3/15/12 DEERFIELD HIGH SCHOOL MULTI- CLASS TRIP, DEERFIELD, WI TRIP TO NEW ORLEANS – March 20 – 25, 2012 TRIP #12-01033

Tuesday, March 20, 2012

- 5:30 PM: Two 55 passenger motorcoaches (maximum seats available to group are 104) arrive at Deerfield High School, 300 Simonson Blvd, Deerfield, WI 53531 for loading. On departure, please call our 24-hour (1-800-654-4560 then "0") service to let us know your departure time.
- 6:30 PM: Depart from Deerfield High School on first class, air-conditioned, DVD equipped MOTORCOACHES provided by HOLT TOUR & CHARTER (320-286-5315 / 320-583-4338). (16.5 hours have been allotted for the drive, plus 2.5 hours for rest stop/breakfast and lunch on your own enroute)

Wednesday, March 21, 2012

Two hours from arrival, call your tour manager or our 24-hour (1-800-654-4560 then "0") service to let us know your arrival time.

1:30 PM:	Arrive in New Orleans; meet your TOUR MANAGER at the French Quarter , <i>Vieux Carre</i> – Steeped in the Old World elegance of a Creole past and the colorful excitement of many diverse cultures, here is where it all began!
	Visit the 250-year-old French Market – Offering an abundance of fruit and veggie stalls, a flea market, and specialty shops.
	If extra time permits, visit Jackson Square, St. Louis Cathedral and/or the New Orleans Jazz National Park
2:30 PM:	Depart for your tour
3:00 PM:	Arrive at BLAINE KERNS MARDI GRAS WORLD GUIDED TOUR, 1308 Port of New Orleans Place, New Orleans, LA 70130 (504-361-7821/504-527-0388) - is literally the place where Mardi Gras magic is made. Nowhere else can you watch the artists of Blaine Kern Studios—the world-renowned masters of Carnival sculpture and floatbuilding—at work in their shops, weaving spells of wonder.
4:30 PM:	Depart for dinner
5:00 PM:	Arrive for DINNER at MULATE'S THE ORIGINAL CAJUN RESTAURANT, 201 Julia St., New Orleans, LA 70130 (504-522-1492)
6:30 PM:	Depart for your tour
7:00 PM:	Meet your GUIDE in front of the St. Louis Cathedral , Chartres Street Side facing Jackson Square for your HAUNTED FRENCH QUARTER WALKING TOUR provided by HAUNTED HISTORY TOURS (504-861-2727) – Learn about the legend and folklore of this mysterious area.
9:00 PM:	Depart for the hotel

Optional travel insurance is available.

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9:30 PM: Arrive at the HAMPTON INN & SUITES CONVENTION CENTER, 1201 Convention Center, New Orleans, LA 70130 (504-293-1200) and check-in

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Thursday, March 22, 2012

7:00 AM:	DELUXE CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST at the hotel
8:00 AM:	Depart for your tour
9:00 AM:	Arrive at OAK ALLEY PLANTATION, 3645 Highway 18 (Great River Road), Vacherie 70090 (225-265-2151) and explore the grounds on your own
	Meet for your TOUR – This plantation has been called the "Grande Dame" of the Great River Road. (<i>The tour lasts 40 minutes</i>)
9:40 AM: 9:50 AM:	Group One (32 people) TOUR Group Two (32 people) TOUR
10:45 AM:	Depart for your project. Enroute make a quick stop for lunch on your own.
12:30 PM:	Arrive at the Arc Mardi Gras Bead Recycling Location, 925 S. Labarre Rd in Metairie, LA 70001 (504-952-5545)
	Volunteer to help sort beads to help support Arc
3:30 PM:	Depart for your performance
4:15 PM:	Arrive at the Toulouse St. Wharf
4:30 PM:	PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITY CONFIRMED for the Choir Pre Cruise on the Dock (weather permitting)
5:00 PM:	PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITY CONFIRMED for the Concert Band Pre Cruise on the Dock (weather permitting)
6:00 PM:	Begin boarding the STEAMBOAT NATCHEZ (504-586-8777) for DINNER – Enjoy Creole cuisine and a beautiful view of the skyline.
9:00 PM:	Depart for the hotel
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Friday, March 23, 2012	

7:30 AM: DELUXE CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST at the hotel

8:30 AM: Depart for your tour

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- 9:30 AM: Arrive at JEAN LAFITTE SWAMP TOUR (504-689-4186/504-529-4567) Provided by a native New Orleanian. From the comfort of your swamp boat, venture into the moss draped bayous and view the fascinating plant life and creatures.
- 12:00 PM: Depart for the aquarium
- 1:00 PM: Arrive at the AQUARIUM OF THE AMERICAS, 6500 Magazine St., New Orleans, LA 70118 (800-774-7394/504-581-4629) Featuring more than one million gallons of fresh and saltwater exhibits of 530 species in a variety of wondrous habitats; this is one of the top five aquariums in the country. Lunch on your own
- 3:00 PM: Also enjoy the movie "Lions 3-D" at the ENTERGY IMAX 3D THEATER
- 4:00 PM: Depart for the hall
- 4:30 PM: Arrive at PRESERVATION HALL, 726 Saint Peter St., New Orleans, LA 70116 (504-522-2841) – Traditional jazz is at its most authentic when heard from the musicians who were around at its inception. This small club is where the old jazz masters pass on traditions to the up-and-coming players.

Enjoy a 45 Minute PRIVATE STUDENT CONCERT with 15 Minute Q&A with the musician and brief history of the historic venue

- 5:30 PM: After your visit, depart for **Riverwalk Marketplace** The *Big Easy* of shopping and entertainment where you can see, hear, smell, touch, and taste everything this one-of-a-kind city has to offer. (*closes at 7pm*)
- 7:00 PM: After closing, depart for dinner.
- 7:45 PM: Arrive for DINNER at HARD ROCK CAFÉ, 418 N. Peters St., New Orleans, LA 70130 (504-529-5617)
- 9:00 PM: Depart for the hotel

PRIVATE NIGHT TIME HOTEL SECURITY

Saturday, March 24, 2012

8:00 AM:	DELUXE CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST at the hotel and check-out
9:15 AM:	Depart for the zoo
10:00 AM:	Arrive at the AUDUBON ZOO, 6500 Magazine St., New Orleans, LA 70118 (504-581-4629) – One of the country's premiere zoos. Providing an oasis for 1,500 animals, it represents over 350 species from around the world. Lunch on your own
1:00 PM:	Depart for the museum

1:30 PM: Arrive at the NATIONAL WWII MUSEUM, 945 Magazine Street (Main Entrance on Andrew Higgins Drive), New Orleans, LA 70130 (504-528-1944) - The only museum in

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	the United States that addresses all of the amphibious invasions or "D-Days" of World War II, honoring the more than 16 million Americans who took part in this global conflict
3:00 PM:	Enjoy the movie "Beyond All Boundaries" in the Solomon Victory Theater <i>(Running time 52 minutes)</i>
4:30 PM:	Depart for dinner
5:00 PM:	Arrive for DINNER at MICHAUL'S LIVE CAJUN MUSIC RESTAURANT, 840 St. Charles Ave., New Orleans, LA 70130 (504-522-5517) – Enjoy authentic Cajun cuisine and music
6:30 PM:	Depart for home. Rest stops and meals on your own en route at the Director's discretion
Sunday, March 25, 201	<u>2</u>

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Two hours away from home, please call our 24-hour (1-800-654-4560 then "0") service; give the name of your school and expected arrival time. Your telephone tree captain can call in and be advised of that arrival time.

2:00 PM: Arrive at Deerfield High School

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY OR TO LEAVE A MESSAGE, PLEASE CALL 1-800-654-4560. PLEASE LEAVE ALL PERTINENT INFORMATION INCLUDING NAMES AND PHONE NUMBERS

3/15/12 TRIP FEATURES DEERFIELD HIGH SCHOOL MULTI- CLASS TRIP TRIP TO NEW ORLEANS – March 20 – 25, 2012 TRIP #12-01033

THE TRIP INCLUDES:

- * Round trip transportation aboard first class, air-conditioned, DVD equipped motorcoaches
- * First class accommodations for three nights and changing rooms upon arrival in the New Orleans area
- * Three breakfasts, and four dinners
- * Mardi Gras World Guided Tour / Haunted French Quarter Tour
- * Oak Alley Plantation / French Market / French Quarter
- * Steamboat Natchez Dinner Cruise / Jean LaFitte Swamp Tour
- * Aquarium of the Americas / Imax / Preservation Hall Private Student Concert
- * Audubon Zoo / National WWII Museum
- * Private night time hotel security
- * Group Travel Videos Package
- * All trip planning and arrangements
- * Services of our company tour manager for your entire stay in the New Orleans area
- * \$3,000,000 Liability Insurance / SYTA Consumer Protection Plan Coverage
- * Optional travel insurance is available for \$28 \$52 per person
- * Member of the Student Youth Travel Association
- * All gratuities included
- * Based on tariffs in effect 4/7/11 and subject to availability at time of booking
- * Health and accident insurance coverage, including medical evacuation, up to \$2,500 per person included for all participants
- * 1-800-654-4560 Emergency phone service, answered 24 hours, provided for your peace of mind, while the trip is in progress

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