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Date: October 28, 2025

Consent Agenda Item (Action Item): Betsy Layne High School is requesting permission to travel to Washington D.C. via Amtrak from March 29-April 3, 2026. Students will ride a Floyd County Schools bus to Charleston, WV to board the train.

Applicable State or Regulations: Board Policy 01.11 General Powers and Duties of the Board of Education.

Budget/Financial Issues: The event would not impact the board of education.

Background and Rationale: National Honor Society and Beta Club students have maintained GPAs of 3.5 and have spent countless hours volunteering for the community and being leaders in our school. This trip will allow them to visit our nation's capital and learn about the leaders of our country. Approximately 35 students and three chaperones will be traveling.

Recommended Action: The Floyd County Board of Education allow Betsy Layne High School to travel to Charleston, WV via bus, and to Washington D.C. from Charleston, WV via Amtrak and from March 29-April 3.

Contact Person(s):

Jody Roberts, principal
Brandi Justice, NHS sponsor


Principal

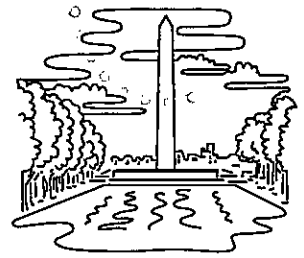
 
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DC Itinerary

5-DAY TRIP

March 29-April 3, 2026



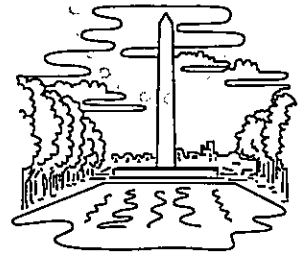
DAY 1	<p>5:30 AM : Depart BLHS on bus.</p> <p>8:30 AM : Depart Charleston, WV via train.</p> <p>6:45 PM : Arrive in DC and Metro to hotel.</p>
DAY 2	<p>8:30-NOON : US Capitol, Library of Congress, Supreme Court.</p> <p>2:00-4:00 PM : Air and Space Museum</p> <p>4:00-6:00 PM : Museum of Natural History</p> <p>EVENING : Sunset at The Mall, Dinner, and pool</p>
DAY 3	<p>8:30-10AM : Whitehouse tour.</p> <p>10:30-12:30PM : Planet Word</p> <p>1:30-3:00PM : National Portrait Gallery</p> <p>3:30-6:00PM : Rest and clean up</p> <p>7:00- : Wizards vs 76ers</p>
DAY 4	<p>9:30-11AM : Arlington National Cemetery and changing of the guard.</p> <p>12-2:00 PM : Holocaust Museum</p> <p>2:30-3:30 PM : Pedal boating at the Tidal Basin</p> <p>4:00-6:00 PM : Rest and clean up</p> <p>7:00- : Beauty and the Beast on Broadway at the National Theatre</p>
DAY 5	<p>9:00AM-NOON : Smithsonian National Zoo</p> <p>1-3:00PM : Beat the Bomb</p> <p>EVENING : The Wharf</p>
DAY 6	<p>10:59AM : Depart Union Station</p> <p>8:23PM : Arrive in Charleston, WV.</p> <p>10:45PM : Arrive to BLHS</p>



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PAYMENT SCHEDULE

10/31---\$100

11/25---\$125

12/19---\$125

1/30---\$150

2/27---\$150

*All payments are nonrefundable and nontransferable.

INCLUSIONS

TRAIN TICKET

METRO PASS

5 NIGHTS STAY AT

HOTEL WITH

INDOOR POOL

NBA TICKET

BROADWAY TICKET

ESCAPE ROOM TICKET

PEDAL BOAT TICKET

BREAKFAST

FAMILY RATES

TRAIN TICKET=\$135

METRO PASS=\$35

NBA TICKET=\$30

BROADWAY TICKET= \$30

ESCAPE ROOM TICKET=\$40

PEDAL BOAT =\$38 PER BOAT

HOTEL:

2 OCCUPANCY = \$1281.51

3 OCCUPANCY =\$1413.71

4 OCCUPANCY=\$1457.77

5 OCCUPANCY=\$1732.84

***BOLD =REQUIRED**