



NEWPORT HIGH SCHOOL PHILHARMONIC

February 16 – 20, 2018 (3 Night / 4 Days)

Day 1 Friday, February 16

10:30pm Depart Seattle via United Airlines Flight #1574

Day 2 Saturday, February 17 (D)

6:19am Arrive in Washington, DC
Meet your Tour Managers at baggage claim. Your Tour Managers will escort the group through the duration of the tour
Sightseeing may include a panoramic tour of Historic Washington, DC
Visit the National Archives, home of the Constitution, the Bill of Rights and the Declaration of Independence
Take a tour of one of the Smithsonian Institution Museums
Lunch, on own

12:15pm Group 1 - Check-in at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
12:30pm Group 1 - Tour of the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum (31 participants)
“C”
1:45pm Group 2 - Check-in at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum
2:00pm Group 2 - Tour of the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum (52 participants)
“C”
Check into the Hyatt Arlington
6:00pm Dinner at the Corner Bakery (Arlington location)
“C”
7:30pm Arrive to the John F. Kennedy for the Performing Arts
8:00pm Attend NSO Pops: *West Side Story* in Concert
“C”
Return to the hotel for overnight

Day 3 Sunday, February 18 (B,L)

Breakfast at the hotel (served between 7:00am – 9:00am)
Morning walking tour of Capitol Hill and see the Supreme Court and Library of Congress

10:45am Arrive at Pier 4 for check-in
11:30am Festival Lunch Cruise on the Potomac River (2 hours)
“C”
2:00pm Check-in at the National Museum of African American History and Culture
2:15pm Tour the National Museum of African American History and Culture
Dinner, on own

6:00pm Clinic with Dr. Dennis Layendecker, Director of Orchestral Studies at George Mason University in the hotel ballroom (1.5 hrs)
Evening walking tour of the Lincoln, Vietnam, Korean and Albert Einstein Memorials
Return to the hotel for overnight



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Day 4 Monday, February 19 (B,L,D)

- Breakfast at the hotel (served between 7:00am – 9:00am)
- 9:00am Depart the hotel and transfer to the Kennedy Center
- 9:30am Arrive at the Kennedy Center Hall of Nations, clear security, move to green room for warm-up
- 10:10am Orchestra moves to stage
- 10:15am Morning sound check at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts (30 minutes)**
- 11:15am Guided tour of the Kennedy Center
- 12:30pm Pick-up boxed lunch at the Kennedy Center Café
- 2:00pm Capital Orchestra Festival Performance at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts**
- 6:00pm Dinner at Pinstripes
- “C”

Following dinner enjoy one hour of bowling
Time permitting enjoy an evening walking tour of the Thomas Jefferson, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, Martin Luther King Jr and National World War II Memorials, as well as a view of the outside of the Washington Monument
Return to the hotel for overnight

Day 5 Tuesday, February 20 (B)

- Breakfast at the hotel and check-out (served between 7:00am – 9:00am)
- 9:00am Depart hotel and transfer to Arlington National Cemetery
- 9:30am Arrive at Arlington National Cemetery for check-in
- 10:15am Participate in a special wreath-laying ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier
- “C”
- Time permitting spend time at one of the Smithsonian Institution Museums
- Lunch, on own
- 2:30pm Transfer to airport for return flight
- 6:15pm Depart Washington, DC via United Airlines Flight #326
- 9:11pm Arrive in Seattle

***This is a very flexible itinerary.** Except for confirmed appointments and performances, the places of interest and the sequence of sightseeing might be changed if necessary or desirable. In the event of an unavoidable conflict in the performance and the sightseeing schedule, the concert schedule will prevail, and it may be necessary to exclude some sightseeing activities.*

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