

# DGC Tour Phoenix 2015



*Danville Girls Chorus Tour*  
*April 30-May 3 2015*





# A Western Adventure Tour

*Danville Girls Chorus Tour to Phoenix, Arizona*



# Attendees

- ◆ 53 Singers
- ◆ 17 Chaperones (3 waitlist)
- ◆ 5 Staff & Board Members
- ◆ 75 Total Travelers





# Chaperone Information

- ◆ Chaperoning is a job
- ◆ Chaperoning is Not a vacation. It is an opportunity to be a leader and a role model.
- ◆ Chaperoning is taking on a big responsibility, the girls are in your care from the moment they leave their parents, until the moment that they return.
- ◆ Chaperones don't drink, smoke, take sleeping pills, Nothing! Chaperones don't use their phones for business or personal calls while tending to the girls.
- ◆ Chaperones help the girls get to all of the appointments on time, be performance ready, and be a part of the team.
- ◆ Chaperones need to be responsible. Being a chaperone is a rewarding experience. Please consider chaperoning for the Phoenix DGC Tour by filling out the interest form.



# Summary of Expenses

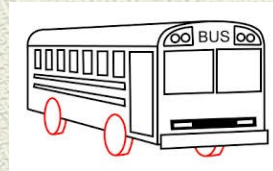


- ◆ First \$100 deposit secured your spot on tour. We have current total of 52 singers.
- ◆ You will be notified when final payment is due after Sees candy fundraiser.
- ◆ Total cost of tour \$650 per traveler
- ◆ Additional independent fundraising or “earning” money for the trip is up to individuals





Airfare



Charter Bus



Entertainment



Hotel



Food







# TOUR Uniform Requirements

- ♦ Minimum: 1 Red & 1 Navy DGC T-shirt. DGC Sweatshirt optional.
- ♦ 1 skirt to purchase from Lands End online. We will send a link with a picture & instructions
- ♦ 1 Pair of dark denim jeans for travel days
- ♦ 1 white pair of Keds or other Ked-like all white tennis shoe. These can often be found at Target or Payless.
- ♦ Formal Blue Choir Dress, shoes and Pearls in marked dress bag.





## Agreement for DGC Phoenix, Arizona Choir Tour April 30 - May 3, 2015

The Phoenix Arizona Concert Tour should be an enjoyable experience for everyone participating. Therefore, there are several basic guidelines which must be observed by ALL who share in this trip. Please read the following rules carefully. You have been given two copies - one to keep and one to return. The returned copy is to be signed by the Choir Member and a parent.

### RULES OF CONDUCT

**Be Safe.** Choir Members are to act in a manner which respects the safety of the group and the rights of their fellow Choir Members.

**Be Punctual.** Promptness is vital if the tour is to run smoothly. We have to be at specific places at specific times. Give yourself enough time to get ready and make allowances for travel time. Remember: "ON TIME IS..."

**Be Courteous.** Choir Members are to demonstrate a special courtesy and respect at all times for those in authority - namely the chaperones, DGC staff, tour coordinator, hotel staff, bus driver, event or school staff, waiters/ waitresses, and any other service personnel with which they come in contact.

**Be respectful and willing to "Stop".** The tour weekend will operate under the Golden Rule and climate of respect. If someone says, "Stop"; then you must stop whatever action is unacceptable to others without question or complaint. Remember that all are in the same situation; please go above and beyond in doing what you can to make a pleasant time for your peers while we are together. Be "team" spirit -- upbeat and positive. NO WHINING!

**Be Cooperative. Give 100%.** At all times, Choir Members are to follow the guidance and directions of their chaperone. Please refrain from being argumentative or whining. Without these parent chaperones, our usual tour trips would not happen.

**Never Be Alone.** At no time is a Choir Member to be alone. At no time is a Choir Member to be without supervision. A Choir Member should not without a chaperone at any venue spends the rest of the day with

CONFIDENTIAL HEALTH INFORMATION - Phoenix Tour 4/30-5/3, 2015				
Choir Member _____				
Parent or Guardian _____		Home Phone _____	Business Phone _____	
Street _____				
City _____	State _____	Zip _____	Birth Date _____	Age _____
PAST ILLNESS WHICH MAY AFFECT CHOIR MEMBER ACTIVITY				
Allergies: _____		Infections: _____		
Injuries: _____		Operations/Serious _____		
- Insect Bites	- Asthma	- Heart Trouble		
- Box Spring	- Convulsions	- Diabetes		
- Pollen & Grasses	- Recent exposure to contagious disease	- Date of last Tetanus or DT		
- Food				
- Medication				
OTHER DISEASES OR DETAILS OF ABOVE _____				
Does your child have any difficulty that we should be aware of in the following areas?				
Fainting		Bad		
Sleep Walking		Stuttering		
May your child participate in swimming? Yes _____ No _____		Diving? Yes _____ No _____		
Any specific activities to be encouraged? _____		Any restricted? _____		
Does your child require any special medical or serious dietary attention? Yes _____ No _____ Explain on separate paper _____				
YOUR CHILD IS COVERED UNDER THE FOLLOWING HOSPITAL AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE PROGRAMS:				
GROUP MEDICAL	Group Name _____	Policy Number _____		
INDIVIDUAL MEDICAL	Company Name _____	Policy Number _____		
PARENTS CONSENT FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL AND SURGICAL CARE				
We hereby give permission for our child to receive emergency medical or surgical treatment, and to be hospitalized, if necessary. It is understood that every attempt will be made to contact me, or a person below, before taking this action.				
Name _____		Address _____		
City _____	Daytime Phone _____	Evening Phone _____		
If this person cannot be reached, call:				
Name _____		Address _____		
City _____	Daytime Phone _____	Evening Phone _____		
I certify that the information provided above is correct to the best of my knowledge and the person herein described has permission to engage in all prescribed outdoor education or camp activities except as noted by me on this form.				
Date _____		Signed _____		
		Parent or Legal Guardian		
		Printed _____		
		Parent or Legal Guardian		

## DISMISSAL PROCEDURES

Upon arrival at the Oakland International Airport on Sunday 4/30/15, chaperones have responsibility for, and MUST remain with their charges until the designated adult picks up the child. If the designated adult is not on time to pick up the child, the chaperone is to:

- Immediately notify either Mrs. Chapman, or Mr. Abrams.
- Call designated adult responsible for pick-up.
- Call parent if different from above.
- Report back to Mrs. Chapman who will call the choir line to retrieve any new instructions for child's pick-up.

If a chaperone cannot locate parents after 1 1/2 hour, chaperone will take child home with them and leave message for parents to pick up child at chaperone's home.

DGC Choir Line 1-925-837-2624

DANVILLE GIRLS CHORUS  
PARENTAL PERMISSION FOR DISMISSAL  
Phoenix, AZ - Tour 4/30- 5/3, 2015

I, \_\_\_\_\_ daughter \_\_\_\_\_ will be picked up at the Oakland airport on \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 3rd at \_\_\_\_\_ by the adult set forth below. I acknowledge that in the event that the designated adult cannot pick up my daughter, it will be my responsibility to leave a message at the hotel NO LATER THAN 9:00pm on Saturday, May 2nd, AND a message on the choir line (925-837-2624) giving new instructions to the choir. The designated adult will make every effort to be at the Oakland Airport by the time given on the choir line.

THE DESIGNATED ADULT WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING THE CHAPERONE HAS KNOWLEDGE THAT THE CHILD'S RIDE HAS ARRIVED TO ACCEPT CUSTODY OF CHILD!

Designated Adult Responsible for Pick-up \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

# FORMS TO SIGN & RETURN

*Please return as soon as possible. Bring to rehearsal or mail to DGC*

*\*\*Please return chaperone interest form by next Wednesday 1/28*



# Final Details

- ◆ Health Concerns. Please indicate on Forms and/or discuss privately with Kelley Heidrich-Lee our DGC board president.
- ◆ Read through all documents and forms so that you understand the rules and codes of conducts.
- ◆ Mark the deposit deadlines in your calendars so that we are able to collect all funds in a timely manner.
- ◆ Be a part of the solution and not the problem when your daughter is assigned to a group or a chaperone. If you are positive, it will be easier for them to have a positive experience. We will do our best!
- ◆ Be prepared for your singer to grow and bond with peers.







Questions?