WHARRISON HIGH SCHOOL

SPRING 2022 Orlando

Parents and Students,

This letter is to inform you of our upcoming plans for the orchestra program participating in the Spring Trip on March 24th -March 27th, 2022. An important part of a student's Music Education includes cultural experiences that will provide both personal and musical growth. Traveling to Orlando, FL will provide orchestra students an opportunity to work in a sound design workshop to learn about and experience the soundtrack recording process of film music and how it is put together with animation with professionals from Universal Studios. In addition, students will perform at Universal Studios, and enjoy time in the 2 parks of Universal Studios.

The Itinerary Includes:

Universal Studios Orlando, FL

- Depart on Wednesday March 24th for Orlando, FL. Return Sunday March 27th.
- Sound Design Workshop in Universal Studios professional recording studio.
- Performance in Universal Studios
- 2-Park Tickets to the Universal Studios/Islands of Adventure Parks in Orlando, FL for 3 Days
- Trip Shirt
- All Meals (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)
- All Fees, taxes and pre-paid gratuities
- Round Trip Coach Bus Transportation

Who is eligible to participate in the trip?

Any student enrolled in the full-year of orchestra class is eligible. Students must be currently active in the program when the trip occurs and must be in good standing with the school and organization. I am aware that should an incident occur deemed by the director severe enough that it warrants sending my child home, I am responsible for all transportation (including air craft fare) for my child. I am also aware that *NO REFUND* will be given if my child is removed due to a Cobb County School Board policy being broken. This unique educational opportunity will be a memorable experience for all involved. Students must maintain exemplary grades and conduct throughout the school year to be permitted to participate in this event.

Because the deposits are due early, *and non-refundable*, it is imperative that the students maintain excellent discipline and grades throughout the year.

What is the cost?

The cost is determined by the amount of people in each room. For students, we will sign-up four per room, so the quad occupancy cost of the trip is **estimated to be:** \$800

FIRST PAYMENT DUE SEPTEMBER 10, 2021

The initial non-refundable deposit for the trip is due on September 9, 2021. Because of this, each person intending on participating in the trip will need to make a \$160 deposit. This deposit is non-refundable and will be applied to your trip total.

Please pay online (more info coming soon!) or pay via check payable to <u>HOB</u> with your child's name (first and last) in the memo and turn in to the black lock box located in the front of the orchestra room or mail them to:

Harrison Orchestra Boosters Attn: HOB Spring Trip 2022 4500 Due West Rd. Kennesaw, GA 30152

Estimated Payment Plan:

\$160.00 – September 10, 2021 (non-refundable deposit)

\$160.00 – October 8, 2021

\$160.00 – November 12, 2021

\$160.00 – December 3, 2021

\$160.00 – February 4, 2022 (Final Balance)

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Additional information will be posted on the Harrison Orchestra Website at: www.harrisonorchestra.org