

Boardman Band

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BOARDMAN BAND - CEDAR POINT TRIP – 7th Graders

This is a special invitation for current Boardman 7th Grade Band students. Our 8th Grade Band students will actually perform with the Boardman Spartan Marching Band in Cedar Point, but we wanted to extend the invitation for our 7th graders to join us to see this performance and enjoy the rest of the day at Cedar Point.

General Information

We go to Cedar Point by school bus on **Saturday, May 26**. The cost of the trip to Cedar Point is \$45.⁰⁰ and will include a picnic-style meal courtesy of the Boardman Band and Orchestra Parents, Inc. Students can also choose to add admission to Cedar Point's brand new water park for an additional \$15. Payment for the water park should be a separate check so we can refund it easily if the weather is not good. **Payments must be turned in to Mr. Tuite and Mr. Shevock by Friday, May 18**. All checks should be made payable to: BBOP, Inc.

Signing Up to Participate

Go online to www.boardmanband.org. Click the Cedar Point Signup Link on the main menu. **IMPORTANT: You must also complete the contact and Health/Emergency Medical portion of the Boardman Band Student Information Form. A link can be found on the Cedar Point signup form and on the website.**

Saturday, May 26

6:30 AM - High School Building open. Look and listen for instructions as you arrive.

7:00 AM - All students are to be on the buses. **DO NOT BE LATE!** The buses will leave at 7:00 with or without you. Attendance will be taken on the buses. We will only stop once during this 3-hour ride...use the restroom before you board the bus.

10:30 AM - Arrive at Cedar Point. Listen for instructions.

8:00 PM - EVERYONE MUST BE BACK ON THE BUSES NO LATER THAN 8:00 PM. You must keep track of the time and plan your last events carefully so as not to be late.

11:00 PM - Arrive at BHS. Make sure your ride is here.

Cedar Point Information

Watch and listen for weather forecasts to determine what clothing to bring for the day. The weather on Lake Erie can be drastically different than here. Bring your hoodie or jacket just in case. **It is always better to have it and not need it than to need it and not have it.** Make sure you are clean and neat. Do not wear anything that is inappropriate. Bring spending money for one meal, snacks, games, souvenirs, etc. Any student needing assistance, medical or otherwise, should go the first-aid station in the park. Chaperones will also be available in the pavilion picnic area near the main entrance throughout the day.

Every student is expected to represent our Band, school, and community in a positive way. Be polite and courteous at all times, and especially to our chaperones and bus drivers. Because you can never be sure of who is watching, conduct yourself at all times as though one of the directors is with you. That means there is to be no profane language, gestures, or behavior; no horseplay; no obnoxious behavior; no disrespectful behavior or attitudes. Always use good manners. We want people to say that they are glad we came, not that they are glad we are leaving.

- All school and band rules and guidelines are in effect for the entire trip.
- All students will depart and return on the buses with the band. The only exception would be to ride to and from Cedar Point with a parent(s).
- Students who cause or get into any trouble in the park will be responsible for their own ride home from Cedar Point. This includes inappropriate park attire.
- Attendance will be taken on the buses promptly at 8:00 PM. If you are not present, I will call your parents and tell them that we are leaving without you.

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