



Southmoreland Marching Band

October 23, 2018

Dear Students/Parents/Guardians,

In May, The Southmoreland Marching Band will be traveling to Philadelphia, PA for our annual marching band trip. Choice Music Tours in Carnegie, PA is currently working out all reservations and details. We will be departing Southmoreland High School Friday, May 17th and returning Sunday, May 19th. The total cost of the trip will be dependent on the number of students/staff/chaperones attending. The first deposit of \$100 will be due Thursday, November 1st. Please see payment schedule below. It is extremely important payments are made on time so that we are able to meet the deposits required by the tour company. For students to attend, all accounts must be current. If you have any questions about the trip, please feel free to contact me at 615-390-7927 or harriss@southmoreland.net.

Sincerely,

Shawn Harris
Marching Band Director

Trip Payment Installments	
November 1, 2018	\$100.00
December 1, 2018	\$60.00
January 7, 2019	\$60.00
January 22, 2019	\$60.00
February 11, 2019	\$60.00
March 4, 2019	\$60.00
March 19, 2019	\$60.00
April 1, 2019	\$60.00

TENTATIVE Itinerary (*subject to change*)

Friday, May 17, 2019

- 4:00 p.m. Depart Southmoreland High School for Philadelphia, PA – dinner in route with a \$10.00 meal stipend
- 10:00 p.m. Arrive in Philadelphia for hotel check-in
- 11:00 p.m. Room check, security on duty until 6:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 18, 2019

- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast at the hotel
- 9:00 a.m. Bus transfer to Independence National Historic Park
- 9:30 a.m. Self-guided tour of the **National Constitution Center** – or –
Museum of the American Revolution
- 11:30 a.m. Bus transfer to Reading Terminal Market
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch at **Reading Terminal Market** with \$15.00 meal stipend
- 1:30 p.m. Walk to The Shops at Liberty Place
- 2:00 p.m. Timed entry to **One Liberty Observation Deck**
- 3:00 p.m. Bus transfer to **Independence National Historical Park**
- 3:30 p.m. **Constitutional Walking Tour**
- 6:00 p.m. **Spirit of Philadelphia Dinner & Dance Cruise** – or –
Dinner at **Hard Rock Café** and **Philadelphia Sightseeing Tour aboard double decker buses**
- TBD Bus transfer to the hotel
- 11:00 p.m. Room check, security on duty until 6:00 a.m.

Sunday, May 19, 2019

- 8:00 a.m. Breakfast at the hotel & hotel check-out
- 9:00 a.m. Bus transfer to Hershey, PA
- 11:00 a.m. Spend your day at **HersheyPark** – lunch & dinner today with \$15.00 meal stipends
- 6:00 p.m. Depart Hershey for Alverton, PA
- 10:30 p.m. Arrive at Southmoreland High School