391-7560)
- 6:15 PM: Walk to the Theatre
- 6:30 PM: Arrive at the **Music Box Theatre**, 239 West 45TH St., New York, NY 10036 (212-307-2196)
- 7:00 PM: Enjoy a BROADWAY SHOW of DEAR EVAN HANSEN (*Running time 2 hours and 35 minutes*)
- 9:45 PM: Depart by coach for the hotel
- PRIVATE NIGHT TIME HOTEL SECURITY

Friday, April 3, 2020

- 7:00 AM: DELUXE CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST at the hotel
- 8:00 AM: Depart by coach for Liberty Park
- 8:45 AM: Arrive in **Liberty Park** and board your RESERVED TIMED FERRY for **Ellis Island** – The nation's main point of entry for millions of immigrants from 1892-1924. The **Ellis Island Immigration Museum** holds exhibits, which chronicle the history of the island and the processing station. (*9am ferry time*)
- After your visit, re-board the FERRY for **Liberty Island** - Visit the museum where visitors can see the original torch, the Statue of Liberty Exhibit, then proceed to the promenade area for an up close view of the **Statue of Liberty** and a spectacular view of New York Harbor. **Please note Pedestal and Crown Access are not available** (*monument access subject to availability at booking*)
- PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITY for the Choir (weather permitting)
- PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITY for the Concert Band (weather permitting) (**Standstill performance**)
- Please note you will need to go through airport style security so leave your instrument cases on the coaches**
- Lunch on your own at one of the islands' cafeterias
- Re-board the FERRY for Battery Park

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- 3:15 PM: Arrive in Battery Park, meet the motorcoaches and STORE your instruments. Walk to the memorial using West St. and Vesey St.
- 3:45 PM: Arrive at the 9/11 MEMORIAL MUSEUM (212-266-5200) - This memorial museum tells the individual stories of the 2,977 people killed in the 9/11 terrorist attacks at the World Trade Center, the Pentagon, and on Flight 93, as well as the six people who perished in the February 26, 1993 World Trade Center bombing. The historical exhibition presents the story of those attacks and particularly, the events as they unfolded on and after 9/11. **(4pm entry time) (Arrive via West St. and Vesey St.)**
- Also visit the **9/11 Memorial**- Experience a moving tribute of remembrance and honor to the victims of 9/11 in this beautiful open air plaza.
- 6:00 PM: Depart by coach for dinner in Chinatown (or walk weather permitting)
- 6:30 PM: Arrive for DINNER at DELIGHT 28 in Chinatown, 28 Pell Street, New York, NY (212-285-8688/201-832-7802)
- 8:00 PM: Depart by coach for Empire
- 8:30 PM: Arrive at The EMPIRE STATE BUILDING – Millions of visitors have been thrilled by the awe-inspiring vision of the city beneath them. Take the elevator to the 86th floor.
- 10:30 PM: Depart by coach for the hotel
- PRIVATE NIGHT TIME HOTEL SECURITY

Saturday, April 4, 2020

- 7:45 AM: DELUXE CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST at the hotel and check-out
- 8:45 AM: Depart by coach for Manhattan
- 9:45 AM: Arrive for your GUIDED TOUR of RADIO CITY MUSIC HALL, 1260 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10020 (212-465-6080) – Renown for The Rockettes, The Mighty Wurlitzer Organ, the best-equipped stage in the world, and the exquisite Grand Foyer. *Please arrive 10 minutes prior to your tour time (tours at 10am, 10:15am, 10:30am and 10:45am)*
- 11:45 AM: Depart by coach for the airport
- 12:45 PM: Arrive at LaGuardia Airport and check-in **(be sure to let Group C go first as they have a tight turnover to go through security, grab lunch on their own to eat enroute and board the flight)**

GROUP C

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- 2:35 PM: Depart on AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT #1893 to Charlotte (19 seats confirmed)
- 4:41 PM: Arrive at Charlotte Douglas International Airport
- 6:00 PM: Depart on AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT #5519 to St Louis (19 seats confirmed)
- 6:55 PM: **CENTRAL TIME-** Arrive at St. Louis Airport

GROUP A

- 3:50 PM: Depart on AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT #1862 to Charlotte (52 seats confirmed)
- 6:04 PM: Arrive at Charlotte Douglas International Airport
Dinner on your own at airport, time permitting
- 8:00 PM: Depart on AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT #439 to St Louis (52 seats confirmed)
- 8:56 PM: **CENTRAL TIME-** Arrive at St. Louis Airport

GROUP B

- 4:30 PM: Depart on AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT #4576 to St Louis (32 seats confirmed)
- 6:36 PM: **CENTRAL TIME-** Arrive at St. Louis Airport

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY OR TO LEAVE A MESSAGE, PLEASE CALL 1-800-654-4560. PLEASE LEAVE ALL PERTINENT INFORMATION INCLUDING NAMES AND PHONE NUMBERS

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THE TOUR INCLUDES:

TRANSPORTATION:

- Round trip airfare (\$356 allotment)
- Local transportation per itinerary

ACCOMMODATIONS:

- Three nights at the New Jersey area hotel

MEALS:

- Three breakfasts
- Three dinners

ATTRACTIONS/SITES/ACTIVITIES:

- Chelsea Market
- Times Square
- Guided Tour of NBC Studios
- Central Park
- Broadway Show
- Ferry with Ellis Island, Liberty Island and Statue of Liberty

ATTRACTIONS/SITES/ACTIVITIES cont.:

- 9/11 Museum
- 9/11 Memorial
- Empire State Building
- Rockefeller Center
- Fifth Avenue
- Guided Tour of Radio City Music Hall

ADDITIONAL INCLUSIONS:

- Group Travel Video for students and group leader(s)
- All trip planning and arrangements
- Private nighttime hotel security
- \$4,000,000 Liability Insurance
- All gratuities and fuel surcharges
- Tour manager provided at your destination throughout the tour
- **800-654-4560 Emergency Phone service, answered 24-hours**
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- *Trip inclusions are based on prices as of 1/9/18 and subject to availability and rates at the time of finalizing the Travel Agreement.*
- *Lifeguards may not be available at every swimming opportunity. ETI recommends no swimming without a lifeguard present.*
- *Educational Tours, Inc. is a member of the Student Youth Travel Association and American Bus Association.*

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TRAVEL PROTECTION:

Travel Protection, which includes Accident and Sickness, Trip Interruption, and Travel Delay protection for all participants ***after departure***, will be purchased on your behalf. Please see the Post-Departure Student Protection Plan document provided to each traveler for more information on this product.

Optional Additional Travel Protection, which adds Trip Cancellation and Cancel For Any Reason to the above product, is available for purchase and follows Educational Tours, Inc.'s cancellation policy. Please see the Student Deluxe brochure provided to each traveler for information to obtain this product. ***PLEASE NOTE: Although Travel Insured International offers two levels of protection for each Trip Cost level, and both rates are listed on the attached Student Deluxe brochure, ETI has elected to only offer the higher-level product.***

The Post-Departure Student Protection Plan brochure contains highlights of the post departure plan purchased on your behalf. The Student Deluxe brochure contains highlights of the Optional plan. The plans contain insurance benefits underwritten by the United States Fire Insurance Company. The plans also contain non-insurance Travel Assistance Services that are provided by an independent organization. Coverages may vary and not all coverage is available in all jurisdictions.