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**TROY ATHENS HIGH SCHOOL – Orchestra and Choir**  
**RYAN QUINN – DIRECTOR**  
**DESTINATION: CHICAGO, IL**  
**TRAVEL DATES: MAY 24 – 25, 2018**

**SUGGESTED ITINERARY AS OF OCTOBER 3, 2017**

*Bob Rogers Travel Emergency Number – 800.373.1423*  
*TBD, Tour Director*  
*Brian Rogers, Sales Consultant*  
*Marybeth Coyne, Travel Consultant*  
*National Trails*

**THURSDAY, MAY 24**

**2 MEALS INCLUDED: L,D**

5:00 AM Coaches arrive for loading

5:30 AM et Leave **TROY ATHENS HIGH SCHOOL** via two (2) privately chartered  
**56-PASSENGER** motorcoaches including DVD/restroom.

**-Breakfast to be eaten prior to departure.**

4333 John R Road

Troy, MI 48085

Phone: 248-823-2900

*-5½ hours drive time with ½ hour added for a rest stop and traffic (295 miles).*

10:30 AM ct Arrive at **CONNIE'S PIZZA** for lunch (*Chicago Style Pizza!*)

2373 South Archer Avenue

Chicago, IL

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11:45 AM Board coaches and transfer to the **VANDERCOOK COLLEGE OF MUSIC**  
3140 South Federal Street

12:00 PM Arrive at the **VANDERCOOK COLLEGE OF MUSIC** to unload all needed  
instruments and equipment for the afternoon clinic



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- 12:30 PM **TROY ATHENS HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA CLINIC** (*David Eccles requested*)
- 2:00 PM The clinic ends and load everything back on the coaches
- 2:30 PM Board coaches and transfer to **MILLENNIUM PARK**  
*Randolph Street*
- 3:00 PM Enjoy some free time at **MILLENNIUM PARK**
- 4:00 PM Board coaches and transfer to **NAVY PIER**  
*700 East Grand Avenue*
- 4:15 PM Arrive at **NAVY PIER** for some free time
- 5:30 PM Dinner at the **BUBBA GUMP SHRIMP COMPANY**  
*Located at Navy Pier*
- 7:00 PM Board coaches and transfer to the **CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**  
*220 South Michigan Avenue*
- 7:30 PM Arrive at the **CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**
- 8:00 PM The performance of “**SALONEN & UCHIDA**” begins  
*-Esa-Pekka Salonen leads a program that pairs Brahms' captivating Variations on a Theme by Haydn with Schoenberg's hauntingly beautiful Transfigured Night and Bartók's serene and expressive Third Piano Concerto, featuring Mitsuko Uchida. “It was in the otherworldly slow movement that Uchida's profound poetic sensibility rose to the fore, building to an eloquent emotional climax from the simple, hushed chords of the opening bars—atmospheric yet as clear as ice water” (Chicago Tribune).*
- 10:15 PM Board coaches and transfer to the hotel
- 11:00 PM Arrive at the **HOLIDAY INN CHICAGO OAK BROOK** for check-in  
*17 West 350 22<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Oak Brook Terrace, IL 60181  
Phone: 630-833-3600*

**PRIVATE NIGHTTIME HOTEL SECURITY (1 GUARD) FROM 11:00 PM – 6:00 AM**



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**FRIDAY, MAY 25**

**3 MEALS INCLUDED: B,L,D**

- 7:00 AM **BREAKFAST BUFFET** at the hotel  
*-Hotel check-out and load all luggage on the motorcoaches.  
-Depart the hotel in full performance attire.*
- 8:30 AM Board coaches and transfer **FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY**  
1400 South Lake Shore Drive
- 9:45 AM Arrive at the **FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY**  
*-Begin unloading all needed equipment and instruments from the motorcoaches for the morning performance.*
- 10:30 AM The combined **TROY ATHENS HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA AND CHOIR PERFORMANCE** begins inside the museum
- 11:00 AM The performance ends and load all equipment and instruments back on the motorcoaches. Clothes changing can be done at this time as well. Clothes changing can either be done back on the motorcoaches or in the ground level restrooms inside the museum.
- 11:30 AM Enjoy the exhibits inside **FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY**  
*-Discover Sue, the largest and most complete T Rex ever found! You can descend into an Egyptian tomb, watch a glowing lava flow, be dazzled by sparkling gems, come nose-to-nose with the man eating lions of Tsavo, and learn about the world's cultures and environments.  
-\$10.00 CASHBACK provided towards lunch use inside the museum.*
- 2:00 PM The **"TBD Show"** begins
- 2:45 PM Walk to **SHEDD AQUARIUM**  
1200 South Lake Shore Drive
- 3:00 PM Arrive at **SHEDD AQUARIUM**  
*-Among the world's largest indoor aquariums, it houses more than 32,600 aquatic animals representing some 1,500 species from waters around the world.*
- 3:30 PM The **OCEANARIUM AQUATIC SHOW** included
- 5:30 PM ct Board coaches and transfer back home  
*-5½ hours drive time with 1 hour added for a dinner stop (295 miles).  
-\$10.00 CASHBACK provided towards dinner use en-route back home.*
- 1:00 AM et **ARRIVE AT TROY ATHENS HIGH SCHOOL**