CPPHS Marching Band

**Ireland & St. Patrick’s Day Parade March 12 – 18, 2022**

6 days, 5 nights + travel

**March 11, 2022**

Baggage drop-off at CPPHS

5:00p GOLD TEAM

7:00p BLACK TEAM

**March 12, 2022**

Travel from Corning, NY to Ireland

GOLD TEAM

Load bus at 8:00 am

Depart CPPHS at 8:30 am

Lunch stop in PA at 11:00 am

Arrive at Airport at 2:30 pm

Flight one –

Depart at 5:30 pm

BLACK TEAM

Load bus at 11:00 am

Depart CPPHS at 11:30 am

Lunch stop in PA at 2:00 pm

Arrive at Airport at 6:00 pm

Flight two –

Depart at 9:10 pm

**March 13, 2022**

Day one: Dublin

NOTE: A separate coach (bus) will meet each flight at the airport to collect instruments for storage. Percussion rentals will be delivered to Trinity City Hotel.

GOLD TEAM

5:15a Land

Use the facilities at the airport. Panoramic Tour taking in Dublin Docklands, O Connell Street, and Phoenix Park

7:45a 15 Minute rest stop at Trinity City for anyone that needs to use facilities

8:30a Visit St. Patrick’s Cathedral

9:30a Unload luggage at the hotel

11:00a Lunch on Grafton Street with your chaperone group

12:30p Meet guide and visit Trinity College, including Old Library and The Book of Kells, Parliament Square

2:00p National Museum of Ireland

BLACK TEAM

8:45a Land

 Use the facilities at the airport. Panoramic Tour taking in Dublin Docklands, O Connell Street, and Phoenix Park

11:00a Unload luggage at hotel

12:00p Lunch on Grafton Street with your chaperone group

1:30p Meet guide and visit Trinity College, including Old Library and The Book of Kells, Parliament Square

BOTH TEAMS

3:30p Check into the Hotel

4:00p Rehearsal

6:30p Dinner buffet at the hotel

9:00p Room check

10:00p Lights out

**March 14, 2022**

Day two: Wicklow Tour

7:30a Breakfast at the hotel

8:45a Meet in lobby to board coaches

9:00a Depart for Wicklow Tour, the “Garden of Ireland.”

 Guided tour of the ancient monastery of Glendalough

Noon Lunch

1:30p Drive back to Dublin

2:15p Return to hotel to prepare for rehearsal

3:30p Rehearsal

6:00p Meet in the lobby

6:30p Dinner at the Hard Rock Café

9:00p Room check

10:00p Lights out

**March 15, 2022**

Day three: Dublin and transfer by bus to County Clare

NOTE: A separate vehicle will take all instruments including percussion to The Hotel

8:00a Breakfast in the hotel

9:00a Check out of the hotel and store luggage

9:30a Explore Grafton Street with your chaperone groups

Noon Lunch on Grafton Street with your chaperone group

1:30p Meet at hotel and load coaches with luggage and instruments

2:00p Depart for Limerick

5:30p Check Hoel

 Enjoy the pool and freshen up for evening event

7:45p Board coach

8:30p Enjoy a Medieval Banquet

Delight in a four-course meal in this historic castle and be entertained by the world famous Bunratty Castle Singers. Enjoy music, song, and dance while you dine in the Great Hall.

11:00p Arrive back at hotel

11:30p Room check and lights out

**March 16, 2022**

Day four: Galway City Center and the Cliffs of Moher

8:00a Breakfast in the hotel

8:45a Meeting lobby to board coaches

9:00a Depart for the Burren region, with more than 2500 historic sites

10:30a Stop at the Cliffs of Moher

11:30a Lunch

2:00p Free time with your chaperone group in Galway City

4:00p Board coach to return to the hotel

6:30p Dinner buffet at the hotel

8:00p Room check

9:00p Lights out

**March 17, 2022**

Day five: DUBLIN St. Patrick’s Day Parade

6:00a Load coaches

 Main luggage will go on a separate vehicle and travel directly to Hotel

 Instruments and essentials will travel on the bus with students and chaperones.

6:30a Breakfast in the hotel

7:00a Meet in lobby

7:15a Departure from the Hotel

11:40a Arrive Dublin and head to Staging Area

Box lunch

Those not participating in parade walk to viewing area on O’Connell Street

2:30p Meet coach for transfer to Hotel

4:30p Percussion instruments collected by Michael Thompson/Tallaght Band

Checked instruments stored for transportation to the airport on 3/18

5:30p Dinner at the hotel

6:30p COVID testing at the hotel

9:00p St. Patrick’s Day Dance Party at the hotel

11:00p Room check

**March 18, 2022**

Day six: Return to Airport for flights home

8:00a Breakfast in the hotel

9:00a Load all instruments onto Coach 2

GOLD TEAM

Flight one –

Leave hotel at 9:15 am - travel to airport

Meal at airport

Flight leaves at 1:20 pm

Arrive 4:20 pm

Return to CPPHS around 10:30 pm

BLACK TEAM

Flight two –

Leave hotel at 10:00 am

Stop at a shopping centre, shopping and lunch

Board coach at 12:15 pm – travel to airport

Flight leaves at 4:20 pm

Arrive 7:10 pm

Return to CPPHS around 1:30 am (3/19)

ESTMATED LUNCH EXPENSES = $100
3/12 Stop in PA $15

3/13 Grafton Street $15

3/14 Avoca $20

3/15 Grafton Street $15

3/16 Cliffs of Moher Café $20

3/18 Lunch $15

OTHER SPENDING MONEY CONSIDERATIONS

Grafton Street in Dublin

Hard Rock Café gift shop

Galway City

Museum gift shops

Snacks, especially at airports