

# Action Sheet

**MEETING DATE:** November 19, 2025

**AGENDA ITEM:** Consider approval of the Ball High Choir  
Out-of-Country trip to Cozumel, Mexico  
for performances and clinic opportunity

**Destination:** Cozumel, Mexico via the Carnival Breeze ship

**Time:** January 8th-12th, 2026 (during the end of Winter Break)

**Estimated Cost:** The cost of the trip is around \$579 per student and the students are paying for the opportunity through individual fundraising and payment plans.

**Chaperones:** Larrian Meniffee, Megan Lirette, and Maricela Castro

**Fundraising:** Fundraising opportunities will occur throughout the year to help cover some of the costs of students.

**Purpose of Trip:** The purpose of the trip is to provide an opportunity for some of the choir students the ability to perform on a cruise in a unique, high-level environment. In addition, this opportunity will be a first for the students to gain an experience that extends beyond the classroom. Performing on a cruise ship gives students the opportunity to represent the school and community in a professional and public setting while fostering musical, cultural, and personal growth. The experience will align with the Fine Arts educational goals by enhancing performance skills in a professional setting, providing real-world experience, building cultural awareness, as well as allowing our students to serve as ambassadors of our district and community.

**RECOMMENDATION:** I move that the Board of Trustees approve the Out-of-Country trip to Cozumel, Mexico for January 8th-12th, 2026 for eligible students to perform on the Carnival Breeze Cruise Ship.



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Superintendent