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**BAYPORT HIGH SCHOOL BAND**  
**LUTHER APPEL, BAND DIRECTOR**  
**DESTINATION: CHICAGO & ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE**  
**DATES: MARCH 10-12, 2017**

**SUGGESTED ITINERARY**  
**AS OF**  
**FEBRUARY 10, 2016**

**FRIDAY, MARCH 10**

4:00 PM Lamers Motor coaches arrive at Bay Port High School; begin loading

2710 Lineville Rd, Green Bay, WI

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4:30 PM Depart for **Chicago, Illinois** (209 miles, 4 hr drive time)

PM Stop at Gurnee Mills Mall for dinner (1 ½ hr provided, at student cost)

10:00 PM Arrive at your **Chicago suburban hotel**  
PM Check in

**SATURDAY, MARCH 11**



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- 7:30 AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel.
- 8:30 AM Load motor coaches; depart for **parade staging**
- 10:00 AM Arrive at the beginning of the parade route for drop off.  
You will be permitted to remain on your coaches until you need to move into the staging area. Once you disembark, your coaches will relocate to where they will pick you up at the end of the parade.  
Meet parade organizers at Balboa Street and Michigan Avenue. The group will unload on Columbus Street and then motor coaches will park on East Jackson Dr
- 12:00 PM **The 2017 Chicago St. Patrick's Day Parade steps off.**
- 3:15 PM At the conclusion of the parade, change out of uniforms
- 4:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for the **Willis Tower**
- 4:30 PM Experience **The Ledge** at the Willis Tower (formerly called the **Sears Tower**)  
The Western Hemisphere's tallest building. See breathtaking 360-degree views of Chicago spanning over 50 miles and 4 states. A recent addition, The Ledge, affords visitors a one-of-a-kind experience of Chicago through a glass floor, 1,353 feet above the street level.
- 5:45 PM Depart on foot for **Giordano's**
- 6:00 PM Group dinner at **Giordano's**  
Enjoy a selection of deep dish and thin crust pizzas, salad, and soft drink
- 7:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for **Symphony Hall**
- 8:00 PM Enjoy a concert by the **Chicago Symphony Orchestra** (based on 2017 schedule)
- 10:00 PM Load motor coaches; return to the hotel



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**SUNDAY, MARCH 12**

- 8:00 AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel
- 9:00 AM Check out of the hotel; load motor coaches
- 9:30 AM Depart for the **Shedd Aquarium**.
- 10:15 AM Visit the **Shedd Aquarium**, one of the world's largest indoor aquariums. The facility houses more than 32,600 aquatic animals representing some 1,500 species of fishes, reptiles, amphibians, invertebrates, birds and mammals from around the world. Be sure to visit the re-imagined **Oceanarium**, a world-class marine mammal pavilion with beluga whales, dolphins, sea otters, sea lions, penguins, and more.
- 12:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for **Hard Rock Café**
- 12:30 PM Group lunch at **Hard Rock Cafe**  
The Gold Menu includes choice of cheeseburger or bacon cheeseburger served with fries, honey mustard chicken sandwich served with fries and cole slaw, BBQ pork sandwich served with fries, cole slaw, baked beans, a veggie burger served with side salad, or an entrée house salad with choice of dressing, all served with Hard Rock chocolate chip cookie and choice of beverage.
- 1:30 PM Enjoy some free time strolling **Michigan Avenue** aka "Mag Mile"  
This iconic Chicago street runs the length of Michigan Avenue from the Chicago River to Lake Shore Drive, and is the heart of the city's shopping district. Here, posh brand name stores stand alongside historic and luxury hotels and landmarks such as the Water Tower and Pumping station, one of the few structures left standing after the Great Chicago Fire of 1871
- 3:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for Briar Street Theatre
- 4:00 PM Enjoy a performance of **Blue Man Group**  
**Blue Man Group** is best known for their wildly popular theatrical shows and concerts which combine music, comedy and multimedia theatrics to produce a totally unique form of entertainment.
- 6:00 PM Load motor coaches; depart for **home** (209 miles, 4 hr drive time)
- PM Stop at Lake Forest Oasis for dinner (student cost)
- 11:00 PM Arrive at **Bay Port HS—Welcome Home!**