

EXTRA-CURRICULAR
STUDENT TRAVEL APPROVAL FORM

Student travel must be approved based on the direct benefits for the students. The trip must have approval of Superintendent or designee before any travel arrangements and reservations are made or students and parents become involved with any facet of the trip. Out-of-state travel must have Board approval.

Name of Group: SATIN STRINGS Campus: PERMIAN HIGH SCHOOL

Date of trip: JUNE 2017 Grade levels involved: 10-12 Number of students: 33
Number of instructional days: 0 Location: CANADA
(Please attach an itinerary)

Funding source: District Budget Campus Budget Department Budget Activity fund Personal

Instructional days out of the classroom: The sponsors/coaches/directors have checked the accrued number of days for each participant? Yes No

Trip function: Cocurricular Extracurricular Competition Non-athletic

Trip profile: In-state Out-of-state Overseas Tour Field trip Invitational
 Annual Biennial Post-district Competition associated with a tour or attraction

Transportation mode: School bus School suburban Charter bus plane

How does the trip relate to and benefit the Campus Improvement Plan, District Improvement Plan and/or the TEKS?
We were invited to perform for Canada's Sesquicentennial Celebrations.

Does the trip require fund-raisers? Yes No

Are deadlines established to guide the sponsors/directors if the trip has to be canceled due to lack of funding?
 Yes No

How many sponsors will accompany the students? 15
What is the ratio of sponsors to students? Sponsors 1 / Students 2 (gender appropriate)

Student orientation - Date: MAY 1 2017 Time: 7PM Location: PHS
Parent orientation - Date: MAY 1 2017 Time: 7PM Location: PHS
Sponsor orientation - Date: MAY 1 2017 Time: 7PM Location: PHS
Sponsor criminal background check - Date: MAY 1 2017

Will any kind of insurance be required? Yes No
Will room and baggage searches be required? Yes No

Medical and travel releases will be required.

Coach/Sponsor: [Signature] SEPTEMBER 6, 2016
(Signature) (Date)

Principal approval: [Signature] Field Trips/Excursions
(Signature) UIL Competition
9-8-16
(Date)

Superintendent or designee Approval: [Signature] (District Sanctioned Competition)
(Signature) (K-8 Field Trips/Excursions)
9/13/16
(Date)
(Out-of-state)

Board approval: _____
(Signature) (Date)

Chapa, Thelma

From: Berridge, Todd
Sent: Wednesday, September 14, 2016 2:47 PM
To: Lyon, Mark
Cc: Chapa, Thelma
Subject: FW: Permian Satin Strings
Attachments: Satin Strings - LAS - Canada Tour - 2017 (002).pdf

Mark,

Here is all I know so far. See the email below and I have also attached the official invitation from the Canadian side.

We were one of 2 groups in the entire USA to be invited to do this. This is quite an honor for us!

Thanks for your help!

Todd Berridge, Head Director

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From: Dean Marshall [mailto:dmviolin@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, August 15, 2016 9:59 PM
To: Berridge, Todd <Todd.Berridge@ectorcountyisd.org>
Subject: Re: Permian Satin Strings

Hello Todd,

Congratulations! I think it would be awesome to have the **Satin Strings** participate in this tour too. I'm sorry I missed your phone call.

We have a rough itinerary that we are working on at the moment. We see this tour in 2 segments - starting in Eastern Canada and ending in Western Canada. Your group could participate in as much of this trip as you would like. We would want this tour to be a balance of site-seeing and performing. Here are the general thoughts/places for this tour at this point:

- Everyone would fly to Buffalo NY in June of 2017 and then we would cross the border on bus
- Places to see: Niagara Falls, Toronto, Ottawa, Quebec
- Many festivals to participate in at this time.
- An internal flight to Calgary
- Places to see: Calgary, Banff, Vancouver (travel through the Rocky Mountains)
- To end up crossing the border to Seattle to fly home.

There are other local music groups groups like the **Calgary Fiddlers**, the **West Coast Fiddlers** (and more) that would love to do something with everyone that we would arrange. This is just a rough plan to see the general idea. We are working on a more specific itinerary and budget that could work for everyone. We would get this to you soon but we wanted to make sure this is the right direction for your group.

We are researching the ground cost and air costs right now and will get this for you soon.

Talk soon!

Dean Marshall
Music Director
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