SACHSE HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR
KRISTIN POLIGA, DIRECTOR
DESTINATION: NEW YORK, NY
DATES: MARCH 15-19, 2027

SUGGESTED ITINERARY AS OF AUGUST 14, 2026
Travel Consultant: *Ben Spalding – 937-825-8701*
Trip Operations Manager: *Bella Hanson – 630-842-0603*
Tour Director: *TBD*
BRT Phone Number: *630-329-8850*

*8 ride Subway pass included for this trip
**$100 Jassby card provided for 5 meals throughout the trip (funds expire in 30 days)

MONDAY, MARCH 15

AM Group arrives at **Dallas Love Field Airport (DAL) or similar** *(Group provides transportation to airport)*
~ Meet your BRT Airport Greeter at check-in ~

Upon arrival *Begin check-in process and head through security. Anyone 18 yrs. and older will require REAL ID driver's license, REAL ID state ID or passports. Anyone 17 yrs or younger is asked to bring a school ID just for identification purposes. Minors are not expected to have acceptable REAL ID identification. Keep them handy throughout check-in and security processing.* **Checked luggage at the expense of the traveler.**

AM Passengers depart for **NYC Airport**
AM Passengers arrive at **NYC Airport**

** Meet your **BRT Tour Director** at baggage claim **

PM Load **2 motor coaches;** depart for **Hotel Edison or similar**

PM Arrive at the hotel
(Rooms may not be ready; check bags at the front desk if not)

PM Enjoy free time to explore **Times Square** for shopping and dinner ***(use your Jassby card)***

PM Return to hotel for the evening
~ 1 Private nighttime security guard at your hotel from 10:30pm – 5:30am ~

TUESDAY, MARCH 16

7:30	AM	Enjoy breakfast at your hotel
8:30	AM	Depart via **Subway** for **Cathedral of St. John the Divine** *1047 Amsterdam Avenue, New York, NY 10025*
9:30	AM	Arrive at **Cathedral of St. John the Divine** *Cathedral of St. John the Divine is the largest Gothic cathedral in the world. The 601 foot long nave is the length of two football fields and the dome could fit the Statue of Liberty.*
10:00	AM	**Sachse High School Choir performance** at **Cathedral of St. John the Divine** ***Please make sure the performance is respectful of the sacred nature of the chapel* ***30-minute performance* ***Piano available upon request* ***No indoor warm-up location*
Afterward		Soak in the beauty and grandeur of the cathedral!
11:00	AM	Depart for **Verdi Square** via the **Subway** *72nd and Broadway*
11:30	AM	Enjoy lunch in the **Verdi Square area *(use your Jassby card)***
12:45	PM	Walk to **Central Park** with your tour director ***Enter at 72nd on the west side (Strawberry fields with The Dakota across the street!)*
	PM	Arrive at **Central Park;** walk to **Bethesda Fountain;** enjoy time to explore *Enjoy free time in the park. Extending south to north from 59th Street to 110th Street, and east to west from Fifth Avenue to Central Park West, you will find over 840 acres of landscaped and recreational areas: zoo, theater, sports facilities, lakes and more.*
2:45	PM	Meet at 72nd and Central Park West; depart for hotel via **Subway**
3:15	PM	Arrive at the hotel; freshen up and get ready for your dinner cruise
4:30	PM	Depart for **City Cruises/Dinner** via the **Subway**
5:30	PM	Boarding begins
6:00	PM	Sailing begins with dinner and DJ to follow. *Create a memorable evening and celebrate your accomplishments on this New York City dinner cruise, combining fine dining, live entertainment, and breathtaking views of the iconic Manhattan skyline.*

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8:30 PM Cruise ends; depart for your hotel via the **Subway**

9:15 PM Arrive at the hotel

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17

7:45	AM	Enjoy breakfast at your hotel
8:45	AM	Walk as a group to your **Workshop Location**
9:45	AM	Arrive at your **Workshop Location**
10:00	AM	**Sachse High School Choir** participates in **Broadway Imagined: Vocal Workshop** *Taught by Broadway professionals, covering a range of topics, including audition techniques, the importance of various roles, overcoming obstacles, potential careers, and Q and A's. (based on availability)*
11:30	AM	Workshop ends; walk as a group to **Rockefeller Center** *45 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, NY* Enjoy free time and lunch at **Rockefeller Center *(use your Jassby card)*** *Located in the heart of Midtown Manhattan, it is known for its big Christmas tree and ice skating in winter, Today Show concerts, Radio City Music Hall, and Saturday Night Live. Take a peek inside St. Patrick's Cathedral and visit the FAO Schwartz Toy Store. There is a vast array of options for shopping and dining, whether you are looking to purchase high-end goods or grab a quick bite to eat.*
1:15	PM	Meet outside of **Radio City Music Hall**
1:30	PM	**Radio City Music Tours** start (Meet at Radio City Music Hall 15 min before tour time) *1260 6th Avenue, New York, NY 10020* *The Radio City Stage Door Tour offers an insider's look at the legendary Radio City Music Hall, known for the Christmas Spectacular. On this guided tour, discover art deco masterpieces, learn the secrets of the Great Stage, meet a Rockette, and much more!*
2:45	PM	Tours end; walk as a group across the street to **Top of the Rock** *30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, NY*
3:00	PM	Experience the **Top of the Rock** *View the "Big Apple" from the observation deck. Top of the Rock is the ultimate New York experience for groups of any generation and background.* *1260 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10020*
4:30	PM	Walk as a group to **Johns's Pizzeria of Times Square** *260 W. 44th Street, New York, NY 10036*

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5:15 PM Enjoy a group dinner at **John's Pizzeria of Times Square**
John's is the most unique pizzeria in the world! It has been voted one of New York's best pizzas because of its unique characteristics. All pizzas are made to order in 800-degree coal fired ovens that are operated by "pizza men" who have gone through months of extensive training.

6:30 PM Walk as a group to **Times Square**

7:00 PM Take a **Group Photo** in the center of **Times Square**

PM Enjoy a little free time for shopping or dessert ***(use your Jassby card)***
Stop by the famous Juniors for a famous piece of NY Cheesecakeor stop into the famous Ferrara Bakery for a cannoli

PM Meet back at the hotel for the evening

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THURSDAY, MARCH 18

7:00 AM Enjoy breakfast at the hotel

8:00 AM Depart hotel via the **Subway** for **Brooklyn Bridge**

9:00 AM Arrive in **Brooklyn;** walk to the Pedestrian entrance to the **Brooklyn Bridge**
*Walk across the **Brooklyn Bridge,** a hybrid cable-stayed/suspension bridge and one of the oldest roadway bridges in the United States. Take time to soak in the beauty and snap some of the best pictures you can capture of Manhattan. Walk past City Hall toward the 9/11 Memorial and Museum.*
***This is approximately a 1.5-mile walk – wear comfortable walking shoes!*

10:30 AM Visit the **National September 11th Memorial and Museum**
180 Greenwich Street, New York, NY 10007
This 16-acre site features two enormous waterfalls and reflecting pools, each about an acre in size, set within the footprints of the original twin towers. Its design conveys a spirit of hope and renewal and creates a contemplative space separate from the usual sights and sounds of a bustling metropolis. With more than 400 trees, the Memorial Plaza is one of the most eco-friendly plazas ever constructed.

12:30 PM Enjoy lunch at **Brookfield Place – Hudson Eats *(use your Jassby card)***
230 Vesey St, New York, NY
Select from a variety of food options including: Chop't, Sushi, Dos Toros Taqueria, Fuku, Num Pang, Pizza, and more! Top it all off with a delicious, handcrafted cupcake from Sprinkles.

2:00 PM Walk as a group to **Battery Park** to get a glimpse of the Statue of Liberty
Walk the "Canyon of Heroes" where most parades, especially Ticker-tape parades, are held in NYC. This walk will take you past the Charging Bull, Wall Street, and Trinity Church (where Alexander Hamilton is buried!) on your way to Battery Park.

3:30 PM Depart hotel via the **Subway** (South Ferry)

4:00 PM Arrive at hotel; rest and freshen up for dinner and a show

5:00 PM Walk as a group to **Gayle's Broadway Rose**
228 W 47th St, New York, NY 10036

5:30 PM Enjoy a group dinner at **Gayle's Broadway Rose**
Enjoy dinner and live entertainment, as the most talented, aspiring NYC Broadway performers, actors, and actresses serve as your personal singing waiters, waitresses, and wait staff!

<u>THURSDAY, MARCH 18</u> continued…

7:00 PM Walk as a group to **Broadway Theater**

8:00 PM Curtain rises on **Broadway Show** ($120 allotted per ticket)

Some current options for a Broadway show could include: ***Aladdin, Buena Vista Social Club, Chicago, Death Becomes Her, The Great Gatsby, Hamilton, Hell's Kitchen, & Juliet, Just In Time, The Lion King, Maybe Happy Ending, MJ The Musical, Moulin Rouge, Operation Mincemeat, The Outsiders,*** and ***SIX: The Musical***

10:45 PM Walk as a group to the hotel

11:15 PM Arrive at the hotel

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FRIDAY, MARCH 19

AM	Enjoy breakfast at the hotel
AM	Check out of the hotel; load 2 motor coaches
AM	Depart for **NYC Airport**
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Upon arrival	Collect baggage from baggage claim
Please Note:	*Transportation to and from Dallas Love International Airport is not included in your proposal pricing.*

WELCOME HOME SACHSHE HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR!
THANK YOU FOR TRAVELING WITH BOB ROGERS TRAVEL.
WE HOPE YOU HAVE MADE MANY SPECIAL MEMORIES!