



Park Vista High School Choral Department

Bryan Ijames, Director

October 26, 2015

Dear Parents:

The Park Vista Chorus has been fortunate to be accepted by audition to perform during the 2015 Candlelight Processional and Massed Choir Program. We are scheduled to perform in the 5:00 PM show on December 10th.

The cost of the trip, including the charter bus, hotel room, T-shirt, and breakfast will be \$153. We will be accepting a deposit of \$75 to reserve a spot on the trip between now and Thursday or Friday October 29th or 30th depending on your class. The \$78 balance of the trip will be due on Friday November 20th. Also, important to note is that we require that all other financial commitments (fair share and uniform) **must** be paid prior to accepting your final Candlelight payment. If these requirements are not met, we will simply apply the \$75 deposit to any outstanding balance on the students account.

Disney provides us with two park tickets per day that we perform. These tickets have no expiration date. We will use one ticket on Friday, December 11th to attend one of the four Disney Park (voted on by students). Students will return with 1 extra ticket to use any time. Please be aware that I use these tickets as leverage to make sure students follow the rules and behave appropriately throughout the entire trip. Excessive lateness, insubordination, or other problems could result in loss of this ticket.

Attached is a contract for you and the student to sign and return with the deposit, a preliminary itinerary of the trip, information from Disney regarding the performance, a practice schedule for students. Of particular concern is the dress code requirement of white of white shirt, black pants) not jeans), and black socks and shoes. Students will not be allowed to perform if not dressed appropriately, and therefore will not receive Disney tickets. Please review dress code requirements, and ask me if you have any questions.

We are in need of parent chaperones of this trip! If you would like to travel with us, we ask that chaperones to help cover cost of the bus with a \$50 contribution. Please indicate your interest by emailing me at bryan.ijames@palmbeachschools.org within the next two weeks. We will have a required chaperon meeting on Monday December 7th at 6:30PM in the chorus room.

Lastly, student must have all songs learned and memorized for the performance, so please encourage your son/ daughter to follow the practice schedule and use the online resources found at www.pvchorus.net/candlelight.

Sincerely,

Bryan Ijames, Choral Director
Park Vista Community High School





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Students and Parents,

Park Vista Chorus is preparing for our Candlelight Trip. We are asking all students and parents to sign this contract confirming their commitment to participate in this trip.

The total trip cost is \$153.00 per student. This cost includes Bus, Hotel, T-shirt and breakfast. The payment schedule is as follows:

Deposit with signed contract will be \$75. Which is due by October 29 or October 30. Depending when the student's class is.

The balance of \$78.00 is due on November 20, 2015. Please remember that all financial commitments must be met to attend candlelight. This includes fair share and uniforms.

Please return this contract signed by both parent and student with deposit. This will reserve the spot.

Parent _____ Date _____

Student _____ Date _____



Park Vista Chorus
Cadkelight 2015: Itinerary

Thursday, December 10th 2015

9:30 AM Load buses
10:00 Depart PVCHS
2:00 PM Arrive at Epcot / lunch provided by Disney
3:35 Rehearsal
4:15 Robe distribution
5:00 Show
6:00 Show ends, return back stage
6:15 Dinner in Epcot (student cost)
9:00 Meet group
9:30 Walk to bus/ Depart for Hotel
10:00 Arrive at hotel
11:30 Curfew

Friday, December 11th 2015

6:00 Am Curfew Ends. Wake Up and breakfast in hotel
8:00 Room checkout with chaperones
8:30 Load Buses
9:00 Arrive at Disney, free time in park!
5:00 PM Check in at front of park
5:30 Load buses for trip
7:00 Dinner stop
9:30 Arrive at PVCHS

Hotel Information

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