Tallwood High School Band Spring Trip 2010

Participant and Parent Agreement and Intent to Travel

Student: *I intend to travel with the Tallwood High School Band on their Spring Trip 2010 to New York City. I understand that my attitude and behavior are critical to the success of this event. The conduct and department of band students as individuals affects the band as a whole. Therefore, for the good of this trip as well as for my fellow group member I agree to abide by the following:*

1. I will follow the Tallwood High School Code of Conduct and all band policies and procedures.
2. I will follow the rules of bus conduct as set out by Mr. Rossettini
3. I am a representative of Tallwood High School and will respect the places/people on this trip.
4. SAFETY is our top priority. I will observe all safety precautions and emergency procedures.
5. I agree to meet at the designated times and take my share of daily responsibilities.
6. I understand that the use of tobacco, alcohol and drugs (other than those prescribed for medical purposes) will not be permitted at any time during the event.
7. I understand that there are consequences for serious inappropriate behavior, up to and including being sent home at my parent's expense. In this event, I understand that there will be no refund of travel fees.

Parents: *I understand that travel requires planning, preparation and commitment to participate. Therefore, I agree to abide by the following:*

8. I understand that the cost of the trip will **not exceed** $650.00 per student, including transportation, accommodations, three breakfasts, tickets to two shows (tentatively Stomp and Jersey Boys), NY Pass and at least a $100.00 to be used for additional meals. We will issue each student a Visa Gift card and a small amount of cash. Keep in mind that the students will be responsible for the lunch and dinner meals for the duration of the trip.
9. Student may bring additional spending money if they desire.
10. I will meet deposit and payment due dates. Deposit Date: January 4, 2010
    Payment Dates. January 15, 2010, February 1, February 15, March 1, and March 15, 2010.
11. The initial deposit of **$150.00 is non-refundable**. **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!** There will be additional payments of $100 on the above mentioned dates. These due dates are firm. If you have a problem pleases contact Warren Canady or David Zavadil to discuss the payment.
12. Fundraising is extremely important to the success of this event. All band members and their parents are encouraged to participate in fundraising opportunities. Fundraising credits can be used towards the balance of the cost of the trip.
13. Cash refunds are not available on fundraising credits.
14. Fundraising credits cannot be "cashed out" to have as spending money for the trip.
15. There will be no refunds on cancellations after March 1, 2010.
16. Mr. Rossettini reserves the right to remove any student from the trip due to academic status or disciplinary actions. If a student is removed they will **NOT** be issued a refund. The financial commitment of the contract will still be valid.

I have read and understand my responsibilities and financial commitment as listed above.

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Student Signature ***Date***

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Signature of Parent or Guardian ***Date***

This agreement must me signed by the participating band member and their parent or guardian and returned to the Spring Trip Coordinator along with the initial payment by January 4 , 2010.