

**Scottsboro/N. Jackson High School Band  
Chicago St. Patrick's Day Parade  
Chicago, Illinois March 8-12, 2023  
Proposed Itinerary**



**Day 1 Wednesday, March 8, 2023**

- 5:00 am**      **Depart for Chicago, Illinois**  
*Breakfast and Lunch on your own in route*
  
- 7:00 pm**      **Arrive for dinner at Dave & Buster's**  
9870 Berwyn Street, Rosemont, IL 60018
  
- 7:15 pm**      **Dinner @ Dave & Busters (included)** followed by some free time to enjoy the other cool experience of visiting **Dave & Busters** – \$20 Power Card included along with Unlimited video play! “Let the Games Begin!”
  
- 9:30 pm**      **Depart for your hotel**

**Day 2 Thursday, March 9, 2023**

- 8:00 am**      **Breakfast at your hotel (included)**
  
- 9:30 am**      **Depart for Shedd Aquarium**
  
- 10:00 am**      **Enjoy the morning in Chicago's famous Shedd Aquarium (included)**  
*At Shedd Aquarium, you can look nature in the eye, reach out and touch it. We've been sparking compassion, curiosity and conservation for the aquatic animal world since 1930. Each day, thousands of guests come eye-to-eye with bluegills and belugas, stingrays and sturgeons, sea stars and sea otters—and so many more animals—to discover their inner aquatic biologist or underwater explorer.*
  
- 1:00 pm**      **Depart for Gino's East for a group Chicago Style Pizza lunch (included)**  
162 E Superior St. Chicago, IL 60611
  
- 2:00 pm**      **Free time for sightseeing and shopping in small groups on the Magnificent Mile**  
Chicago's premier shopping center along Michigan Avenue  
  
*The Magnificent Mile includes 3,100,000 sq ft of retail space, 460 stores, 275 restaurants, 51 hotels, and a host of sightseeing and entertainment attractions to more than 22 million visitors annually. The American Planning Association selected The Magnificent Mile as one of the 10*

*Great Streets for 2007 through its Great Places in America program. In recent years, The Magnificent Mile has added trees and flower-filled medians to reflect the changing seasons*

**5:30 pm**      **Meet at the Hancock Building and load your Buses**  
875 N. Michigan Avenue

**5:45 pm**      **Depart for your Spirit of Chicago Dinner/DJ Cruise at Navy Pier** *(included)*

**6:15 pm**      **Cruise Boards at Navy Pier**

**7:00 pm**      **Spirit of Chicago Dinner/DJ Cruise Sails!**

**9:30 pm**      **Cruise Ends – Return to your hotel**

<b>Day 3</b>	<b>Friday, March 10, 2023</b>
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**8:00 am**      **Breakfast at your hotel** *(included)*

**9:00 am**      **Depart for the Navy Pier**  
600 East Grand Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611

*This is the place where all of Chicagoland and tourists from around the world have come together since 1995 to enjoy the beauty and the thrills of a day on Lake Michigan. From rides to restaurants, exhibitions to entertainment, shopping to dinner cruises and tour boats Navy Pier has it all – in a location unlike any other*

**Lunch** on your own @ the Navy Pier *(meal voucher included)*

**12:00 pm**      **Depart for Chicago’s Famous “Magnificent Mile”**

**12:45 pm**      **Visit 360° Chicago, John Hancock Observatory** *(included)*  
*Enjoy 360° Views, 1000 FT above “The Magnificent Mile”*

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**Dinner on our own on the Magnificent Mile**

- 6:30 pm**      **Meet at the Hancock Building and load your Buses**  
875 N. Michigan Avenue
  
- 6:45 pm**      **Depart for the Briar Street Theatre (Blue Man Group) *(included)***  
313 N. Halsted, Chicago, IL 60657
  
- 8:00pm**        **Blue Man Group Show Begins**
  
- 10:00 pm**     **Show ends – Return to your hotel**

<b>Day 4</b>	<b>Saturday, March 11, 2023</b>
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- 8:00 am**        **Breakfast at your hotel *(included)***
  
- 9:00 am**        **Load all parade equipment/instruments and depart for a photo op with the Chicago skyline as a backdrop**  
1300 S Lake Shore Drive, Chicago, IL 60605
  
- 10:00 am**      **Group Picture at the Adler Planetarium**
  
- 10:30 am**      **Depart for parade staging**
  
- 12:00 pm**      **The 2023 Chicago St. Patrick’s Day Parade steps off**  
*What's a holiday without a parade? How about one of the largest St. Patrick's Day parades in the country? Downtown Chicago's official St. Patrick's Day Parade is just that. Rain or shine, it begins on Columbus Drive and moves north through Grant Park for roughly three hours, beginning at Balbo Drive and ending at Monroe Drive.*
  
- Depart for Hard Rock Café’**  
63 West Ontario Street, Chicago, IL 60601
  
- 3:00 pm**        **Late lunch at Chicago’s Hard Rock Café *(included)***
  
- 4:30 pm**        **Depart for Millennium Park**  
205 East Randolph Street, Chicago, IL 60601  
*To get a taste of Chicago's lively urban atmosphere, visit Millennium Park. Take in picture-perfect skyline views, the colorful Crown Fountains and the unique reflections of the Bean while soaking up the atmosphere in the heart of Chicago*

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**9:00 pm**      **Meet as a group at Ed Debevic's**  
159 E. Ohio Street, Chicago, IL 60611

**9:30 pm**      **Dinner at Ed Debevic's** *(included)*

**10:45 pm**      **Depart for your hotel**

<b>Day 5</b>	<b>Sunday, March 12, 2023</b>
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**8:00 am**      **Breakfast at your hotel** *(included)*

**9:00 am**      **Depart for home!**

**10:00 pm**      **Estimated arrival home**