

Itinerary

December 28, 2016 through January 4, 2017

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2016 • ARRIVAL DAY (7-NIGHT PACKAGES)

Flights Arrivals & Check-In

Welcome to sunny California! Drenched by warm sunshine and edged by the blue Pacific to the west and the San Gabriel and Santa Ana mountains to the east, the "City of Angels" looms as large in person as it does in literature and film. As the most important metropolitan area on the west coast, it is home to industry, shipping, entertainment, education and more. Sprawling over hills, valleys and deserts, it is a place and an experience to be enjoyed and savored!

Upon arrival to the Hilton Anaheim check in with the front desk to get your room key and provide a credit card for incidentals. Luggage may be stored with the hotel if your room is not ready upon your arrival.

After checking in with the front desk, proceed to the 2nd floor Pacific Registration Desk to check-in with Music for All and Music Travel Consultants representatives to pick up your tour booklet, name badge, and tickets for the week. The desk will be open from 1:00-8:00pm. Those arriving after 8:00 p.m. will pick up their packet from guest services in the hotel lobby.

3:00 p.m. • Opening Session

Join us in Pacific Ballroom B on the 2nd floor for an exciting opening session where we will highlight the week's activities and hear from a member of the Honor Band leadership team.

Leisure Evening

Enjoy the rest of the day at your leisure.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2016 • LA CITY TOUR

7:00 a.m. • Breakfast at the Hotel

Enjoy breakfast in Pacific Ballroom A, located on the 2nd floor of the hotel.

8:00 a.m. • Board the Coaches

Seven night package holders will board the motor coaches and depart the hotel for your day of touring.

Bus Loading Area: Exit the hotel through the main doors and make an immediate left. The bus loading area will be on your left hand side off of Hotel Way.

9:00 a.m. • LA City Tour

See Mann's Chinese Theater, where stars' hands or footprints have been immortalized. Some have imprinted their trademarks (John Wayne's fist and Jimmy Durante's nose), while others have left personal messages. The Hollywood Bowl and Sunset Strip are featured as well. Alternate stops may be considered based on time.

12:30 p.m. • Depart Hollywood

Depart Hollywood and return to the hotel.

2:00 p.m. • Leisure Afternoon

Upon returning to the Hilton Anaheim, the remainder of the day can be spent at your leisure.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2016 • DRESS REHEARSAL PERFORMANCE

8:00 a.m. • Breakfast at the Hotel

Enjoy breakfast in Pacific Ballroom A, located on the 2nd floor of the hotel.

9:00 a.m. • Leisure Morning

This morning can be spent at your leisure.

Hotel Check-In (5-night)

Upon arrival at the Hilton Anaheim, 5-night package holders will check in with the front desk to get your room key and provide a credit card for incidentals. Luggage may be stored with the hotel if your room is not ready upon your arrival.

After checking in with the front desk, proceed to the 2nd floor Pacific Registration Desk to check-in with Music for All and Music Travel Consultants representatives to pick up your tour booklet, name badge, and tickets for the week. The desk will be open from 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.. Those arriving after 4:00 p.m. will pick up their packet from guest services in the hotel lobby.

3:00 p.m. • Afternoon Group Session

Join us for a special Family & Friends session this afternoon in Pacific Ballroom B, located on the 2nd floor of the hotel.

6:15 p.m. • Board the Coaches

Exit the hotel through the main doors and make an immediate left. The bus loading area will be on your left hand side off of Hotel Way.

6:30 p.m. • Depart the Hotel

Depart the Hilton Anaheim for tonight's dress rehearsal performance at Long Beach City College.

7:30 p.m. • Dress Rehearsal

Tonight, the Bands of America Honor Band will present a dress rehearsal version of their Bandfest and Rose Parade music and marching for parents, friends, family and staff. We are pleased to also welcome the Pride of Broken Arrow from Broken Arrow, OK and Pulaski High School Red Raider Marching band from Pulaski, WI, who will also perform for students and parents tonight!

9:45 p.m. • Depart for Hotel

Board the motor coaches and depart for the hotel.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2016 • BANDFEST AND FLOAT VIEWING

5:30 a.m. • Breakfast at the Hotel

Enjoy breakfast in Pacific Ballroom A, located on the 2nd floor of the hotel.

6:15 a.m. • Board the Coaches

Exit the hotel through the main doors and make an immediate left. The bus loading area will be on your left hand side off of Hotel Way.

6:30 a.m. • Depart the Hotel

Depart the Hilton Anaheim for Pasadena City College.

7:30 a.m. • Arrive at PCC

Arrive to Pasadena City College for Bandfest!

9:00 a.m. • Bandfest

The excitement begins at the Pasadena City College Stadium as six specially-invited bands from around the nation perform for boosters and fans in this thrilling field show exhibition sponsored by the Rose Bowl Music Committee. The Bands of America Honor Band performs at 10:15 a.m..

11:15 a.m. • Depart PCC

Following Foothill High School's performance, board the motor coaches and depart Pasadena City College for the Rose Bowl.

1:45 p.m. • Float Viewing

Visit the float decorating area to witness first-hand thousands of beautiful roses being strategically placed on the floats, making dreams come to life for the millions of parade watchers world-wide.

3:00 p.m. • Depart the Rose Bowl

Our 7-night travelers will board the coach and return to the hotel, enjoying an afternoon at their leisure.

Our 5-night travelers will board the bus and continue on to Hollywood for the LA City Tour.

3:45 p.m. • LA City Tour (5-Night)

See Mann's Chinese Theater, where stars' hands or footprints have been immortalized. Some have imprinted their trademarks (John Wayne's fist and Jimmy Durante's nose), while others have left personal messages. The Hollywood Bowl and Sunset Strip are featured as well. Alternate stops may be considered based on time.

6:15 p.m. • Depart Hollywood

Depart Hollywood and return to the hotel.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 1, 2017 • DISNEYLAND PERFORMANCE

8:00 a.m. • Breakfast at the Hotel

Enjoy breakfast in Pacific Ballroom A, located on the 2nd floor of the hotel.

8:45 a.m. • Board the Coaches

Exit the hotel through the main doors and make an immediate left. The bus loading area will be on your left hand side off of Hotel Way.

9:00 a.m. • Depart the Hotel

Depart the hotel for the Farmer's Market.

10:00 a.m. • Farmer's Market

Launched in 1934, Farmers Market became the central meeting place for Angelenos. Today, "Meet me at 3rd and Fairfax" is one of the most common phrases in southern California. According to the L.A. Times, Farmers Market is the #1 place in L.A. to spot celebrities! The market features nearly 100 shops and eateries and its 1941 clock tower is now a world-famous icon.

12:30 p.m. • Depart for Disneyland

Depart the Farmer's Market for Disneyland. Please listen to your Tour Directors for information about traveling to and from Disneyland today. You will receive a two-day park hopper ticket to use today and again on Tuesday.

1:30 p.m. • Disneyland

Enjoy the afternoon at Disneyland! Be sure to be at the Disneyland Train Station on Main Street USA in time to watch the Honor Band of America perform at approximately 3:00 p.m.!

3:00 p.m. • Disneyland Performance

The Bands of America Honor Band will perform in front of the Disneyland train station at approximately 3:00 p.m. for the crowd!

6:00 p.m. • Depart for Hotel

The motor coaches will depart Disneyland promptly at 6:00 p.m. The hotel is approximately one mile from Disneyland. If you prefer to walk or arrange your own transportation, you may do so.

Leisure Evening

Upon returning to the Hilton Anaheim, the rest of evening can be spent at your leisure.

MONDAY, JANUARY 2, 2017 • TOURNAMENT OF ROSES® PARADE!

4:00 a.m. • Grab n' Go Breakfast

Grab your boxed breakfast from the Avalon Ballroom, located on the 1st floor of the hotel near the main doors, before departing the hotel.

4:15 a.m. • Board the Coaches

Exit the hotel through the main doors and make an immediate left. The bus loading area will be on your left hand side off of Hotel Way.

4:30 a.m. • Depart for the Parade

Board the motor coaches and depart the hotel for Pasadena and the Rose Parade®!

8:00 a.m. • Tournament of Roses® Parade

This world-famous 5.5-mile parade of beauty takes place along Pasadena's Colorado Boulevard. The parade features bands from throughout the country and some of the most spectacular floats imaginable! This is a favorite for millions who set time aside every year to view this nationally televised event.

3:00 p.m. • Closing Session

Join us for a Closing Session after an amazing parade performance! Located in Pacific Ballroom B on the 2nd floor of the hotel.

6:00 p.m. • Gala Banquet

Enjoy an evening of celebration with the Honor Band at this evening's Gala Banquet! Located in Pacific Ballroom C/D on the 2nd floor of the hotel.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2017 • DISNEYLAND/CALIFORNIA ADVENTURE

7:00 a.m. • Breakfast at the Hotel

Enjoy breakfast in Pacific Ballroom A, located on the 2nd floor of the hotel.

8:30 a.m. • Depart the Hotel

All motor coaches will depart the hotel promptly 8:30am this morning from the Hotel Way bus loading area. If you would like to arrange your own shuttle times with the hotel, you may do so.

9:00 a.m. • Disneyland & California Adventure

Enjoy your second day at Disneyland with your two-day Park Hopper pass. This allows you to visit both Disneyland and California Adventure at your leisure.

DISNEYLAND PARK

Discover Walt Disney's original theme park... "Where the Magic Began!" Millions of people from every corner of the world have discovered the magic of Disneyland Park, the *Happiest Place On Earth!* There are more than 60 attractions and adventures in eight themed lands – many you won't find anywhere else. Disneyland® is the original kingdom of magic and fantasy.

CALIFORNIA ADVENTURE

California is a place where fun and adventure are a way of life, and the same is true of Disney's new California Adventure(SM) theme park. From the moment you enter, you'll be immersed in one exciting experience after another as you discover the splendor of the land, the cultural richness of the people, and the free-spirited nature of the California lifestyle. Divided into three lands, Disney's California Adventure(SM) park takes you on a journey that spans not only distance but time, guiding you in and out of unforgettable locales and eras from the state's colorful past and vibrant present. No matter where you choose to start your California adventure, you're guaranteed to end up in a positively "Golden State of Mind."

10:00 p.m. • Depart the Park

All coaches will depart the park this evening promptly at 10:00pm. If you would like to arrange your own shuttle times with the hotel, you may do so.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 2017 • DEPARTURE DAY

11:00 a.m. • Hotel Check-Out / Depart

There is no official check-out process today. A big THANK YOU for joining us in Southern California to support not only your family, but the hundreds of other performers from across the country in the 2017 Rose Parade®. Safe travels home!