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Disneyland Information Letter #5

What is the band wearing? We are wearing black Dickie pants, marching shoes, white band t-shirts, and blue band wind breakers. All band members **MUST** be wearing these items before they get on the bus, **no exceptions!!** Members must wear either their band t-shirts or “Magic Music Days” shirts for the rest of the day. (We get our Disneyland shirts after the performance.)

Chaperones/Groups: All students who are not released to their parent/guardian must be in a group of 3 or more **BAND MEMBERS and chaperones only**. ALL groups must check in with a Chaperone between 1:30 – 2:00, 4:30 – 5:00, and 7:30 – 8:00 at the Plaza Gardens, where we performed. Students may not leave Disneyland for **ANY REASON** during the day!

Family and Friends: Only chaperones, directors, and band members may ride the bus. All others may meet us in the park after the performance. (in ToonTown by the large fountain.)

Schedule of Events for April 17

- 5:45 am - Leave from the circle dressed to perform with instrument.
- 7:55 am - Vehicle Inspection. (Ball Rd/West Place)
- 8:15 am - Enter Disneyland via Ball Rd/Cast Member Place
Take Band Photo without Instruments
Unload the bus
Tune up and warm up.
Set Stage (drummers and Mr. Sockwell)
- 9:30 am - Perform at Plaza Gardens Stage
- 9:55 am - Escorted backstage
Pack up instruments
Change if necessary (There are dressing rooms)
Get T-shirts and Photopasses. (More info later.)
Bus leaves and parks by Parking Structure (Pinocchio lot)
Band enters Disneyland via Toon Town gate.
- 10:30 am - Enjoy your day at Disneyland. *All groups MUST have a Cell phone.*
- 1:30 pm - First Chaperone Check-in / Plaza Gardens (30 minute window)
- 4:30 pm - Second Chaperone Check-in / Plaza Gardens (30 minute window)
- 7:30 pm - Third Chaperone Check-in / Plaza Gardens (30 minute window)
- 9:30 pm - Meet at location near the gate (TBA)
- 9:45 pm - Bus leaves Disneyland
- 11:30 pm - Bus arrives at AAE

Important: NO cell phones or cameras of any kind are permitted backstage! They must be left on the bus until we enter the park after our performance. (2) ALL personal items (clothes, etc.) must be taken on the bus in the provided duffle bag. No exceptions.