## Welcome! We are so glad you are here!

Let's get started! First, you need an LWMB "Charms" account.

LWMB "Charms" is a digital management system that we use for a variety of purposes, including communication, volunteering, spirit wear sales, registration fees, etc.

Please visit the tables in the lobby before and/or after the meeting to start your registration process.

If you already have an LWMB Charms account, please log in and confirm that all contact information is up to date.

Thank you!



# Trip Updates & Season Information

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## L-W Campus Music Websites





**Band in High School** 

# **Curricular Band Courses & Extracurriculars**

## **Enrolling in Curricular Band**

- Class Options
  - Percussion Class; WW/Brass Class
- Scheduling Options
  - $\circ~$  How do I schedule band in my day?
  - Do I need to take "Zero Hour?" "Summer School?"
- Audition Process
  - Why? When? How?

#### SCHEDULING MUSIC FRESHMAN YEAR



# **Extracurricular Bands**

- There are many options!
  - Lincoln-Way Marching Band
  - Jazz Band(s)
  - Jazz Combo
  - Pep Band (Basketball Games)
  - Spring Musical Pit Orchestra

# Lincoln-Way Marching Band

- The 'LWMB' is the all-district marching band made up of students from all three L-W schools.
- The LWMB experience involves winds, percussion and colorguard. The LWMB season includes all performances in parades, football games, and competitions. Students are required to be at band camp and all rehearsals, but the rewards and memories are wonderful and endless!

#### **\*\***Requires enrollment in curricular band classes.

## Have you read our latest LWMB newsletter?

The LWMB newsletter is sent once a week through LWMB "Charms" and is posted on the LWMB website.

https://www.lincolnwaymusic.org/update.html



## **Summer Rehearsal Outline**

The previous LWMB Season Calendar is available at:

https://www.lincolnwaymusic.org/lwmb-season-calendar.html

- Winter & Spring Training
  - Woodwinds/Brass, Color Guard, Percussion
  - Periodic rehearsals for fundamental training
- June Camp
  - Three weeks of partial day rehearsal. Rehearsal time depends on facility availability.
- Band Camp (Late July/Early August)
  - Two weeks, Monday-Friday
  - Full days of rehearsal, social events, and fun time with friends!

# **Fall Rehearsals Outline**

Rehearsal Schedule Varies by Week

#### Typical Week

Monday - Evening Music Rehearsal 4:30-8:30 Wednesday - Sectionals or Evening Rehearsal 4:30-8:30 Thursday - Evening Visual Rehearsal 4:30-8:30 Friday - Football Game(s), if scheduled Saturday - Rehearsal or Competition

In October all rehearsals become "full" rehearsals.

# **LWMB Fall Performance Outline**

- Competitive Shows: Local, Regional and National Events (September through November)
- L-W Fall Events
  - LWMB students will perform for regular season/playoff football games, pep assemblies, and other similar events at their home school.
  - Separate football rehearsals will be held at each school and on Fridays when there are home football games. Dates TBA.
- Fundraisers: LWMI Field Show Exhibition, LWMB Community Night, White Sox, Etc.
- Combined Competitive Halftime Performances
  - $\circ$   $\;$  The ensemble will perform during halftime at select football games.
    - Dates TBD

# Looking for more information?

#### Check out the LWMB "Parent Resources" Page:

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# Lincoln Way High School Bands Tournament of Roses Parade

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December 27, 2024 – January 2, 2025

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## Landmark Event, Remarkable Partner

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BRT Bob Rogers Travel

## **Bob Rogers Travel: Since 1981**

- Founded and owned by a band director
- Executed over 7,000 tours and carried over 600,000 travelers in the past 40 years; 150+ groups to Disney Imagination Campus (East & West coasts)
- Numerous groups to Macy's Parade and Tournament of Roses Parade
- The top producer for Disney Imagination Campus programs at the Walt Disney World® Resort since 2011

## BR Bob Rogers Travel

- Broadway.com Top Producer's Circle
- Member of the Student & Youth Travel Association and the National Tour Association
- Sponsor of the Illinois Music Education Association, the National Band Association, the American Choral Directors Association, among others
- Corporate sponsor of the Make-A-Wish Foundation
- Official Partner of Music For All

#### Friday, December 27, 2024

- Fly to Los Angeles!
- Santa Monica Pier
  - \$20 VISA Gift Card for lunch at the Pier
- Check-in to the hotel
- Group dinner at the hotel

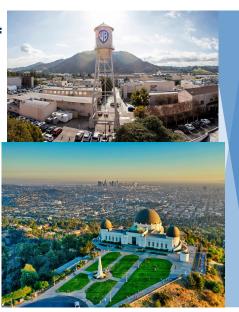




#### Saturday, December 28, 2024

- Breakfast included at your hotel
- Rehearsal at a local high school or University
- Huntington Beach High School to be requested
  Box lunch provided for lunch
- Warner Brothers Studios Tour!
- Griffith Observatory
- Dinner at Dave and Busters– Hollywood





#### Sunday, December 29, 2024

- Breakfast included at your hotel
- Disneyland & Disney's California Adventure
  - Park hopper ticket!
  - Marching Band Parade Performance!
  - \$40 Disneyland Dining Card for lunch and dinner



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## Monday, December 30, 2024

- Breakfast included at your hotel
- Bandfest Performance
- In-N-Out Burger provided by TOR for lunch
- Band Photo at the Rose Bowl Stadium
- Float Barn Decorating viewing
- Dinner at Buca Di Beppo Anaheim



BRT Bob Rogers Travel



## Tuesday, December 31, 2024

- Breakfast included at your hotel
- Disneyland & Disney's California Adventure
  - Park hopper ticket!
  - \$40 Disneyland Dining Card for lunch and dinner





BR Bob Rogers Travel





## Wednesday, January 1, 2025

- Breakfast at your hotel (to-go breakfast)
- 2025 Tournament of Roses Parade!!!!
- In and Out lunch provided by the TOR
- Dinner/Dance Cruise departing from Newport Beach!



BRT Bob Rogers Travel





#### Thursday, January 2, 2025

- Breakfast included at the hotel
- Boxed meal for lunch included
- ► Fly Home!



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#### Accommodations: Embassy Suites Anaheim South

- ► 11767 Harbor Blvd, Garden Grove, CA 92840
- ► (714) 539-3300
- Full buffet breakfast each morning, Wi-Fi and private nighttime security each night
- Provided meeting space and reserved equipment truck and bus parking



BR Bob Rogers Travel



#### **Trip Inclusions**

- Round trip airfare (Charter and scheduled air being considered)
- Local LA motor coach transfers per the itinerary (5 coaches)
- 6 nights' accommodations at Embassy Suites Anaheim South (all students pay quint\*)
  Private Nighttime Security (3 guards)
- Group Dinner at Dave & Buster's with \$20 Game Card and 2 Hours Unlimited Gaming, 1\$20 VISA Gift Card for Santa Monica Pier lunch, 2 - Boxed Meals, Group Dinner and cruise on the Endless Dreams, Group dinner at Buca di Beppo, Group Meal at Hotel on arrival day, 2 - \$40 Disneyland Dining Cards, Two In-N-Out Burger boxed lunches provided by Tournament of Roses
- Admission to the Warner Brothers Studios Tour, 2-Day 2 Park Hopper Pass to Disneyland
- Excursions to Santa Monica Pier, Griffith Observatory, Rose Bowl, Float Barns
- Rehearsal at Huntington Beach High School (or similar)
- Participation in Bandfest presented by Remo, a Disneyland March and the 136<sup>th</sup> Annual Tournament of Roses Parade
- Grandstand Parade Seating, Float Barn viewing, and Bandfest tickets for non-performers/non-staff
- Group Photo at the Rose Bowl

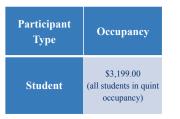


#### **Trip Inclusions**

- 3 on-site Tour Directors and 2 Airport Greeters for airport check in
- Storage space reserved at the hotel
- Reserved equipment truck parking
- Rental Car for Event Staff
- All Taxes and Gratuities throughout the tour
- Moments that Matter app with video souvenir
- BRT Payments System
- Drawstring Bags and Luggage Tags



#### **Payment Schedule**



BRT Bob Rogers Travel

Payment Details	Due Date	Amount Due		
Deposit + Insurance Premium	December 1, 2023	\$250.00 per traveler + Insurance Premium (if selected)		
2 <sup>nd</sup> Payment	January 26, 2024	\$250.00 per traveler		
3 <sup>rd</sup> Payment	February 23, 2024	\$250.00 per traveler		
4 <sup>th</sup> Payment	March 22, 2024	\$250.00 per traveler		
5 <sup>th</sup> Payment	April 26, 2024	\$250.00 per traveler		
6 <sup>th</sup> Payment	May 24, 2024	\$250.00 per traveler		
7 <sup>th</sup> Payment	June 7, 2024	\$250.00 per traveler		
8 <sup>th</sup> Payment	August 9, 2024	\$250.00 per traveler		
9 <sup>th</sup> Payment	September 6, 2024	\$250.00 per traveler		
10 <sup>th</sup> Payment	October 11, 2024	\$250.00 per traveler		
Final Payment	November 15, 2024	Remaining Balance		

## **BRT Payments**

- Secure, online payment system
- ► All payments processed automatically online per the payment schedule.
- Ability to opt-in for travel protection
  - Automatically takes out the premium at the same time as the deposit

"Fan" Packages

Ability to pay with ACH (E-check) or pay via credit card (additional 3% credit card fees)

# BR Bob Rogers Travel

#### **Travel Insurance**

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Standard (F561S)	Standard (F561S)      4.55% of        Enhanced (F561E)      7.60% of		4.55% of Trip Cost		
Enhanced (F561E)			Trip Cost		
Contains Insurance and Non-Insurance	Assistance Services.				
Schedule of Insurance Benefits	Maximum Benefit Amount		Standard Plan F561S	Enhanced Plan F561E	
Cancel For Any Reason Benefit*	75% of Non-Refundable Trip Cost			1	
Trip Cancellation** Single Supplement	up to 100% of the non-refundable insured Trip Cost included		1	1	
Trip Interruption** Single Supplement	up to 100% of the non-refundable insured Trip Cost included		V V	1	
Additional Trip Interruption Travel Companion Hospitalization	Included under Trip Interruption benefit Maximum up to \$150 Per Day, Limited to 5 Days		1 1	* *	
Missed Connection	\$500		~	~	
Trip Delay	up to \$150 Per D	ay, to a Maximum of \$750	~	~	
Accident & Sickness Medical Expense Dental Expense Sublimit		\$25,000 \$750	× ×	* *	
Medical Evacuation & Repatriation of Remains Additional Medical Evacuation: Transportation Of Children/Child Bedside Visit Transportation to Join You		\$100,000 included included included	~ ~ ~ ~	2 2 2 2	
Political or Security Evacuation & Natural Disaster Evacuation	\$25,000		~	~	
Baggage and Personal Effects Passport, Visa or Other Travel Documents Replacement Credit Card Charges and Interest Per Article Limit Items Subject to Special Limitations		\$1,500 \$100 \$50 up to \$300 ximum Combined	****	*****	
Baggage Delay	\$300 Up to \$50 to expedite the Return		×	1	

## BR Bob Rogers Travel

\*Not available to NY Residents. Additional terms apply. \*\*Benefits are only payable if trip is cancelled/interrupted due to a covered peril.

#### Friends, Fans, Family, and Alumni

- An itinerary that will allow the "Fans" the opportunity to follow the band around Los Angeles
- Three different packages to chose from:
  - ► Full package: Including airfare, accommodations, all scheduled activities, meals, and tickets
  - Land Only package: Same inclusions as the Full Package, less airfare to and from Los Angeles
  - Ticket Package: Only includes the following tickets...
    - Bandfest, Float Barn, Disneyland (2-day Hopper), and Grandstand Parade Tickets



# **Questions?**

Thank you for the opportunity to plan the trip of a lifetime for your group!

## BR Bob Rogers Travel

## **Student Trip Registration Summary**

- Registering for the Trip
  - Register in the **Bob Rogers Travel** "IPS" system by **November 24, 2023.**
  - $\circ$   $\;$  There is a "Deposit" due of \$250 on December 1, 2023 to secure a spot on the trip.
- Registration, Trip payments, Payment plan
  - $\circ$  ~ Payment schedule and all payments are handled only by Bob Rogers Travel company.
  - $\circ$  ~ Neither L-W #210, nor the LWMB, will collect or process your payments.
  - The LWMB will only assist in processing "I.F.A." payments to the travel company.
  - IFA funds are not available to be used for the **December 1st** payment.

## Chaperones

- Chaperone Expectations
  - Being a chaperone is a **FULL TIME** responsibility. You will be "on duty" the entire trip, assisting with the logistics and supervision of the students.
  - $\circ$   $\;$  We will only be taking an estimated 20–30 chaperones on the trip.
  - $\circ$   $\$  Chaperones will be required to pay the same amount as the students.
- Are you interested in being a chaperone?
  - Please complete the "Chaperone Interest Form" on the LWMB: Rose Parade website.
  - $\circ$   $\;$  The "Commitment" date for chaperones is NOT the same as the students.
  - $\circ$  ~ We will contact those who complete the form at a future date.

**Chaperone Interest Form** 

# Financial Obligations Fundraising Opportunities LWMB "Charms" System

## LWMB "Charms" System

- LWMB families use two different "Charms" accounts:
  - LWMB Charms account:
    - All LWMB registration payments will be collected through Charms
    - All LWMB "I.F.A." fundraisers will be tracked in Charms
      - Each year, thousands of dollars are raised through the various L-W "I.F.A." fundraisers!
    - Log-in and "how-to" instructions can be found at <u>www.lincolnwaymusic.org/lwmb</u>
    - Email Mr. Ben Salgado <u>lwmbcharms@gmail.com</u> with any questions
  - Campus Music Booster Charms account:
    - Each L-W music department also uses "Charms" for various tasks
    - Please contact the Music Department at your school for help gaining access to your campus Charms account.

## **L-W Music Booster Organizations**

- Each Lincoln-Way school has a music booster organization that provides fundraising opportunities for all music students by campus.
- Students participate in fundraisers at their own campus.
- We hope that you will choose to get involved! Contact your campus Music Department to learn more about meeting schedules, fundraisers, and more.

**Student IPS Document** 

## **Financial Obligations**

- Payment Methods
  - Bob Rogers Travel will process/collect all trip payments
  - Use of a Debit/Credit card is required; no personal checks
- "I.F.A." Individual Family Account
  - You cannot use "I.F.A." funds to pay the **Deposit**.
  - $\circ$   $\;$  After the Deposit, you can use "I.F.A." funds to pay for the entirety of the trip cost.
  - $\circ$  ~ Both the LWMB and the school music booster organizations offer options for fundraising!
  - Each one is an opportunity for students to raise their own funds to pay for the trip!

## World's Finest Chocolate Fundraiser

- Optional Fundraising Opportunity begins tonight!
  - Families can purchase boxes of chocolate bars upfront for \$60.
  - $\circ$   $$25\ per$  box of that purchase is credited to your LWMB registration or ToR trip fees.
- This fundraiser is will be "ongoing." You can continue to purchase more boxes to sell in the future, if desired.
- Specific details regarding additional candy purchases is forthcoming.

# **ToR Trip Raffle**

- Raffle tickets sales begin tonight!
  - $\circ$  ~ Tickets are for ONE LWMB member trip -OR- ONE "Fan Package" trip.
  - $\circ$   $\,$  Each raffle ticket is \$25, and tickets can be purchased via credit card.
- Additional incentives:
  - $\circ$  For every raffle ticket purchased to night, you will receive an extra raffle entry - free!
  - For every raffle ticket purchased throughout the sale, you will receive \$5 for LWMB/trip fees.
  - If you purchase a raffle ticket tonight, **and register for the trip by December 1,** you will receive one additional raffle entry free!

# "Raise Right" Fundraiser

- "Ongoing" I.F.A. Fundraiser
  - $\circ$   $\;$   $\;$  Families purchase gift cards to be used at area businesses.
  - $\circ$   $\;$   $\;$  Families receive a certain percentage deposited into their I.F.A. per gift card.
- "Raise Right" is a great program because it can be used for your everyday shopping or for gifts for the upcoming holiday season.
- Depending on your shopping habits, you have the potential to raise hundreds of dollars to help with LWMB registration or ToR travel expenses.
- Lwmbraiseright@gmail.com

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# Summary & What's Next?

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  - Stay tuned for our next meeting about the 2024 LWMB Season!

## • Start fundraising!

- $\circ$   $\;$   $\;$  Purchase your first set of boxes for the candy bar fundraiser
- $\circ$   $\;$   $\:$  Visit the tables in the lobby for the raffle ticket purchase and for more information

