

**Desert Vista Marching Band  
California Trip  
October 26- October 29, 2017**

Hotel: Embassy Suites – Anaheim North (3100 E Frontera St, Anaheim, CA 92806)

Clinic Site (Fri): – El Dorado HS (1651 Valencia Ave, Placentia, CA 92870)

Show Site (Sat): Warren HS (8141 De Palma St, Downey, CA 90241)

**Thursday, October 26<sup>th</sup>**

- 2:20 PM** (7<sup>th</sup> Hour) – Assemble in Band Room. Loading suitcases under coach buses (4).
- 2:40 PM** Announcements (Band Room)
- 3:00 PM** Depart DV!
- 6:00 PM** Dinner at Blythe? (or, 7:15pm - Ramon Rd?) (bring \$\$)  
Do not pack \$\$ - You cannot get into suitcases until the hotel at night.
- 10:00 PM** Arrive at hotel (Embassy Suites – Anaheim North)
- 11:00 PM** Room checks / Lights out.

**Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>**

- 7 - 8 AM** Breakfast at the hotel. (complimentary, and cooked to order)
- 8:15 AM** Meet in lobby (wearing rehearsal clothes, and bringing optional change of clothes, \$\$ for Disney, sunscreen.)
- 8:30 AM** Load coach buses, depart for clinic site.
- 9:00 AM** Arrive at rehearsal/clinic site. El Dorado High School. Unload trucks and set up for clinic. (9:15am warm-ups)
- 10:00 AM** Clinic at El Dorado HS, with RCC (Blue Devils Drum Corps) staff.
- 12:00 PM** Clinic finishes and load equipment on truck. (Students allowed to change into different clothes for the day.)
- 12:30 PM** Loading coach buses, departing for Disneyland
- 1:30 PM** Arrive at Disneyland. (California Adventure) Students spend time in park.  
Eat lunch (and dinner) in the park (bring \$\$).
- 7:00 PM** Check in by text or call your bus chaperone.
- 9:30 PM** Students attend World of Color water/fireworks show.

- 10:00 PM (When World of Color is over...) Meet in courtyard between the two parks at the Compass.  
Bus 1 at the North point,  
Bus 2 at the West point,  
Bus 3 at the South point,  
Bus 4 at the East point.  
Depart for hotel - Embassy Suites Anaheim North.
- 11:00 PM** Arrive at hotel.
- 11:30 AM** Room checks / Lights out. Students MUST stay in rooms until 6:30 AM.

**Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup> (Show Day!)**

- 8:30-9:30 AM** Breakfast at the hotel. (complimentary, and cooked to order)
- (9-10:15 AM)** Braiding, shaving, shining shoes, changing into uniform. (Guard – makeup)
- 10:35 AM** Assemble in the lobby- in uniform, with hair braided, with jacket on the hanger in your garment bag.  
[Bring everything you need for the performance and evening - including a hoodie/sweatshirt/jeans.]
- 10:45 AM** Visual warm up at the hotel.
- 11:20 AM** Loading buses and trucks.
- 11:30 AM** Depart for Warren High School: Bands of America SoCal Regional Championship site. (35-40min ride) (snack on bus?)
- 12:15 PM** Arrive at Warren High School, Downey, CA (head to trucks)  
Do NOT play any instrument in the parking lot or other non- warm up area. This will disqualify us!
- 12:50 PM** Official warm-up time. (Warm-up Zone C)
- 2:00 PM** Prelims Performance!
- 2:20 PM** ‘Pack up’ (leaving cases out) at trucks. Jackets off, shakos away. (Guard – change out?) (Drum Majors and Guard Captains - stay in uniform.)
- 2:35 PM** Grab snack/fruit, water and re-enter stadium. (2:45pm - Watch Vista Murrieta?!)
- 3:15 PM** Prelims Awards. (Mr Thye potentially attends Finalist Bands – Director’s Meeting)
- 3:40 PM** Exit stadium. Take a break (on the buses)! (Get out of the sun) (Change out of uniforms? – depends on Finals performance time...!)

*(Evening schedule (below) depends on final schedule from BOA, and...whether or not DV makes Finals.)*

**TBD (5-6pm?)** Pizza Dinner (provided) (or after Finals performance? TBD)

**(5:30-8 PM)** Warm-up time? (TBD!)

**6:30-8:45PM** 'Finals' performances (assigned time provided at Prelims Awards).

*(DV will watch Finals if not a Finalist Band.)*

**TBD!** DV performs in Finals?!

**9:15 PM** Finals Awards ('Full Retreat', entire band in uniform) (then, 'Break Rank')

**9:50 PM** Post performance – unity time ('Cora', and group sing) (courtyard area?)

**10:30 PM** Load up, Depart for hotel

**11:15 PM** (Approx) Arrive at hotel (load uniform racks)

**11:30 PM** Band Council Awards (with snacks) in Banquet room.

**12:00 AM** Lights out! Students **MUST** stay in rooms until 8 AM.

### **Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>**

**9-10 AM** Breakfast at the hotel. (complimentary, and cooked to order)

**(10-10:15AM)** Students in rooms (Chaperones will 'check-out' each room. Wait until your chaperone releases you, then take luggage down to lobby.)

**10:30 AM** Meet in lobby, load buses.

**TBD** (Stop for bathroom break, then stop at Blythe for dinner. Have \$\$\$ on bus - not packed!)

**6-7 PM** (Approx) Arrive back at Desert Vista.