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Making Moments That Matter

GREEN HS CHOIR
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DESTINATION: NEW YORK CITY
DATES: MARCH 21-25, 2019

SUGGESTED ITINERARY
AS OF
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THURSDAY, MARCH 21

- 9:00 PM Motor coaches arrive at **Green High School** for loading.
1474 Boettler Road, Uniontown, Ohio 44685
- 10:00 PM Depart via **deluxe air conditioned motor coaches with DVD**. (7 ½ hours have been allotted for drive plus 2 hours for breaks and a driver change.)

FRIDAY, MARCH 22

- 7:30 AM Arrive in **New York City** at **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.
45 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, New York 10111

****You will be greeted by your Professional Tour Director here****

Rockefeller Center is the site where **The Today Show** is broadcast. (Maybe a chance of getting on camera?)

Breakfast on your own in the area. Experience an authentic New York Deli!!

- 9:00 AM Tour **St. Patrick's Cathedral**, the largest gothic-style Catholic Cathedral in the United States. For over 125 years, the Cathedral of St. Patrick has enriched the spiritual lives of countless New Yorkers, as well as over five million visitors and tourists each year.
460 Madison Avenue



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Take some time in the **Fifth Avenue area** to explore the sights and shops in the area. From stores like **Louis Vuitton, Tiffany's, Gucci, and Versace**, to the **NBA Store**, and the famous **Apple Store**, there are enough over-the-top shopping opportunities here to satisfy everyone's taste. Lunch on your own in the area.

- 10:00 AM Visit the **Metropolitan Museum of Art**, one of New York City's most popular tourist attractions, welcoming over 5 million visitors a year. One of the world's largest and finest art museums, its collections include more than two million works of art spanning 5,000 years of world culture, from prehistory to the present and from every part of the globe. From ancient Egyptian vases and Roman statues to Tiffany stained glass and Rembrandt paintings, there is something for nearly everyone.
100 Fifth Avenue at 82nd Street
- 12:00 PM Following the museum, transfer to **Grand Central Station** for lunch on your own. One of 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.
42nd Street, between Park & Lexington Avenues
- 3:30 PM Experience a ninety-minute **Musical Theater Song & Movement Workshop**. This session is taught by Broadway performers from the show the group is seeing. Sheet music will be provided to the group, who will then work with a cast member and a pianist. The workshop recreates a true Broadway rehearsal with the students learning the choreography, staging, and music directly from the Broadway production they are seeing.
- 5:30 PM Transfer to Chelsea Piers to board your dinner cruise.
Pier 61, at 11th Avenue & 18th Street
- 6:30 PM Boarding begins.
- 7:00 PM Enjoy your **Dinner/DJ Dance Cruise**, experiencing the New York skyline from the waters of the Hudson River.
- 9:30 PM Transfer to your hotel to check-in for the evening.
Fairfield Inn – East Rutherford (or similar)

1 Private Security Guard on duty – 11:00 PM-6:00 AM



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SATURDAY, MARCH 23

- 8:00 AM **Breakfast included** at the hotel.
- 9:00 AM Transfer into the city and up Central Park West, traveling the length of beautiful **Central Park**, to **Morningside Heights**, and home to St. John the Divine.
- 10:45 AM Have a **Special Performance** by the **Green HS Choir** at the **Cathedral of St. John the Divine** (*pending scheduling*). 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 comfortably contain the Statue of Liberty.
1047 Amsterdam Avenue,
- 11:30 AM Following your performance, have some time in the **Times Square area** to shop and explore. 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 Sullivan Theater** (home of the **Late Show with Stephen Colbert**). Have lunch here on your own.
42nd Street & Broadway
- 1:30 PM Meet your guides & 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**.
- 4:30 PM Have some time in **Herald's Square**, home to **Macy's** flagship store and the largest in the United States, for some time to shop and explore.
34th Street & Broadway
- 6:00 PM Enjoy **dinner** at **John's Pizzeria!**
- Walk to the New Amsterdam Theater for tonight's show.
- 8:00 PM The curtain rises on **Aladdin** (*or similar - \$90 allotted*) at the New Amsterdam Theater.
214 West 42nd Street



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Some current options for a Broadway show could include: **Anastasia, The Band's Visit, Beautiful – The Carole King Musical, A Bronx Tale, Chicago, Dear Evan Hansen, Frozen, Hello Dolly!, Kinky Boots, The Lion King, Mean Girls, Once On This Island, The Phantom of the Opera, School of Rock, SpongeBob SquarePants, Waitress and Wicked.**

11:00 PM Transfer to the hotel for the evening.

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SUNDAY, MARCH 24

8:00 AM **Breakfast included** at the hotel.
Check out of the hotel.

9:00 AM Board your coaches for lower Manhattan and the Financial District.

10:00 AM Visit 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. The Museum serves as the country's principal institution concerned with exploring the implications of the events of 9/11, documenting the impact of those events and exploring 9/11's continuing significance.

- 10:30 AM Museum entrance

12:30 PM Transfer to the **Little Italy** and **Chinatown** area for lunch on your own. You will have time to shop for New York City souvenirs and experience the many different ethnic tastes of these neighborhoods.

Transfer to the Schoenfeld Theater for this afternoon's show.

3:00 PM The curtain rises on **Come From Away** (or similar - \$65 allotted) at the Schoenfeld Theater.
236 West 45th Street

6:30 PM Enjoy **dinner** at **Dallas BBQ – Times Square**.

Have some time for last minute souvenir shopping in the Times Square area.



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- 9:30 PM Gather in Times Square for your group photo!!
Photos are \$20 each.
- 10:00 PM Depart for home. (7 ½ hours has been allotted plus 1 hour for breaks and a driver change.)

MONDAY, MARCH 25

- 6:30 AM Arrive at **Green High School**.

**THANK YOU FOR TRAVELING WITH BOB ROGERS TRAVEL.
WE HOPE YOU HAVE MADE MANY SPECIAL MEMORIES!!**