

**GROSSE POINTE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM
DEPARTMENT OF CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION**

AGENDA TITLE: Field Trip for Grosse Pointe North High School Band, Choir, and Orchestra

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: Students from Grosse Pointe North High School, under the guidance of Tom Torrento, Peyton Weil, and Noah Zogas, plan to embark on a field trip to Canada, our neighbor to the North, from April 23–26, 2025. This trip will provide students from the Band, Choir, and Orchestra programs with enriching experiences, including live performances, cultural exploration, and professional clinics.

Learning Objectives:

- Band, Choir, and Orchestra students will perform in prestigious venues and participate in clinics, enhancing their musical skills and gaining insight from professional musicians.
- Cultural enrichment through visits to museums, performances, and landmarks, deepening their appreciation for the arts and cultural history.

Trip Information Snapshot/Details:

- Dates: Wednesday, April 23 to Saturday, April 26, 2025
- Participants: Approximately 80 students attended by 10 chaperones
- Cost Breakdown: (\$1,599 / Student)
 - Transportation: Private chartered motorcoaches from Beyond Horizons Motorcoach Company
 - Accommodations: DoubleTree Hotel Toronto Downtown
 - Meals: Included (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)
 - Activities: Performances at the Royal Ontario Museum, clinics at the University of Toronto, cultural visits including CN Tower, Graffiti Alley, and Stratford's Festival Theatre

Detailed Itinerary:

Wednesday, April 23, 2025:

- **Morning:** Depart from Grosse Pointe North High School, travel to Stratford, ON for lunch and a performance at the Festival Theatre.
- **Afternoon:** Travel to Toronto for a dinner and show at Famous People Players.
- **Evening:** Check-in at DoubleTree Hotel Toronto Downtown.

Thursday, April 24, 2025:

- **Morning:** Performances by the Band, Choir, and Orchestra at the Royal Ontario Museum.
- **Afternoon:** Visit to Graffiti Alley and dinner at the Old Spaghetti Factory.
- **Evening:** Attend a show at the Princess of Wales Theatre.

Friday, April 25, 2025:

- **Morning:** Clinics at the University of Toronto.
- **Afternoon:** Lunch at Eaton Centre, group photo at Nathan Phillips Square, and visit the

CN Tower.

- **Evening:** Attend a Toronto Symphony Orchestra performance.

Saturday, April 26, 2025:

- **Morning:** Hotel check-out and additional time for sightseeing in Toronto.
- **Afternoon:** Depart from Toronto and return to Grosse Pointe North High School.

Participants:

- Interest has been confirmed from roughly 80 students.
- All participants must have either an enhanced (border-ready) driver's license or a valid passport.
- Staff will re-check travel restrictions before the trip departs in March 2025.

This trip offers an excellent opportunity for students to experience music and culture in two vibrant Canadian cities, enhancing their educational and artistic development.

Request: Board Approval on September 24 for Grosse Pointe North Band, Choir, and Orchestra for Canadian Field Trip in April 2025.

Chris Stanley, Ed.D
Executive Director, Learning Technology and Strategic Relations



Group Name: Grosse Pointe North High School

Trip Start Date: 2025-04-23

Primary Destination: Toronto, ON

Trip End Date: 2025-04-26

Quote Number: Q-12962

I. PROPOSAL BASIS

This tour agreement is for the stated number of paying people in your proposal. Any deviations from this number will result in a change of the price per person. Your final payment will be adjusted to reflect the final number of travelers. These terms and conditions together with any other documentation we provide you form the basis of your contract with us (hereinafter The Agreement). By booking a tour with us, you are accepting and consenting to The Agreement.

II. PAYMENTS

Your signature and deposit confirm your acceptance of your trip proposal. To allow us to begin booking the transportation, lodging, meals and attractions we will need the signed tour agreement and deposit by September 13, 2024. We cannot guarantee terms of the trip proposal until we are in receipt of your deposit and signed tour agreement.

All trip costs must be paid in full 45 days prior to departure. If any payment per the payment schedule is not received on time, Bob Rogers Travel reserves the right to cancel your trip and retain all fees paid by the trip participant(s).

III. ROOMING LISTS

We require all rooming lists to be typed on the rooming list template provided to you by Bob Rogers Travel and returned in electronic format. Handwritten and/or faxed rooming lists will not be accepted. Please note that the sheets are titled FEMALE STUDENTS, MALE STUDENTS, and ADULTS.

Group rooming lists will be due in our office no later than 90 days prior to departure. If not received by the due date, cancellation of room reservations will occur or penalties will be enforced by the hotel property(ies).

IV. CANCELLATION POLICY FOR ENTIRE GROUP. Bob Rogers Travel is required to pay all suppliers well in advance of your tour date. All suppliers have their own cancellation policies, which will affect the amount which is non-refundable. Should a cancellation become necessary, please inform Bob Rogers Travel immediately in writing and request a written confirmation of your cancellation. Upon receipt Bob Rogers Travel will make every effort to secure you the maximum possible refund. However, in addition to any penalty outlined above, there may be amounts which we are unable to recover from the vendors. Generally, flight tickets, hotel reservation and other items provided for the travel cannot be refunded if they are partially used. We are not responsible for a supplier's failure to pay a refund.

In addition to any terms of our suppliers the following cancellations fees from Bob Roger's Travel will also apply:

91 days or more from departure – 100% refund less nonrefundable vendor payments made by BRT
90 days or less from departure – Refund less any non-refundable vendor payments and a 15% service charge.

V. CANCELLATION POLICY FOR INDIVIDUALS

All cancellations must be in writing to Bob Rogers Travel. The date of the postmark is the date used to determine the amount of the cancellation fee. All money and fees paid prior to individual cancellation are non-refundable. No refunds or credits will be issued for a cancelled participant.

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VI. AIRFARE

If applicable, a separate air agreement will be sent for your review and signature once the air has been confirmed. Air Travel will be governed by the terms and conditions of the airline.

VII. TAXES

All taxes and service charges are included as of the date of your proposal. These taxes and charges are subject to change in the event of any increase or decrease prior to departure.

VIII. MANDATORY PERMISSION & MEDICAL RELEASE FORM *(applicable to student groups only)*

A copy of the Mandatory Permission & Medical Release Form needs to be saved by the school or organization for each traveler and accessible for 5 years from the date of the trip.

IX. DISCLAIMER

BOB ROGERS TRAVEL, Inc. and its agents act only in the capacity of agents for the participants in all matters pertaining to accommodations, tour activities, meals and transportation. We arrange for a variety of travel related products from different suppliers and service providers, including but not limited to airlines, tour operators, rental car companies, accommodations providers and any other suppliers of the travel services ("Suppliers"). Each Supplier has its own terms and condition that are applicable to your particular arrangements in addition to our general terms and conditions; Bob Rogers Travel, does not own, manage, operate, supervise, or control any transportation, vehicle, airplane, hotel or restaurants, or any other entity that supplies services related to the travel. All suppliers are independent contractors, and are not agents or employees or representatives of Bob Rogers Travel. All arrangements are subject to the terms and conditions specified by each supplier, and by utilizing the services, all customers agree that neither Bob Rogers Travel, nor its employees, agents, or representatives is liable for any injury, personal injury, damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may happen by default of any hotel, motel, restaurant, bus, airplane, steamship, taxi, railroad, car rental agency, tour service, company or person rendering any of the services involved or by natural forces.

X. FORCE MAJEURE

No responsibilities are accepted, nor will we pay any compensation or refund where the performance or prompt performance of our contractual obligations are prevented for any cancellation, damage or delay due to illness, pilferage, labor dispute, machinery breakdown, quarantine, epidemic, pandemic, medical or customs or immigration regulation, delay, or cancellation governmental restraints, weather, war, incidents of politically motivated violence, or other causes beyond - our control. In the event that it becomes necessary to cancel or alter a tour or any aspect of that tour, such alterations will be made and, in the event of cancellation, our regular cancellation fees will apply.

XI. STUDENT BEHAVIOR

Acceptable participant behavior is determined solely by the group leader/school. Participants may be sent home at the school's discretion for behavioral concerns. Any participant sent home for behavior or disciplinary issues will be sent at their sole expense, and no refund will be available for any portion of the trip.

XII. HEALTH AND SAFETY

For the safety of our guests, Bob Rogers Travel reserves the right to request health information prior to travel and to exclude any participants it deems unfit for travel at its sole discretion.

XIII. TRAVEL PROTECTION

Bob Rogers Travel, believes that planning a successful trip also means considering what to do when things don't go as planned. Travel Protection safeguards your travel investment, your belongings, and most importantly, you. Your travel protection plan should cover at a minimum, cancellation, cancel for any reason, curtailment, medical, emergency travel and personal accidents, and damage or loss to personal belongings.

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Bob Rogers Travel recommends student coverage including Cancel for Any Reason through Trip Mate. Bob Rogers Travel is not qualified to answer technical questions about the benefits, exclusions, and conditions of travel protection plans. Bob Rogers Travel cannot evaluate the adequacy of the prospective insured's existing insurance coverage. If you have any questions about your travel protection, call your insurer or insurance agent or broker. If a participant chooses to travel without adequate travel protection, we will not be liable for any of your losses howsoever arising, which would have been covered by adequate travel protection.

XIV. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Agreement shall be held illegal, invalid, or unenforceable, the remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect.

XV. GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE SELECTION

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois, without regard to its choice of law rules. Each of the parties hereto consents and agrees to the jurisdiction of any state court or any federal court sitting in Illinois, and waives any objection based on venue or forum non conveniens with respect to any action instituted therein, and agrees that any dispute arising out of this Agreement, or concerning the conduct of either party in connection with this Agreement or otherwise, shall be heard only in the courts described above. **All claims must be submitted in writing and received by Bob Rogers Travel no later than sixty (60) days after the completion of the Bob Rogers Travel Tour. Any claims not submitted and received within this time shall be deemed waived and barred.**

Grosse Pointe North High School
BOB ROGERS TRAVEL, INC. and _____ (Group Name)
 agree to the above proposal and conditions effective on the date signed below.

Tom Torrento
 I, _____ (Group Leader Name), agree to adhere to the provisions in the agreement regarding payment schedule, room list deadline, final itinerary and equipment list for airline where applicable, and any other pertinent information to help us make our trip more successful. I understand our trip proposal is based on a specific amount of paying people and if our numbers increase or decrease it could have an effect on the per person "TOUR PACKAGE COST".

GROUP LEADER

BOB ROGERS TRAVEL, INC.

Tom Torrento

 Name of Authorized Representative

 Name of Bob Rogers Travel Representative

 Signature of Authorized Representative

 Signature of Bob Rogers Travel Representative

Date _____

Date _____



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GROSSE POINTE NORTH HIGH SCHOOL BAND, CHOIR, & ORCHESTRA
TOM TORRENTO, PEYTON WEIL, & NOAH ZOGAS – TRIP DIRECTORS
DESTINATIONS: STRATFORD, TORONTO, and NIAGARA FALLS, ON
TRAVEL DATES: APRIL 23 – 26, 2025

SUGGESTED ITINERARY AS OF SEPTEMBER 2, 2024

Bob Rogers Travel Emergency Number – 800.373.1423

TBD, Tour Director

Brian Rogers, Travel Consultant

Marybeth Coyne, Senior Travel Coordinator

Beyond Horizons Motorcoach Company

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23

2 MEALS INCLUDED: L,D

6:30 AM Coaches arrive for loading

7:30 AM Leave **GROSSE POINTE NORTH HIGH SCHOOL** via two (2) privately chartered
56 – PASSENGER motorcoaches, and transfer through **Port Huron** and **Sarnia**

707 Vernier Road

Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48236

Phone: 313-432-3200

-2½ hours drive time with 1 hour added for a rest stop and border crossing (140 miles).

11:00 AM Arrive in downtown **STRATFORD** for lunch and free time prior to the performance

TBD Location

Stratford, ON

-\$25.00 VISA CARD provided *towards* lunch use in the area.

YOUR PROFESSIONAL BRT TOUR AND TRAVEL DIRECTOR WILL MEET YOU HERE

1:30 PM Arrive at the **FESTIVAL THEATRE**

55 Queen Street

2:00 PM The performance of **“TBD”** begins

4:45 PM Board coaches and transfer to dinner

343 Evans Avenue

Etobicoke, ON

6:30 PM Arrive at the **FAMOUS PEOPLE PLAYERS DINNER AND SHOW**

-The black light performance of Famous PEOPLE Players was discovered by Liberacé, and they were his opening act in Las Vegas for 10 years. Their production of the Sorcerer's Apprentice was part of the re-opening of Radio City Music Hall, and their success continued with two runs on Broadway and performances in China, Korea and Singapore, and throughout the United States. Their Dine & Dream Theatre in Toronto was generously sponsored by actor Paul Newman through sales of Newman's Own products sold in Canada. He remained a very devoted supporter and honorary director on our board. They were the first to perform at the Peace



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Memorial in Hiroshima during their 10 year tour of Japan. They have made television appearances on A&E Breakfast for the Arts and Bravo!, and gave a televised performance for Ronald Regan at the Shamrock Summit. Other appearances were on television series' 7th Heaven, Red Skelton's Funny Faces, and their Emmy-award winning CBS Movie of the Week "Special People", based on the founding of the company. Diane Dupuy, the company founder, is an outstanding motivational speaker who spoke along-side former Vice President Al Gore at the Alliance for a New Humanity. With 5 honorary degrees, she was awarded the Order of Canada and the Queen's Jubilee medal for her work in Theatre and her dedication to the integration of PEOPLE with disABILITIES.

6:45 PM **DINNER** begins
 8:00 PM The performance of "**TBD**" begins
 10:30 PM Board coaches and transfer to the hotel
 11:00 PM Arrive at the **DOUBLETREE HOTEL TORONTO DOWNTOWN** for check-in
 108 Chestnut Street
 Toronto, ON M5G 1R3
 Phone: 416-977-5000

PRIVATE NIGHTTIME HOTEL SECURITY (2 GUARDS) FROM 11:00 PM – 6:00 AM

THURSDAY, APRIL 24

3 MEALS INCLUDED: B,L,D

8:00 AM **BREAKFAST** at the hotel
 9:00 AM Load all instruments and equipment on the motorcoaches
 9:30 AM Board coaches and transfer to the **ROYAL ONTARIO MUSEUM**
 100 Queens Park
 10:00 AM Arrive at the **ROYAL ONTARIO MUSEUM** and unload all instruments and equipment
 10:30 AM **GROSSE POINTE NORTH HIGH SCHOOL BAND PERFORMANCE** in the Curelly Gallery
 11:15 AM **GROSSE POINTE NORTH HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA PERFORMANCE** in the Curelly Gallery
 12:00 PM **GROSSE POINTE NORTH HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR PERFORMANCE** in the Curelly Gallery
 12:30 PM **BOXED MEALS** provided for lunch at the museum
 1:00 PM Enjoy the museum
 -Canada's largest museum of natural history and world cultures. Created in 1912, the museum has six million objects showcasing art, archaeology, and natural sciences from around the world, with a spotlight on Canada's culture and natural history.
 3:30 PM Board coaches and transfer to **GRAFFITI ALLEY**
 Downtown Toronto
 4:00 PM Arrive at **GRAFFITI ALLEY**
 -Located within Toronto's Fashion District, Graffiti Alley runs parallel to the trendy stretch of Queen Street West. It encompasses three city blocks, and includes the contiguous alleyway of Rush Lane. It's a popular spot to view some of the best examples of Toronto's vibrant street art and mural culture.



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- 5:15 PM Board coaches and transfer to dinner
- 5:45 PM Dinner at the **OLD SPAGHETTI FACTORY**
54 The Esplanade
- 7:15 PM Board coaches and transfer to the **ED MIRVISH THEATRE**
244 Victoria Street
- 7:30 PM Arrive at the **ED MIRVISH THEATRE**
- 8:00 PM The performance of **"LIFE AFTER"** begins
-As a celebrated Self-Help Guru, Frank Carter seems to have the answer to the meaning of life, but when he smashes into a truck on her 16th birthday, his daughter Alice is left to pick up the pieces and solve the puzzle for herself.
- 10:00 PM Board coaches and transfer to the hotel
- 10:15 PM Arrive back at the hotel for the evening

PRIVATE NIGHTTIME HOTEL SECURITY (2 GUARDS) FROM 10:30 PM – 5:30 AM

FRIDAY, APRIL 25

3 MEALS INCLUDED: B,L,D

- 8:00 AM **BREAKFAST** at the hotel
- 9:00 AM Load all instruments and equipment on the motorcoaches
- 9:30 AM Board coaches and transfer to the **UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO**
27 King's College Circle
- 10:00 AM Arrive at the **UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO** (or similar)
- 10:30 AM The **GROSSE POINTE HIGH SCHOOL BAND CLINIC** begins
- 10:30 AM The **GROSSE POINTE HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR CLINIC** begins
- 10:30 AM The **GROSSE POINTE HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA CLINIC** begins
- 12:00 PM The clinics end and load everything back on the motorcoaches
- 12:45 PM Arrive at the **EATON CENTRE** for lunch
Queen Street Drop Off Location
-\$25.00 VISA CARD provided towards lunch use at the food court.
- 2:30 PM Everyone meet back up at **NATHAN PHILLIPS SQUARE** for a group photo "on your own"
in front of the **TORONTO SIGN**
100 Queen Street West
- 3:00 PM Walk to the **CN TOWER**
301 Front Street West
- 3:30 PM Arrive at the **CN TOWER**
-Standing 1,815 feet tall, experience views of downtown and across Lake Ontario.
- 5:00 PM Board coaches and transfer to dinner



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- 5:30 PM Dinner at the **HOT HOUSE CAFE**
35 Church Street
- 6:45 PM Board coaches and transfer to the **TORONTO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**
Roy Thomson Hall
60 Simcoe Street
- 7:00 PM Arrive at the **TORONTO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**
- 7:30 PM The performance of **"BIZET'S CARMEN SUITES"** begins
-Radiant rhythms and vibrant melodies await in this colourful celebración hispana, featuring Jimmy López Bellido's spirited tribute to his Afro-Peruvian heritage, and Karen Gomyo's blazing take on Astor Piazzolla's The Four Seasons of Buenos Aires, where classical music meets Argentinian tango. The fiesta culminates in the south of Spain with Bizet's Carmen Suites, including the crowd-pleasing favourites "Habanera", "Toreador Song", and more.
- 10:15 PM Board coaches and transfer to hotel
- 10:30 PM Arrive back at the hotel for the evening

PRIVATE NIGHTTIME HOTEL SECURITY (2 GUARDS) FROM 11:00 PM – 6:00 AM

SATURDAY, APRIL 26

3 MEALS INCLUDED: B,L,D

- 7:00 AM **BREAKFAST** at the hotel
- 8:00 AM Hotel check-out and load everything on the motorcoaches
- 8:30 AM Board coaches and transfer to **Niagara Falls**
- 10:30 AM Arrive in **Niagara Falls**
- 11:00 AM Begin the **HORNBLOWER NIAGARA CRUISES** boat tour
-Water rushes all around as you "soak" in the excitement and roar of the falls. A diesel-engined boat will take you past the base of the American Falls, then into the basin of the magnificent Canadian Horseshoe Falls.
- 12:30 PM Lunch at **HARD ROCK CAFÉ**
5705 Falls Avenue
- 1:30 PM Enjoy some free time after lunch in the **CLIFTON HILL** area
- 3:30 PM Enjoy **JOURNEY BEHIND THE FALLS**
6650 Niagara Parkway
-The sound is like thunder; the sight is awe-inspiring! Take a journey deep below and behind the heart of Niagara, and stand in the mist where the mighty Horseshoe Falls tumbles from 13 stories above!
- 5:00 PM Board coaches and transfer back home through **Sarnia** and **Port Huron**
*-4 hours drive time with 2 hours added for a dinner stop and border crossing (240 miles).
-\$20.00 VISA CARD provided towards dinner use en-route back home.*
- 11:00 PM **ARRIVE AT GROSSE POINTE NORTH HIGH SCHOOL**

Grosse Pointe North High School



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Stratford, Toronto, and Niagara Falls
80-89 ppl

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TOUR FEATURES

MOTOR COACH

- 2 - 56 passenger motor coach(es)
- Gratuities for your motor coach driver(s)

HOTEL

- 3 Nights' accommodations at DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Toronto Downtown
- Breakfast at hotel
- Hotel Room for the Motor Coach Driver(s)
- All Students will pay Quad Occupancy Price (Quad Occupancy must be maximized)

SECURITY

- 2 Dedicated overnight chaperone(s)

MEALS

- Group Dinner at Hot House Café
- Group Dinner at The Old Spaghetti Factory
- Group Lunch at Hard Rock Café
- Group Dinner at Famous People Players
- 1 - Boxed Meal
- Visa Gift Card(s) per Itinerary

ATTRACTIONS

- Admission to the Hornblower Niagara Cruises
- Admission to the CN Tower
- Admission to the Royal Ontario Museum
- Admission to Journey Behind the Falls

THEATER/ATTRACTION TICKETS

- Ticket to TBD Toronto Show (\$75 Ticket Budget)
- Ticket to Yuja Wang Plays Tchaikovsky (\$50 Ticket Budget)
- Ticket to TBD Stratford Show (\$50 Ticket Budget)

CLINIC

- Honorarium for Clinic at University of Toronto

PERFORMANCES

- Performance at the Royal Ontario Museum

ADDITIONAL INCLUSIONS

- BRT Drawstring bag for every participant
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Occupancy	Paying Participants
	80-89 Total People
Quad	\$1,629
Triple	\$1,839
Double	\$2,049
Single	\$2,679

Non-inclusions/Options

- Meals stated at student cost.
- TripMate offers a specially priced Enhanced Trip Protection which includes a CFAR* (Cancel For Any Reason) feature for BRT travelers. *CFAR coverage covers 75% of the nonrefundable trip cost. Trip cancellation must be made with BRT 2 days or more prior to scheduled departure. Traveler must "opt in" to this plan within 14 days of initial deposit to be eligible for CFAR coverage. This benefit is not available for residents in New York.

70 – 79 TOTAL PEOPLE TRIP PRICES

\$1,729 quad occupancy
 \$1,939 triple occupancy
 \$2,149 double occupancy
 \$2,779 single occupancy

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- Members of 25 State Music Associations
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Our system **saves you dozens of hours** in the trip planning process.

Online management means **you never have to collect** payments or keep separate records.

It's a breeze to apply **fundraising, booster money and crowdfunding!**

Automated reminders and alerts do the follow-up for you.

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They're **confident** in our platform powered by Stripe, which has earned the highest grade of payment processing security.

Our **online dashboard centralizes everything** in an easy-to-use hub.

1



Online Registration

You'll start by sending out a link to your trip page. There, in just a few minutes, adults can complete registration for their student travelers. With a few short clicks, they'll submit all the required information – without you collecting a thing.

2



Online Payments

Next up, families can easily pay online and customize their payment preferences. They can set up an easy-to-manage payment schedule, create multiple parent accounts if they need them, and more. Fundraising, booster money and even crowdfunding can be applied here, too!

3



Online Management

This is the best part! You can access your trip dashboard to see who's registered, who's paid and who hasn't – then sort, filter and message any family you need to, completely online.



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Schedule of Insurance Benefits		Maximum Benefit Amount	Standard Plan F561S	Enhanced Plan F561E
Cancel For Any Reason Benefit*	75% of Non-Refundable Trip Cost			✓
Trip Cancellation**	up to 100% of the non-refundable Insured Trip Cost		✓	✓
Single Supplement	included		✓	✓
Trip Interruption**	up to 100% of the non-refundable Insured Trip Cost		✓	✓
Single Supplement	included		✓	✓
Additional Trip Interruption	Included under Trip Interruption benefit Maximum		✓	✓
Travel Companion Hospitalization	up to \$150 Per Day, limited to 5 Days		✓	✓
Missed Connection	\$500		✓	✓
Trip Delay	up to \$150 Per Day, to a Maximum of \$750		✓	✓
Accident & Sickness Medical Expense	\$25,000		✓	✓
Dental Expense Sublimit	\$750		✓	✓
Medical Evacuation & Repatriation of Remains	\$100,000		✓	✓
Additional Medical Evacuation: Transportation Of Children/Child Bedside Visit Transportation to Join You	included included included		✓	✓
Political or Security Evacuation & Natural Disaster Evacuation	\$25,000		✓	✓
Baggage and Personal Effects Passport, Visa or Other Travel Documents Replacement Credit Card Charges and Interest Per Article Limit Items Subject to Special Limitations	\$1,500 \$100 \$50 up to \$300 \$600 Maximum Combined		✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓	✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓
Baggage Delay	\$300 Up to \$50 to expedite the Return		✓ ✓	✓ ✓
Plan		Rate		
Standard (F561S)		4.55% of Trip Cost		
Enhanced (F561E)		7.60% of Trip Cost		

Contains Insurance and Non-Insurance Assistance Services.

*Not available to NY Residents. Additional terms apply.
**Benefits are only payable if trip is cancelled/interrupted due to a covered peril.

CANCEL FOR ANY REASON BENEFIT* - If You cancel Your Trip for any reason not otherwise covered by this Plan, benefits will be paid for 75% of the unused, forfeited, prepaid non-refundable Payments or Deposits You paid for Your Trip provided: a) Your payment for this Plan is received within 14 days of the date Your initial Payment or Deposit for Your Trip is received; and b) You cancel Your Trip no later than 2 days prior to the Scheduled Departure Date of Your Trip. This Cancel for Any Reason Benefit does not cover the failure of the Retail Travel Supplier to provide the bargained-for Travel Arrangements due to cessation of operations for any reason. These benefit(s) will not duplicate any other benefits payable under the plan or any coverage(s) attached to the plan.

TRIP CANCELLATION - Protects the unused, forfeited, prepaid non-refundable Payments or Deposits for the Travel Arrangements You purchased for Your Trip in the event You have to cancel due to a covered reason.

TRIP INTERRUPTION - Provides You with a reimbursement for the unused, forfeited, prepaid non-refundable Payments or Deposits for land or water Travel Arrangements for Your Trip, plus the Additional Transportation Cost paid, if Your Trip is interrupted for a covered reason.

MISSED CONNECTION - Provides You with a reimbursement for the unused, forfeited, prepaid non-refundable Payments or Deposits paid to the Travel Supplier for the land or water Travel Arrangements You purchased for Your Trip, plus the additional transportation cost to join Your trip, if You miss Your Trip departure because Your arrival at the Trip destination is delayed for 3 consecutive hours or more for a covered reason.

TRIP DELAY - Assists with Reasonable Expenses incurred when You are delayed & consecutive hours or more while en route to or from or during the course of Your Trip for a covered reason.

ACCIDENT & SICKNESS MEDICAL EXPENSE - Provides Medical Expense benefits for a covered Sickness or covered injury incurred while on Your Trip.

MEDICAL EVACUATION & REPATRIATION OF REMAINS - Among other things, this reimburses transportation expenses incurred to transport you to the nearest medical facility where treatment is available if you incur a sickness or injury that is acute, severe or life threatening during Your Trip.

POLITICAL OR SECURITY EVACUATION & NATURAL DISASTER EVACUATION - Can cover reasonable Political or Security Evacuation or reasonable Natural Disaster Evacuation expenses and Related Costs incurred for Your transportation, if You must interrupt Your Trip for a covered Political or Security Event or Natural Disaster Event and while travelling outside Your Home Country.

BAGGAGE & PERSONAL EFFECTS - Provides reimbursement when your Baggage or personal belongings are damaged, lost or stolen during Your Trip.

BAGGAGE DELAY - Provides reimbursement for the purchase of reasonable additional clothing and personal articles purchased by You if Your Baggage is delayed or misdirected by a Common Carrier for at least 12 consecutive hours or more.

Waiver of the Pre-Existing Medical Condition Exclusion: exclusion for Pre-Existing Condition will be waived provided: (a) Your payment for this Plan is received within 14 days of the date Your initial Payment or Deposit for Your Trip is received; and (b) You are medically able and not disabled from travel at the time Your plan cost is paid based on assessment of a Physician.



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Exclusions and Limitations

Unless otherwise shown below, these exclusions apply to You, Your Traveling Companion, Family Member scheduled and booked to travel with You. The following exclusion(s) apply(ies) to the Trip Cancellation and Trip Interruption and Medical Expense. We will not pay for any loss or expense caused due to, arising or resulting from: **1. a Pre-Existing Medical Condition**, as defined in the plan. Death resulting from a Pre-Existing Medical Condition will not be excluded. Death must occur prior to the termination date of the benefit under which the claim is being made. The following exclusions apply to the Medical and Dental Expense benefits. We will not pay for any loss or expense caused due to, arising or resulting from: **1.** routine physical examinations or routine dental care; **2.** traveling for the purpose or intent of securing medical treatment or advice; **3.** any Trip taken against the advice of a Physician and any losses occurred during such Trip; **4.** Elective Treatment and Procedures; **5.** care or treatment which is not Medically Necessary, except for related reconstructive surgery resulting from trauma, infection or disease that first manifests or occurred during Your Trip; **6.** any medical service provided by You, a Family Member, or Traveling Companion; **7.** any treatment or medication which, at the time of Your Scheduled Departure Date, is required to be continued during Your Trip; **8.** Alcohol or substance abuse or treatment for the same including admittance to a rehab facility; **9.** Normal pregnancy (except Complications of Pregnancy) or childbirth, except as specifically covered under Trip Cancellation or Trip Interruption or elective abortion; **10.** a Mental, Nervous or Psychological Condition or Disorder unless Hospitalized or Partially Hospitalized while the plan is in effect. Hospitalized or Partially Hospitalized requirement does not apply to dementia when death results; **11.** any loss that results from an illness, disease or other condition, event or circumstance that occurs at a time when the plan is not in effect for You; **12.** Your participation in Adventure or Extreme Activities, riding or driving in races, or participation in speed or endurance competition or events, except as a spectator; **13.** diving if You are not certified to dive and a dive master is not present during the dive; **14.** Your participation in an organized athletic or sporting competition, contest, or stunt under contract in exchange for an agreed-upon salary or compensation. This does not include athletes participating in exchange for a scholarship or tuition.

In addition to any applicable benefit-specific exclusion, the following general exclusions apply to all losses and benefits. We will not pay for any loss or expense caused due to, arising or resulting from: 1. suicide, attempted suicide or any intentionally self-inflicted injury of You, a Traveling Companion, Family Member or Business Partner booked and scheduled to travel with You, while same or insane; **2.** being under the influence of drugs, marijuana or narcotics, unless administered upon the advice of a Physician as prescribed; **3.** activities, losses, or claims involving or resulting from possession, production, processing, sale, or use of marijuana, illegal drugs, alcohol or substances are excluded from coverage; **4.** war or act of war, including invasion, acts of foreign enemies, hostilities between nations (whether declared or undeclared), or civil war, except as the plan specifically provides otherwise; **5.** the commission of or attempt to commit a felony or being engaged in an illegal occupation by You, a Traveling Companion, Family Member, or Business Partner. The sole exception to this exclusion is for situations where a Family Member commits, or attempts to commit, an act of violence against another Family Member. In such cases, the Family Member who is the victim, or the intended victim, of the act of violence is still eligible to have his or her loss or losses covered under the plan; **6.** piloting or learning to pilot or acting as a member of the crew of any aircraft; **7.** a loss or damage caused by detention, confiscation or destruction by customs; **8.** failure of any tour operator, Common Carrier, or other travel entity, person or agency to provide the bargained-for Travel Arrangements for reasons other than Bankruptcy or Default. Important: there is no coverage for losses due to, arising or resulting from the Bankruptcy or Default of Your Travel Supplier or any entity that sold, solicited, negotiated, offered or disseminated this plan to You or Your Traveling Companion.

Additional Limitations and Exclusions Specific to Baggage and Personal Effects.

There are also specific limitations for Political or Security Evacuation and Natural Disaster Evacuation.

Excess Insurance Limitation: Insurance provided by this plan shall be in excess of all other valid and collectible insurance or indemnity or as required by state law. If at the time of the occurrence of any loss there is other valid and collectible insurance or indemnity in place, We shall be liable only for the excess of the amount of loss, over the amount of such other insurance or indemnity, and applicable deductible. Recovery of losses from other parties does not result in a refund of plan cost paid.

Additional Terms and Conditions apply. Please refer to your plan document for complete description of coverage.

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