

# NEW YORK CITY

## Midway High School Choir

### **Friday, March 1st:**

- 2:00am Load buses
- 2:30am Depart Midway High School on motorcoaches, 8200 Mars Dr, Waco, TX Avallon Motorcoaches 972-915-7300
- 4:30am Arrive at the Dallas Love Field Airport
- Bring breakfast with you (on own)
- 6:25am Depart Dallas on Southwest Airlines flight #207
- 10:35am Arrive at the LaGuardia Airport
- Meet your Green Light tour manager, Matt Guido 631-807-7302 and Rachel Portnoy 612-708-8197
- 11:00am Board motorcoaches, Suburban Trails 732-249-1100
- 12:30pm Lunch at Chelsea Market
- See the Highline Elevated Park and Little Island
- 4:00pm Check into the Fairfield Inn Times Square 330 West 40th St 212-967-9494
- 6:00pm Board motorcoaches
- 7:00pm Dinner cruise with DJ around the Statue of Liberty at night (board at 6:30pm, cruise from 7:00pm - 9:30pm)
- 10:00pm Arrive back at the hotel

### **Saturday, March 2nd:**

- Breakfast at the hotel, starts at 7:00am
- 8:00am Meet in the lobby to depart
- 8:45am Walk through Central Park

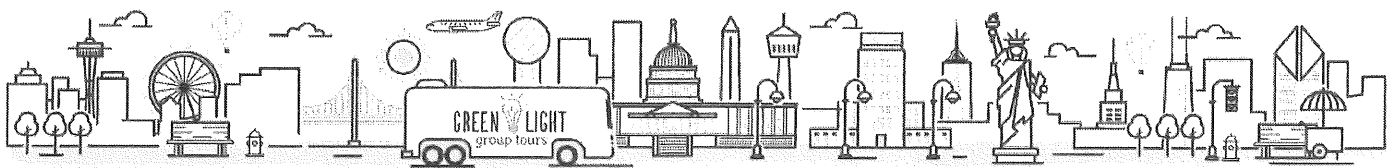
- 9:55am Travel to the Top of the Rock in Rockefeller Center
- 12:00pm Lunch at Urban Hawker's Food Court
- Shopping on Fabulous 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue
- 5:30pm Dinner at Ellen's Stardust Diner
- 8:00pm See a HadesTown on Broadway
- 11:00pm Arrive back at the hotel

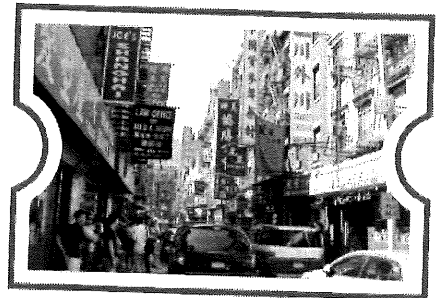
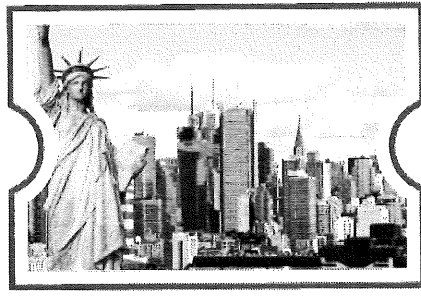
### **Sunday, March 3rd:**

- Breakfast at the hotel, starts at 7:00am
- 7:30am Meet in the lobby for departure
- 8:30am Arrive at St. Bartholomew's Church
- 8:45am Performance at St. Bartholomew's Church performance (arranged by Mr. Rice)
- 10:00am Depart back to the hotel to change
- 12:00pm Lunch at Hudson Eats
- 1:30pm See the 9/11 Memorial
- 2:00pm Explore the 9/11 Museum
- 4:30pm Dinner at Havana Central
- 6:30pm See Aladdin on Broadway
- 9:30pm Group photo in Times Square
- 10:00pm Return to your hotel

### **Monday, March 4th:**

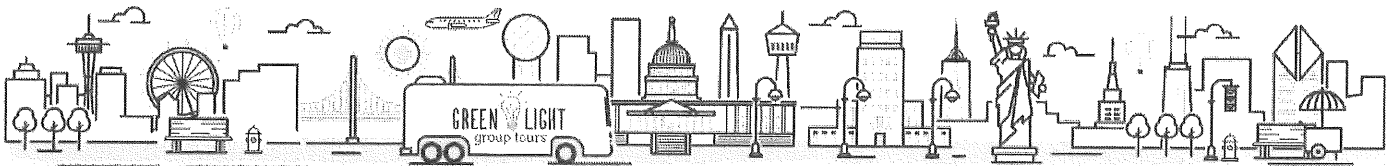
- Breakfast at the hotel, starts at 6:30am
- 9:00am Board Motorcoaches
- 10:00am Free time for shopping in Chinatown
- 11:00am Lunch at Paesano's in Little Italy





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- 1:15pm Arrive at St. Patrick's Cathedral, main 5th Ave. entrance
- 1:45pm St. Patrick's Cathedral performance (arranged by Mr. Rice)
- 2:45pm Depart St. Patrick's Cathedral
- 3:30pm Enjoy a Roosevelt Island tram ride over the East River
- 4:30pm Depart for the LaGuardia Airport
- Dinner at the airport
- 8:10pm Depart on flight #3658
- 11:30pm Arrive back at Dallas Love Field
- 11:45pm Board motorcoaches
- 3:15am Arrive back at the school



# Midway HS Meistersingers New York City 2024

## Trip Information/Policies

- **Airline/Airport/Policies** – You must have your current legal, government issued ID (driver's license, passport, or school ID) to check in and go through security.
- **Luggage Policies** -- Each traveler is allowed one suitcase to be checked and one carry-on bag to take on the plane. Your checked suitcase must have the Greenlight Group Tours luggage tag on them with your name and school address on them. Do not lock your luggage unless using a TSA approved lock. In addition, all passengers may carry on one personal item (purse, backpack, etc.) There are strict guidelines as to the size and contents of carry-on bags. **You are responsible for any fees (\$50-100. each way) for luggage over 50 pounds or larger than 62 linear inches.** Carry-on bags must pass through airport security checkpoints (no liquids more than 3oz). For specifics see the Southwest Airlines website <https://www.southwest.com/html/customer-service/baggage/carryon-bags-pol.html> . All bags are subject to search by TSA officials or trip chaperones. **FYI** – please pack a change of clothes in your carry-on bag in case luggage is delayed or lost.
- **Hotel Policies** – Female students are not allowed in male student rooms at any time; no male students are allowed in female student rooms at any time. Students are responsible for any damage to their hotel room. Curfew must be strictly observed. We are not the only guests at the hotel. Greenlight Tours provides overnight security personnel for our safety. At check-out time, chaperons please double check for items left behind.
- **MISD Code of Conduct** – As a school trip, all Midway ISD Code of Conduct rules are in effect 24/7. Also, rules/laws in effect at any venue or location we visit must be followed. **No sex, drugs, alcohol, smoking/vaping, or other behavior/activity that is deemed inappropriate for a high school choir trip is permitted. This includes public display of affection, photographing yourself or others without permission, inappropriate language/joking, and any other offensive or crude behavior.**
- **Trip Safety** – It is essential for your safety that all students remain in the confines of the assigned area at the time. Do not leave the group without specific permission from an adult. Exchange phone numbers with your chaperone. Always check-in with your assigned chaperon(s) when asked. Be careful with your valuables and money/credit cards. Protect your purse and/or wallet at all times.
- **Violation of Policies** – Minor violations will result in a conference with directors/chaperons and restrictions placed on student participation. If a serious violation of trip guidelines occurs, a student may be sent home at parent expense.
- **Weather** - Check the weather forecast for NYC to plan your wardrobe. March in NYC is cold so bring a coat, gloves, scarf, etc. The latest forecast is for are high in the 50's and low in the 40's. There is also a good chance of rain. We will be walking a lot so bring comfortable shoes.
- **Emergencies** – Go ahead and enter Mr. and Mrs. Rice's cell phone numbers in your phone (Mr.—254-855-0872; Mrs. – 254-855-0873). Also, add your assigned chaperon and group member's phone numbers. NYC is a pedestrian-friendly city with numbered Streets going East/West and numbered Avenues North/South. Some N/S are named (Broadway, Park, Madison). However, if you find yourself lost or separated from your group you need to be able to contact an adult. The hotel number would also be a good number to have in your cell phone. It is listed below.

**Fairfield Inn/Times Square**

330 W. 40th Street  
New York, NY  
(212) 967-9494

**St. Patrick's Cathedral**

5<sup>th</sup> Avenue between 50<sup>th</sup>/51<sup>st</sup> Streets  
New York, NY

**St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church**

Park Ave & 51<sup>st</sup> St.  
New York, NY 10022  
(212) 378-0226

Mr. Rice (254) 855-0872  
Mrs. Rice (254) 855 -0873

Chaperone phone number  

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**What to Bring**

- **ID** – you must have your current legal photo ID (driver's license) for flight check in.
- **Snacks** - The first and last days are long ones so you will want to pack some snacks in your carry-on or purse/backpack.
- **Medication** – keep up with your own. If you need an adult to help, talk to your chaperone.
- **Trip Attire** – All clothing worn on the trip must meet school dress code standards. Wear your MHS Choir t-shirt, jeans and a coat/jacket on Day 1 travel to NYC. **Bring your choir uniform (in your suitcase) for the St. Bart's performance.** Bring nice outfits for the Broadway shows. It will be cold so plan to wear layers, a coat, gloves, etc. Bring a rain jacket. In general, dress modestly and comfortably for the day activities. **Bring your long-sleeved NYC choir t-shirt to wear with jeans on the last day for the performance at St. Patrick's Cathedral and travel home.** There is a lot of walking in NYC so bring comfortable shoes. If you have questionable clothing on at any time, be prepared for a director or chaperon to ask you to change.
- **Overnight supplies** – toothbrush, deodorant, clean underwear, contact supplies, etc. You know what you need.
- **Meal/Spending Money** – The trip cost includes all meals except breakfast on the first travel day. All meals are either provided or you will be given cash at the time to purchase on your own. Admission to all shows/attractions is also included in the trip cost. You are on your own for additional snacks and souvenirs. An additional \$100. (depending on your spending habits and how many souvenirs you want to buy) should be sufficient for extra expenses on the trip.

## NYC STUDENT ROOMING LIST

	<b>Female</b>				
1	Baish, Mollie	7	Atkinson, Ellie	2	Benavidez, Adrian
	Evans, Mikel-Ann		Davison, Stella		Castle, Clayton
	Wagner, Gabrielle		Denman, Madeleine		London, Gechairi
			Harris, Abigail		Lugo, Gabe
2	Black, Kassidi				
	Curtiss, Heather	8	Agado, Amy	3	Beck, Asher
	Ingram, Ivy		Daniel, Samantha		Conaway, Sam
	Randolph, DJ		Holdman, Sierra		Jackson, Jonas
			Ybarra, Aryana		Liang, Kenny
3	Goss, Emily				
	Greathouse, Emily	9	Davis, Morgan	4	Claridy, Colton
			Gonzalez, Gabriella		Dwyer, Edward
4	Follis, Madison				Ferrell, Dustin
	Grosz, Ella Kate				Wible, Levi
	Matus, Haylee	10	Gulley, Mia		
	Smith, Emma		Hipp, Jordan	5	Davis, Lenox
			Mata, Sofia		Garcia, Nico
5	Delk, Rachel		Rose, Hannah		Stapp, James
	Hardaway, Catheryn				
	Ryan, Haylee		<b>Male</b>	6	Christian, Ethan
		1	Harris, Cole		Mathis, Collin
6	Ortiz, Savannah		Hayes, Cash		Owen, Jackson
	Steakley, Maggie		Miller, Kanon		Truong, Hien
	Walker, Olivia		Young, Ryker		
				7	DeLozier, Bennett
					Pullin, Cash
	<b>33 Female</b>		<b>25 Male</b>		

## NYC CHAPERONE ROOM LIST

1	Rice, Jeff	8	Pullin, Carson (Student)
	Rice, Jannifer		Pullin, Cade (Student)
2	Overstreet, Caleb	9	Hipp, Jenny
			Mata, Elizama
3	Castle, Chad		Wible, Dawn
	Castle, Kesleigh		
		10	Delaney, Sandra
4	Denman, Brian		Ferrell, Rylee (student)
	Denman, Melissa		
	Denman, Jr., Brian	11	Follis, Heather
			Follis, Kayla
5	Greathouse, Joni	12	Walker, Nancy
	Goss, Heather		Steakley, Jessica
6	Harris-Manier, Jennifer	13	Garcia, Nidia
	Ortiz, Heather		
		14	Jordan, Katlyn
7	Pullin, Shawn		
	Pullin, Michelle	15	Thompson, Danielle
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## NYC CHAPERONE/BUS GROUPS

<b>Denman/Denman</b>		<b>Walker/Steakley/Harris/Ortiz</b>
Atkinson, Ellie		Ortiz, Savannah
Davison, Stella		Steakley, Maggie
Denman, Madeleine		Walker, Olivia
Harris, Abigail		Harris, Cole
Davis, Morgan		Hayes, Cash
Gonzalez, Gabriella		Miller, Kanon
Denman, Jr., Brian		Young, Ryker
		Beck, Asher
<b>Goss/Greathouse</b>		Conaway, Sam
Goss, Emily		Jackson, Jonas
Greathouse, Emily		Liang, Kenny
Baish, Mollie		
Evans, Mikel-Ann		<b>Hipp/Mata</b>
Wagner, Gabrielle		Gulley, Mia
		Hipp, Jordan
<b>Castle/Castle</b>		Mata, Sofia
Benavidez, Adrian		Rose, Hannah
Castle, Clayton		Agado, Amy
London, Gechairi		Daniel, Samantha
Lugo, Gabe		Holdman, Sierra
Christian, Ethan		Ybara, Aryana
Mathis, Collin		
Owen, Jackson		<b>Pullin/Pullin/Garcia</b>
Truong, Hien		Davis, Lenox
		Garcia, Nico
<b>Delaney/Wible</b>		Stapp, James
Claridy, Colton		DeLozier, Bennett
Dwyer, Edward		Pullin, Cash
Ferrell, Dustin		Pullin, Carson
Wible, Levi		Pullin, Cade
Ferrell, Rylee		
		<b>Jordan</b>
<b>Thompson</b>		Black, Kassidi
Delk, Rachel		Curtiss, Heather
Hardaway, Catheryn		Ingram, Ivy
Ryan, Haylee		Randolph, DJ
<b>Follis/Follis</b>		
Follis, Madison		
Grosz, Ella Kate		
Matus, Haylee		
Smith, Emma		
<b>Overstreet 44</b>		<b>Rice/Rice 42</b>