

BEAVER LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL
AP HISTORY, GOVERNMENT & ENGLISH HONORS
TENTATIVE - BOSTON/SALEM/PLYMOUTH TOUR
MAY 28 – JUNE 1, 2018

MONDAY, MAY 28, 2018

- 8:00 a.m. - Bus arrive at Beaver Local Schools
- 8:30 a.m. - Depart School
- 9:15 a.m. - Pick up Security & quick rest stop
- 12:30 p.m. - Lunch (on own) around Lewisburg, PA
- 4:15 p.m. - Rest stop around Newburgh, NY
- 6:30 p.m. - Dinner (included - \$10 cash) at McDonald's in Vernon, CT
- 9:00 p.m. - Check into the Holiday Inn Tewksbury – 978-640-9000

TUESDAY, MAY 29, 2018

- 7:00 a.m. - Breakfast (included) at our hotel
- 8:15 a.m. - Depart for Boston
- 9:30 a.m. - Freedom Trail - Walk into History - Extended Tour – 2 hours and 15 minutes
- 12:30 p.m. - Lunch (on own) at the- Quincy Market Area and free time
- 2:45 p.m. - Depart for the JFK Memorial Library
- 3:30 p.m. - JFK Memorial Library
- 5:30 p.m. – Boston Red Sox Baseball game, dinner at game
- 10:00 p.m. - Hotel

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 2018

- 7:45 a.m. - Breakfast (included) at our hotel
- 8:45 a.m. - Depart for the Minute Man National Historical Park
- 9:30 a.m. - Minute Man National Historical Park
- 10:00 a.m. - Guided Ranger Tour from the Northbridge Visitor Center
- 12:15 a.m. - Lunch (on own) in Salem - Heritage Trail
- 1:45 p.m. – House of Seven Gables Tour
- 3:30 p.m. - Salem Witch Museum
- 5:30 p.m. - Dinner (\$15 cash included) - Heritage Trail/ Pickering Wharf
- 7:00 p.m. - Haunted Foot Steps ghost tour in Salem
- 9:15 p.m. - Hotel

THURSDAY, MAY 31, 2018

- 7:00 a.m. - Breakfast (included) at our hotel
- 7:45 a.m. - Depart for Plymouth, MA
- 10:00 a.m. - Plimoth Plantation: A living history museum that re-creates in great detail the daily life of the native Wampanoag and the English colonist in 1627
- 1:00 p.m. - Lunch (on own) at Patuxet Café at Plimoth Plantation
- 3:00 p.m. - Tea Party Museum
- 6:00 p.m. - Prudential Center – dinner (included - \$10 cash), shopping and free time
- 8:15 p.m. - Skywalk Observation Deck – spectacular view of Boston
- 9:30 p.m. - Hotel

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 2018

- 7:00 a.m. - Breakfast (included) at our hotel
- 8:00 a.m. - Depart for home
- 10:15 p.m. - Rest stop around New Britain, CT
- 1:30 p.m. - Lunch (on own) around Scranton, PA
- 5:15 p.m. - Dinner (included - \$10 cash) around Clearfield, PA
- 7:45 p.m. - Drop off security - rest stop (if needed)
- 8:30 p.m. - Arrive back at Beaver Local High School

AP History, Government & English Honors
Boston, Salem & Plymouth Plantation Tours

May 28, 2018 – June 1, 2018

For consideration by the Beaver Local School Board on October 9, 2018.

The AP History & Government Club is requesting permission to take our bi-annual historical field trip in order to celebrate a year of hard work and sitting for the AP Exam in May. Four years ago the History Club went to Washington, DC and two years ago we visited Philadelphia and Gettysburg. Both trips were educational field trips and provided an excellent opportunity for us to extend our class learning by experiencing and visiting the historical sites we studied during the school year.

This year, in an effort to extend our cross curricular learning activities in our advanced placement classes, we are planning our trip in conjunction with the English Honors Club (consisting of AP Language and AP Literature students). We will visit Boston, Salem, and Plymouth Plantation in Massachusetts. All classes have studied (or will have studied by May of 2018) specific authors, historical events and novels that relate directly to these locations.

Once again, we are using 20th Century Tours to plan our itinerary, organize and lead our trip. They will be providing transportation, a tour guide and hotel security as well. Plans are being finalized now and students are fundraising to help defray the costs of this trip (expected to be about \$600). We planned this trip to be at the end of the school year so not to interfere with AP testing, sports schedules, concerts or graduation.

We are very excited about this trip and would appreciate it very much if you would approve it for us. Attached please find a copy of a tentative itinerary for the trip. Thank you!

Organized by AP Teachers:

Lori Motry, AP Government
Kelly Jones, AP US History
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