

## BRANSON - WHAT TO BRING and OTHER REMINDERS

### 1. ON THE BUS

- a. We keep the bus cool. You might want a hoodie or blanket – also a pillow.
- b. We will have “lights out” and quiet when we leave until some time in the morning.
- c. Bring some snacks.

### 2. CLOTHES

- a. Performance – green choir polo, black pants, black dress shoes, black socks if applicable.
- b. Evenings – The 2 nights that we go to shows, you will dress up. Remember that we will still walk several blocks to dinner and the theater on these nights. No jeans or shorts. Men, shirt and tie – jacket optional.
- c. General – Your daytime attire should be in dress code. We will be walking a lot! Have comfortable shoes.
- d. Weather – Somewhat like ours, but it could be cooler in the mornings.

### 3. HOTEL

- a. Soap, shampoo, and usually conditioner are provided in each room, but you can bring your own if you wish.
- b. There are hair dryers and irons in the rooms as well as a refrigerator and microwave.

### 4. MISCELLANEOUS.

- a. Bring prescriptions on Thursday to luggage check in. Make sure over the counter medicines are listed on your form. You cannot be given any medications that are not on your allowed list.
- b. Games, homework, reading material. Any audio equipment must have headphones. The bus ride is 9-11 hours.
- c. Label your personal items – cameras, jackets, CD players, etc. Do not bring expensive jewelry or other items.

### 5. SPENDING MONEY

- a. You will need money for lunch on Friday, one lunch in Branson, and lunch (maybe dinner) on the way back.
- b. All other meals are included.
- c. Souvenirs – Bring as little or as much money as you like. As in any tourist area, stuff is going to be expensive.

### 6. iPad and technology

- a. You are responsible for loss or damage if you bring your technology on the trip.
- b. You will not take your iPad or computer with you during the day. Leave it in your hotel room.

#### **FINAL TRIP MEETING – TUESDAY, APRIL 18**

7:00 pm Turn in signed forms, get final itinerary, answer questions, and parents approve by-laws of new choir booster club.

#### **LUGGAGE DROP OFF – THURSDAY, APRIL 20**

3:00-6:00 Bring your checked bag and carry on bag  
Parent turn in prescription medication to Mr. Glenn

#### **DEPARTURE DAY – FRIDAY, APRIL 21**

3:00 am Assemble in the Choir Room – DO NOT BE LATE!! - Final instructions  
3:30 am Leave  
Water and snacks being provided by Booster Club  
We will only stop for lunch.  
1:30 pm Estimated arrival in Branson. You should have time to change before our showboat dinner and show.