



**STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL BAND, CHOIR, AND THEATRE**  
**MIKE SEKICH and MIKE AUSTERMAN – TRIP DIRECTORS**  
**DESTINATION: NEW YORK CITY**  
**TRAVEL DATES: MAY 23 – 26, 2024**

**SUGGESTED ITINERARY AS OF NOVEMBER 15, 2023**

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Brian Rogers, Sales Consultant  
Marybeth Coyne, Travel Consultant  
GTS Motorcoach Company

**THURSDAY, MAY 23**

**o MEALS INCLUDED**

5:00 AM Coaches arrive for loading

6:00 AM Leave **STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL** via two (2) privately chartered  
**56 – PASSENGER** motorcoaches including DVD / restroom  
39701 Dodge Park Road  
Sterling Heights, MI 48313  
Phone: 586-797-1900

-10 hours drive time with 2 hours added for rest stops, meal stops, and traffic (640 miles). Breakfast to be eaten at home or on the motorcoaches. Lunch “on your own” en-route to New York City.

6:00 PM Arrive at the **SHERATON NEW YORK TIMES SQUARE** for check-in  
811 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
New York, NY 10019  
Phone: 212-581-1000

**YOUR PROFESSIONAL BRT TOUR AND TRAVEL DIRECTOR WILL MEET YOU HERE**

7:00 PM Walk to **TIMES SQUARE**

-Dinner “on your own” in the Times Square area.

9:30 PM Take a Group Photo in Times Square “on your own”  
Traffic Island in Times Square

10:00 PM Arrive back at the hotel for the evening

**PRIVATE NIGHTTIME HOTEL SECURITY (2 GUARDS) FROM 10:30 PM – 5:30 AM**

### **FRIDAY, MAY 24**

#### **3 MEALS INCLUDED: B,L,D**

- 6:45 AM Walk to breakfast
- 7:00 AM **BREAKFAST BUFFET AT HARD ROCK CAFÉ**  
1501 Broadway
- 8:00 AM Walk back to the hotel
- 8:30 AM Begin loading the motorcoaches with all needed instruments and equipment
- 9:00 AM Board coaches (or walk) and transfer to **CENTRAL PARK** for some free time
- 9:30 AM Enjoy **CENTRAL PARK**
- 11:30 AM **BOXED MEALS** provided for lunch
- 12:15 PM Board coaches and transfer to your workshops
- 12:30 PM Arrive at the **TBD WORKSHOP LOCATION**  
New York, NY
- 1:00 PM The **STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL BAND WORKSHOP** begins  
*-In this 90-minute workshop, your band will sight read a selected piece of Broadway music with a qualified music director or conductor.*
- 2:45 PM The **STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR and THEATRE WORKSHOP** begins  
*-This 90-minute workshop is geared towards learning a Broadway song and dance from two industry professionals. Students will sight read a song with a music director and then dive into the choreography with a Broadway cast member.*
- 4:15 PM The clinics end and begin loading the coaches
- 4:30 PM Board coaches and transfer to dinner
- 5:00 PM Arrive at **GAYLE'S BROADWAY ROSE** for dinner  
228 West 47<sup>th</sup> Street at Friedman's at the Edison Hotel
- 7:00 PM Walk to the **TBD THEATRE**  
New York, NY
- 7:15 PM Arrive at the **TBD THEATRE**
- 8:00 PM The Broadway performance of "**TBD**" begins
- 10:45 PM Walk back to the hotel
- 11:00 PM Arrive back at the hotel for the evening

**PRIVATE NIGHTTIME HOTEL SECURITY (2 GUARDS) FROM 11:00 PM – 6:00 AM**

### **SATURDAY, MAY 25**

#### **2 MEALS INCLUDED: L,D**

- 7:00 AM Breakfast "on your own" in the area
- 8:30 AM Board coaches and transfer to the **EMPIRE STATE BUILDING**  
350 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue

- 9:00 AM Arrive at the **EMPIRE STATE BUILDING**  
-Take in panoramic views of New York City from one of the most famous skyscrapers in the world.
- 11:00 AM **\$25.00 VISA CARD** provided towards lunch use in the **ROCKEFELLER CENTER** area  
-Free time to explore **Rockefeller Plaza**, **5<sup>th</sup> Avenue**, and **St. Patrick's Cathedral**.
- 1:15 PM Walk to the **TBD THEATRE**  
New York, NY
- 1:30 PM Arrive at the **TBD THEATRE**
- 2:00 PM The Broadway performance of "**TBD**" begins
- 4:45 PM Walk back to the hotel
- 5:30 PM Board coaches and transfer to dinner
- 6:00 PM Arrive at the **SPIRIT OF NEW YORK** for boarding  
Chelsea Piers – Pier 61 (along Westside Highway)
- 6:30 PM The **SPIRIT OF NEW YORK** dinner and DJ cruise begins  
-Enjoy a buffet dinner as you cruise along the scenic Hudson River. After dinner, dance to your favorite songs with a live DJ!
- 9:00 PM The cruise ends and begin loading the coaches
- 9:30 PM Transfer back to the hotel
- 10:00 PM Arrive back at the hotel for the evening

**PRIVATE NIGHTTIME HOTEL SECURITY (2 GUARDS) FROM 10:30 PM – 5:30 AM**

## **SUNDAY, MAY 26**

### **1 MEAL INCLUDED: B**

- 7:15 AM Walk to breakfast
- 7:30 AM **BREAKFAST BUFFET AT ELLEN'S STARDUST DINER**  
1650 Broadway
- 8:30 AM Walk back to the hotel for check-out and load all luggage on the motorcoaches
- 9:30 AM Visit the exteriors of **THE JULLIARD SCHOOL** and the **LINCOLN CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS**. Also visit the interiors, if open.  
Lincoln Center Plaza
- 11:30 AM Board coaches and transfer back home  
-10 hours drive time with 2½ hours added for rest stops, meal stops, and traffic (640 miles). All meals "on your own" en-route back home.
- 11:59 PM **ARRIVE AT STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL**