

Brazoswood High School
Choir / Orchestra / AFJROTC Spring Trip Information
Dallas, Texas
April 15th - April 17th, 2016

Dear Parents and Students:

The Brazoswood High School has begun a successful year. We each appreciate the support and help you have given us in our efforts.

The annual Spring Choir / Orchestra / AFJROTC Trip for this year is to Dallas, Texas. I think this trip will be both educational and entertaining for any student. Additional to the typical historical and fun things one would anticipate on a trip of this type is the opportunity for us to hopefully perform at Sam Houston State University.

During the trip the students will spend every possible moment involved in chaperoned educational and fun activities that are designed to educate the students and promote team building.

The cost of the trip includes transportation (a major expense), housing, entry fees, and activity fees. We will leave on Friday and return on Sunday.

Through fundraising, we will continue to work to make it possible for all students to participate in this trip. If a student makes every effort to participate in the activities offered by this organization, he/she should be able to earn most or all of their trip cost. There will be two major fund raising events in the Fall semester sponsored by the choir. There will hopefully be more opportunities scheduled to begin before the trip. Students who have chosen to be active in these events are well on their way to having their total trip paid.

Today, we need to find out exactly how many people are going to participate in this activity by asking for a registration form. If you and/or your students would like to participate in this trip, we ask that you fill out the attached form and return it with a check that includes a \$50.00 non-refundable deposit for each trip participant. If the student has earned fund raising money this year in excess of this amount, then an additional deposit is not required. Refunds for any cancellation will be based on a scale directly related to the amount of money refundable to us at any point in time. Obviously, the closer the trip date is, the less that is refundable.

Please return the registration portion of this form with your payment if you wish to participate in this trip. **Please return this completed form even if you choose not to participate so that we can be sure that every student has had the opportunity to consider this trip.** Every student is encouraged to participate and every effort will be made to help students with special needs.

Additional information and finalized schedules will follow after the initial registration has been completed. Thank you in advance for your participation. This will be a trip and educational event that the students will remember for a lifetime.

The payment schedule for this trip is as follows. Financial penalties will apply from the date of the cancellation.

Thanks,
Brazoswood Choir and Orchestra
Bill Few
Adam Gonzalez
Doug Rickaway
Col. Larry Baker

Registration Form 2015-2016

Please return this portion of the form with cash or a check payable to BISD (if applicable) in the amount of \$50.00 for **each participating member**.

I am completing this registration form with full
Knowledge and Permission of my parents.

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DETERMINES FINAL TRAVEL ABILITY

ALL students are to complete this form to confirm that they have made a choice. You are NOT required to travel but you ARE required to make a formal choice. You are required to return this paperwork.

Student Name: _____

Email Contact: _____

Parent signature: _____

Email contact: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Emergency/Cell: _____

_____ I **will** participate in the Spring Trip to Dallas

_____ I **will not** participate in the Spring Trip to Dallas

Names of additional family members who would like to travel with us as chaperones:

Please Return Immediately

Brazoswood Choir / Orchestra / AFJROTC Spring Trip GRADE TIMELINE and FINANCIAL LOSS

FAIR WARNING: Pass Your Classes for ability to travel and to avoid losing a significant amount of money

The cost of the trip will be \$400.00. This includes entry fees, hotel, transportation costs, and meals. Additional activities may be included as time and availability allows but the cost will not increase.

The payment schedule for this trip is as shown below. Upon completion of the enclosed registration forms, the student is considered a participant in the trip until **WRITTEN** cancellation is made and accepted by the director. Until that time the registered student is a participant and **ALL** financial obligations will apply. **Financial penalties will apply from the date of the written cancellation.**

**GRADES WILL COUNT PER UIL RULES!!!
FAILURE MEANS LOSS OF MONEY AS SHOWN BELOW
CANCELLATION MEANS THE LOSS OF FUNDS AS SHOWN BELOW**

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PROGRESS REPORT GRADE DETERMINES TRAVEL**

PAYMENT TIMELINE

(Fees may be paid or earned)

First Deposit or credit needed	(upon registration – Sept 17, 2015) - \$50.00
Second Deposit or credit needed	(by Oct. 8, 2015) - \$50.00
Third Deposit or credit needed	(by Nov. 5, 2015) - \$50.00
Fourth Deposit or credit needed	(by Dec. 3, 2015) - \$50.00
Fifth Deposit or credit needed	(by Jan. 14, 2016) - \$50.00
Sixth Deposit or credit needed	(by Feb. 18, 2016) - \$50.00
Seventh Deposit or credit needed	(by Mar. 17, 2016) - \$50.00
Final Deposit or credit needed	(by Apr. 7, 2016) - \$50.00

CANCELLATION TIMELINE

(On this date amount of non-refundable fees)

First Penalty	(upon registration – Sept 17, 2015) - \$50.00
Second Penalty	(on Oct. 8, 2015) - \$100.00
Third Penalty	(on Nov. 5, 2015) - \$150.00
Fourth Penalty	(on Dec. 3, 2015) - \$200.00
Fifth Penalty	(on Jan. 14, 2016) - \$250.00
Sixth Penalty	(on Feb. 18, 2016) - \$300.00
Seventh Penalty	(on Mar. 17, 2016) - \$350.00
Total Penalty	(on Apr. 7, 2016) - \$400.00