Monday, November 2, 2026
Pennridge School District - Student Services Committee Meeting

Pennridge School District
Board of School Directors
Student Services Committee

Committee Chairperson: Mrs. Carolyn Sciarrino
Committee Members: Mr. Bradley Merkl-Gump, Mrs. Taylor, Mr. Trauger, Mr. Wurz
Co-Cabinet Liaisons: Bradley Palmer, Ed.D., Mr. Ernest Johnson

Location: Pennridge School District Board Room
Time: 6:30 PM

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1. Public Comment on Agenda Items

1.A. Public Comment According to Policy #903
Description: According to Policy #903, public comment on matters of concern, official action or deliberation is limited to three minutes should be directed to the entire School Board following the announcement of your name and municipality. Under this policy, the presiding officer has the authority to warn or stop a public commenter when violation of this policy occurs.

2. Items for Discussion

2.A. Pennridge Varsity Cheerleading Overnight Trip - Ms. Kat Harrington

2.B. Pennridge HS Choir Overnight Trip - Ms. Christa Schimitsch

2.C. Middle School Consolidation Committee Update - Dr. Bradley Palmer

3. Public Comment

4. Next Meeting
Description: The next Student Services Committee meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, January 6, 2027.



A non-refundable deposit of $100 per person is due upon registration. Hotel travel packages are limited and will be available on a first come, first served basis. All teams must be registered and paid in full by **January 7, 2027.** Registration will close on **January 25, 2027.**

Walt Disney World. Resort	4 Night Hotel Travel Package	3 Night Hotel Travel Package	2 Night Hotel Travel Package	Commuter Coach / Athlete
Nights and Days of Hotel Accommodations	4 nights, 5 days	3 nights, 4 days	2 nights, 3 days	
Celebration Party at Disney's Hollywood Studios Sunday Night Transportation provided by Varsity Spirit	✓	✓		
Walt Disney World Theme Park, Park Hopper ticket	3 days	3 days	2 days	2 days
Up to 5 days Admission to the ESPN Wide World of Sports® Complex	✓	✓	✓	✓
Bus Transportation to all Nationals Events from Championship hotels	✓	✓	✓	
Thursday night extended evening hours at Disney's Animal Kingdom Transportation provided by Varsity Spirit	✓	✓	✓	

VALUE – Disney's All-Star Resorts & Disney's Pop Century Resort (All prices are listed per person)	4 Night Hotel Travel Package	3 Night Hotel Travel Package	2 Night Hotel Travel Package	Commuter Price $585
Quad (4 per room)	$967	$917	$867	
Triple (3 per room)	$1057	$987	$907	
Double (2 per room)	$1207	$1097	$977	
Single (1 per room)	$1547	$1397	$1197	
Extra Nights price per room/per night	$255 per room/ per night	N/A	N/A	

7736 = 8 X
6342 = 6 X
1020 = 4 X
15,098 ÷ 14 = 1,079 per athlete

MODERATE – Disney's Coronado Springs Resort or Disney's Caribbean Beach Resort (All prices are listed per person)	4 Night Hotel Travel Package	3 Night Hotel Travel Package	2 Night Hotel Travel Package
Quad (4 per room)	$1094	$1014	$954
Triple (3 per room)	$1184	$1084	$1004
Double (2 per room)	$1334	$1204	$1094
Single (1 per room)	$2004	$1564	$1334
Extra Nights price per room/per night	$395 per room/ per night	N/A	N/A

DELUXE – Disney's Animal Kingdom Lodge (All prices are listed per person) Only recommended for families.	4 Night Hotel Travel Package	3 Night Hotel Travel Package	2 Night Hotel Travel Package
Quad (4 per room)	$1719	$1559	$1439
Triple (3 per room)	$1909	$1709	$1549
Double (2 per room)	$2219	$1959	$1749
Single (1 per room)	$3449	$2669	$2239
Extra Nights price per room/per night	$670 per room/ per night	N/A	N/A

VARSITY SPIRIT NATIONAL SCHOOL SPIRIT CHAMPIONSHIPS

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DI: FEBRUARY 4–7, 2027 | AT Walt Disney World Resort

Walt Disney World Theme Park, Park Hopper Ticket

Available for family or friends not purchasing one of the hotel packages. This includes up to five days admission into the ESPN Wide World of Sports® Complex for the competition.



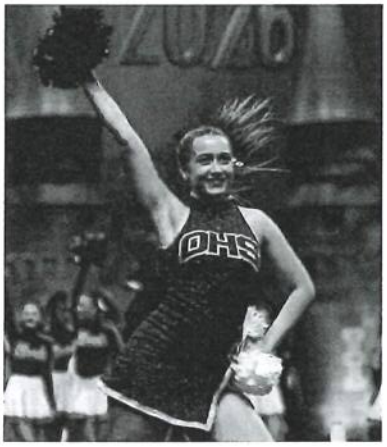
2 Day	$460 with an approximate value of $745
3 Day	$635 with an approximate value of $932
4 Day	$799 with an approximate value of $1104
5 Day	$855 with an approximate value of $1163

Additional Park Hoppers are available for purchase until February 2, 2027.
Park Hoppers will NOT be sold at the event.

Additional Competition Divisions

Teams have multiple opportunities to compete. This includes the **Game Day Divisions** and the **Spirit Program Game Day divisions.** Please see the website for more information.

CHEER		DANCE		BAND	
1st Performance	included	1st/2nd Performance	included	1st Performance	included
2nd Performance	$50 per athlete	3rd Performance	$50 per athlete	2nd Performance	$50 per athlete
3rd Performance	$25 per athlete	4th Performance	$25 per athlete		



Spirit Program Game Day Divisions

The Spirit Program Game Day Divisions emphasize the collaboration and cohesion of your school's spirit programs: cheer, dance and band. Check the website for more information.

World School Cheerleading & World School Performance Cheer Championships

Compete in either of these Championships if you meet the eligibility requirements. It is an additional $55 per athlete. Please see the event website for the eligibility requirements and divisions.

Celebration Party

Available for $65 per person for those NOT on the 3 or 4 night hotel travel package. Transportation to/from the theme park is not included.

Meal Voucher

Available to purchase for $21 per meal voucher.
This includes one Lunch OR Dinner entrée and a beverage at select counter-service restaurants.



- Hotel Travel Packages are limited and will be available on a first come, first served basis.
- Walt Disney World Theme Park, Park Hopper tickets® are valid **2/1/2027 through 2/11/2027.**
- Transportation to and from the airport is not included. Information about Mears Connect can be found on the event website.
- The above prices do not include airfare.
- Refunds are not available for unused portions of the package or unused days on tickets.
- Additional pricing available at **uca.varsity.com, uda.varsity.com,** and **vpa.varsity.com.**
- **Disney Vacation Club and Disney Annual Passes cannot be used towards the package nor to get into the Competition.**
- **Due to the size and age of the group, individual hotel reservation numbers for those on the travel package cannot be provided but all Disney accommodations are fully confirmed.**

This is for information purposes only. For more information, please contact us:
CHEER: **1-888-CHEER-UCA** or visit **uca.varsity.com.**
DANCE: **1-800-DANCE-UDA** or visit **uda.varsity.com.**
BAND: **1-800-533-8022** or visit **vpa.varsity.com.**

2027 NATIONAL SCHOOL SPIRIT CHAMPIONSHIPS DI

PACKAGE DETAILS

EXPERIENCE THE MAGIC

DI: February 4–7, 2027

Varsity Spirit and Varsity Yearbook have partnered with the *Walt Disney World*® Resort to offer attendees and families a hotel travel package for this year's Championships. Below is a look inside of what is offered in this unbeatable rate!

Hotel Accommodations

Package guests will be staying at Disney's Coronado Springs Resort, Disney's Caribbean Beach Resort, Disney's All Star Resort, Disney's Pop Century Resort or Disney's Animal Kingdom Lodge during the Championship—complete with direct resort to park transportation, resort-style pools, and various on-property amenities! Hotel parking fees are included for those purchasing the hotel travel package. Families can choose from a variety of arrival and departure days during the Championship as well as various room occupancies (4 per room to 1 per room). Due to the size and age of the group, individual hotel reservation numbers for those on the travel package cannot be provided but all Disney accommodations are fully confirmed. Learn more about each hotel below:

Disney's Coronado Springs Resort

Celebrate the unique blend of Spanish, Mexican and Southwest American cultures at Disney's Coronado Springs Resort. This beautiful lakeside oasis offers classic influences, Disney touches and modern comforts to energize and inspire. Complete with resort-style pools, on-site dining, and beautiful scenic views!

Disney's All-Star Resorts

YOU are the star of the show at Disney's All Star Resorts! Enjoy these resort hotels that salute the world of competitive sports, Disney films and the world's most popular music genres! Each resort is home to a food court with a complete line up of pasta, burgers and a deli style market. Enjoy the Florida sun and catch some rays at one of the sprawling resort-style pool areas!

Disney's Pop Century Resort

Experience the unforgettable fads of the 1950s through the 1990s all over again. From yo-yos and Play-Doh® to Rubik's Cube® and rollerblades, this resort hotel salutes the timeless fashions, catchphrases, toys and dances that captivated the world through the decades. This resort is also home to the Disney Skyliner allowing for an additional transportation oppritunity to theme parks. At the food court, find food favorites like waffles, pasta, flatbread and salads in one of the 7 food stations. And be sure to take a dip in one of the three themed pools!

Disney's Caribbean Beach Resort

Discover a world where life slows to a leisurely pace and worries melt away amidst Calypso rhythms. Awash with vibrant colors and lush landscapes, Disney's Caribbean Beach Resort transports Guests to a relaxing paradise that captures the essence of 5 distinct islands: Barbados, Jamaica, Martinique, Trinidad and Aruba. Celebrate the spirit of the Caribbean with blissful sights and fun-filled activities—including colonial forts, lively markets, pristine beaches, splashy florals and swaying hammocks—sure to awaken the imagination.

Disney's Animal Kindom Lodge (only recommended for families)

Step into the heart of Africa at this magnificent Resort hotel. Inspired by the traditional African kraal, the horseshoe-curved design provides spectacular views of 4 lush savannas that over 200 hoofed animals and birds call home. Delight in dazzling pool areas, exciting animal programs and one of the largest collections of African art in the United States as you experience your own African safari adventure with a touch of Disney magic.

Disney's Animal Kingdom Lodge serves award-winning, African-inspired specialties and classic American favorites for breakfast, lunch and dinner, amid a lush wildlife preserve. Enjoy Jiko — The Cooking Place, Boma-Flavors of Africa, grab a snack at The Mara or select one of the other great meal options.

ESPN Wide World of Sports Competition Tickets

Included on your Theme Park tickets are up to 5 days entrance into the ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex for the Championship; normally $55 per day! This will give you access to enter and exit the complex throughout the championship weekend! The link to purchase additional single day tickets will be available approximately two weeks prior to the championship.

Walt Disney World Theme Park, Park Hopper Ticket

Also included in the travel package, is a Walt Disney World Theme Park, Park Hopper Ticket. This ticket allows you to visit multiple theme parks per day so you can maximize the magic! Guests will need to make a Disney Park Reservation for the theme park they wish to attend each day and visit that first park. Once you visit the first park, you can hop to another park of your choice. Enjoy the fun of Magic Kingdom, EPCOT, Disney's Hollywood Studios or Animal Kingdom Theme Park! Walt Disney World transportation is provided from the Championship hotels to each of these Theme Parks and is included in your hotel travel package. Walt Disney World is operating on a capacity system. Varsity Spirit is not able to assist Park Reservations once the parks are full.

Celebration Party

YOU are the star of the show at the Celebration Party at Disney's Hollywood Studios on Sunday night! Hollywood Studios will be closed for a private party only for those here for the Championship! Select rides will be open, and we will have a DJ! Select food and beverage locations will be open for purchase as well. This is a great way to celebrate your success at the Championship and create more memories of a lifetime!



Championship Event Experience

Included in the hotel travel package are all the fees for competing and participating in the event for athletes and spectators. This includes the premium Championship venues, world-class event staff, awards, spectator viewing and more!

Bus Transportation to All Championship Events

For those on the hotel travel package, Varsity will provide bus transportation to and from ESPN Wide World of Sports on Competition days. This will pick up at the Championship Resorts and drop off at ESPN Wide World of Sports. This exclusive bus transportation is only for those purchasing the hotel travel package, another perk!

Thursday Night Extended Park Hours

We are thrilled to be able to offer Thursday Night Extended Theme Park hours at Disney's Animal Kingdom for those on the Hotel Travel Package. Anyone on the package will receive a wristband at registration to stay in the Theme Park after scheduled hours.

*This event will use a day of your Theme Park ticket if you choose to attend.

2027 NATIONAL SCHOOL SPIRIT CHAMPIONSHIP
DI -DIVISIONS BY DAY
FEBRUARY 4-7, 2027

	Division	Thurs	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
CH	Traditional Rec - 10Y			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Traditional Rec - 12Y			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Traditional Rec - 14Y			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Traditional Rec - 11-18Y			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Traditional Rec - 14Y Game Day			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Traditional Rec - 11-18Y Game Day			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Junior High Non Tumbling	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Junior High Non Tumbling Game Day	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Small Junior High	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Small Junior High Game Day	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Large Junior High	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Large Junior High Game Day	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Junior Varsity Non Tumbling DI	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Junior Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Small Junior Varsity DI	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Small Junior Varsity DI Game Day	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Large Junior Varsity DI	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Large Junior Varsity DI Game Day	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Junior Varsity Coed DI	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Small Non Tumbling DI	Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals	
CH	Small Non Tumbling DI Game Day	Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals	
CH	Medium Non Tumbling DI	Prelims*	Semi-Finals	Finals	
CH	Medium Non Tumbling DI Game Day	Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals	
CH	Large Non Tumbling DI	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Large Non Tumbling DI Game Day	Prelims*	Semi-Finals	Finals	
CH	Super Non Tumbling DI	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Super Non Tumbling DI Game Day	Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals	
CH	Varsity Coed Non Tumbling DI	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Varsity Coed Non Tumbling DI Game Day	Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals	
CH	Varsity Non Building DI	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Varsity Non Building DI Game Day	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Small DI		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Small DI Game Day		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Medium DI		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Medium DI Game Day		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Large DI		Prelims or Semis	Finals	Finals*
CH	Large DI Game Day		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Super DI		Semi-Finals	Finals	Finals*
CH	Super DI Game Day		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Small Coed DI		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Small Coed DI Game Day		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Large Coed DI		Semi-Finals	Finals	Finals*
CH	Large Coed DI Game Day			Semi-Finals	Finals

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DI -DIVISIONS BY DAY
FEBRUARY 4-7, 2027

	Division	Thurs	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
CH	Small Junior High Intermediate			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Large Junior High Intermediate			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Small Junior High Non Tumbling Intermediate	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Large Junior High Non Tumbling Intermediate	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Small Junior Varsity Intermediate			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Large Junior Varsity Intermediate			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Small Varsity Intermediate		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Large Varsity Intermediate			Semi-Finals	Finals
CH	Small Varsity Non Tumbling Intermediate	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Large Varsity Non Tumbling Intermediate	Semi-Finals		Finals	
CH	Varsity Coed Intermediate			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior High - Game Day			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior High - Hip Hop			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior High - Jazz			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior High - Kick			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior High - Pom			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior Varsity DI - Game Day			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior Varsity DI - Hip Hop			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior Varsity DI - Jazz			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior Varsity DI - Kick			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Junior Varsity DI - Pom			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Small Varsity DI - Hip Hop		Semi-Finals	Finals	Finals*
DA	Small Varsity DI - Jazz		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Small Varsity DI - Kick		Semi-Finals	Finals	
DA	Small Varsity DI - Pom		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Medium Varsity DI - Hip Hop			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Medium Varsity DI - Jazz		Prelims & Semis	Finals	Finals*
DA	Medium Varsity DI - Pom		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Large Varsity DI - Hip Hop		Semi-Finals	Finals	
DA	Large Varsity DI - Jazz			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Large Varsity DI - Kick		Semi-Finals	Finals	
DA	Large Varsity DI - Pom			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Small Varsity DI - Game Day		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Medium Varsity DI - Game Day		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Large Varsity DI - Game Day		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Varsity Intermediate DI - Hip Hop			Semi-Finals	Finals
DA	Varsity Intermediate DI - Jazz		Semi-Finals		Finals
DA	Varsity Intermediate DI - Pom		Prelims	Semi-Finals	Finals
BD	Pep Band		Semi-Finals	Finals	

DI TENTATIVE BLOCK SCHEDULE

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THURSDAY FEBRUARY 4, 2027

Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue	
All	Varsity Spirit Program DI Live (CH/DA/BD) Semi-Finals	CH	Large Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Prelims	CH	Junior High Non Tumbling Semi-Finals	CH	Junior High Non Tumbling Game Day Semi-Finals	CH	Large Varsity Non Tumbling DI Semi-Finals		
CH/BD	Varsity Spirit Program DI Live (CH/BD) Semi-Finals	CH	Medium Non Tumbling DI Game Day Prelims	CH	Junior Varsity Coed DI Semi-Finals	CH	Junior Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Semi-Finals	CH	Medium Varsity Non Tumbling DI Prelims		
CH/DA	Small Varsity Spirit Program DI (CH/DA) Semi-Finals	CH	Small Non Tumbling DI Game Day Prelims	CH	Junior Varsity Non Tumbling DI Semi-Finals	CH	Large Junior High Game Day Semi-Finals	CH	Small Varsity Non Tumbling DI Prelims		
CH/DA	Large Varsity Spirit Program DI (CH/DA) Semi-Finals	CH	Super Non Tumbling DI Game Day Prelims	CH	Large Junior High Non Tumbling Intermediate Semi-Finals	CH	Large Junior Varsity DI Game Day Semi-Finals	CH	Super Varsity Non Tumbling DI Semi-Finals		
CH/DA	Junior High Spirit Program (CH/DA) Semi-Finals			CH	Large Junior High Semi-Finals	CH	Small Junior High Game Day Semi-Finals	CH	Varsity Coed Non Tumbling DI Semi-Finals		
				CH	Large Junior Varsity DI Semi-Finals	CH	Small Junior Varsity DI Game Day Semi-Finals	CH	Varsity Non Building DI Semi-Finals		
All	Varsity Spirit Program DI Live (CH/DA/BD) Finals			CH	Large Junior Varsity Non Tumbling Intermediate Semi-Finals	CH	Varsity Coed Non Tumbling DI Game Day Prelims				
CH/BD	Varsity Spirit Program DI Live (CH/BD) Finals			CH	Large Varsity Non Tumbling DI Intermediate Semi-Finals	CH	Varsity Non Building DI Game Day Semi-Finals				
CH/DA	Junior High Spirit Program (CH/DA) Finals			CH	Small Junior High Non Tumbling Intermediate Semi-Finals						
CH/DA	Large Varsity Spirit Program DI (CH/DA) Finals			CH	Small Junior High Semi-Finals						
CH/DA	Small Varsity Spirit Program DI (CH/DA) Finals			CH	Small Junior Varsity DI Semi-Finals						
				CH	Small Junior Varsity Non Tumbling Intermediate Semi-Finals						
				CH	Small Varsity Non Tumbling DI Intermediate Semi-Finals						

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 5, 2027

Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue	
CH	Large Varsity Coed DI Semi-Finals	CH	Medium Varsity DI Game Day Prelims	DA	Medium Varsity DI - Jazz Prelims	DA	Large Varsity DI - Game Day Prelims	CH	Small Varsity DI Prelims	CH	Large Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Semi-Finals
CH	Large Varsity DI Semi-Finals	CH	Large Varsity DI Game Day Prelims	DA	Medium Varsity DI - Pom Prelims	DA	Medium Varsity DI - Game Day Prelims	CH	Small Varsity Intermediate Prelims	CH	Medium Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Semi-Finals
CH	Medium Varsity DI Prelims	CH	Varsity Coed Non Tumbling DI Game Day Semi-Finals	DA	Small Varsity DI - Jazz Prelims	DA	Small Varsity DI - Game Day Prelims			CH	Medium Varsity Non Tumbling DI Semi-Finals
CH	Small Varsity Coed DI Prelims			DA	Small Varsity DI - Pom Prelims	DA	Small Varsity DI Hip Hop Semi-Finals			CH	Small Varsity Coed DI Game Day Prelims
CH	Super Varsity DI Semi-Finals	BD	Pep Band DI Semi-Finals			DA	Varsity Intermediate DI - Jazz Semi-Finals			CH	Small Varsity DI Game Day Prelims
										CH	Small Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Semi-Finals
DA	Large Varsity DI - High Kick Semi-Finals	CH	Super Varsity DI Game Day Prelims							CH	Small Varsity Non Tumbling DI Semi-Finals
DA	Large Varsity DI - Hip Hop Semi-Finals									CH	Super Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Semi-Finals
DA	Medium Varsity DI - Jazz Semi-Finals										
DA	Small Varsity DI - High Kick Semi-Finals										

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 6, 2027

Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue	
CH	Medium Varsity DI Semi-Finals	CH	Large Varsity DI Intermediate Semi-Finals	DA	Junior High Dance Game Day Semi-Finals	DA	Large Varsity Dance DI Game Day Semi-Finals	CH	Junior High Non Tumbling Finals	REC	Traditional Rec - 14Y Game Day Semi-Finals
CH	Small Varsity DI Semi-Finals	CH	Medium Varsity DI Game Day Semi-Finals	DA	Junior High Dance Kick Semi-Finals	DA	Large Varsity DI Pom Semi-Finals	CH	Junior Varsity Coed DI Finals	REC	Traditional Rec - 11-18Y Game Day Semi-Finals
		CH	Small Varsity Coed DI Semi-Finals	DA	Junior High Hip Hop Semi-Finals	DA	Medium Varsity Dance DI Game Day Semi-Finals	CH	Junior Varsity Non Tumbling DI Finals		
DA	Large Varsity DI High Kick Finals	CH	Small Varsity DI Game Day Semi-Finals	DA	Junior High Jazz Semi-Finals	DA	Medium Varsity DI Hip Hop Semi-Finals	CH	Large Junior High Finals	CH	Junior Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Finals
DA	Large Varsity DI Hip Hop Finals	CH	Small Varsity DI Intermediate Semi-Finals	DA	Junior High Pom Semi-Finals	DA	Medium Varsity DI Pom Semi-Finals	CH	Large Junior High Intermediate Semi-Finals	CH	Junior Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Finals
DA	Large Varsity DI Jazz Semi-Finals	CH	Super Varsity DI Game Day Semi-Finals	DA	Junior Varsity DI Game Day Semi-Finals	DA	Small Varsity Dance DI Game Day Semi-Finals	CH	Large Junior Varsity DI Finals	CH	Large Junior High Game Day Finals
DA	Medium Varsity DI Jazz Finals	REC	Traditional Rec - 11-18Y Semi-Finals	DA	Junior Varsity DI Hip Hop Semi-Finals			CH	Large Junior Varsity DI Intermediate Semi-Finals	CH	Large Junior High Non Tumbling Intermediate Finals
DA	Small Varsity DI High Kick Finals	REC	Traditional Rec - 12Y Semi-Finals	DA	Junior Varsity DI Jazz Semi-Finals			CH	Large Varsity Non Tumbling DI Finals	CH	Large Junior Varsity Non Tumbling Intermediate Finals
DA	Small Varsity DI Hip Hop Finals	REC	Traditional Rec - 14Y Semi-Finals	DA	Junior Varsity DI Kick Semi-Finals			CH	Medium Varsity Non Tumbling DI Finals	CH	Large Junior Varsity DI Game Day Finals
DA	Small Varsity DI Pom Semi-Finals	REC	Traditional Rec Intermediate - 10Y Semi-Finals	DA	Junior Varsity DI Pom Semi-Finals			CH	Small Junior High Finals	CH	Large Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Finals
				DA	Small Varsity DI Hip Hop Semi-Finals			CH	Small Junior High Intermediate Semi-Finals	CH	Large Varsity Non Tumbling DI Intermediate Finals
DA	Small Varsity DI Hip Hop Finals*	BD	Pep Band DI Finals	DA	Small Varsity DI Jazz Semi-Finals			CH	Small Junior Varsity DI Finals	CH	Medium Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Finals
DA	Medium Varsity DI Jazz Finals*			DA	Varsity Intermediate DI Hip Hop Semi-Finals			CH	Small Junior Varsity DI Intermediate Semi-Finals	CH	Small Junior High DI Game Day Finals
CH	Large Varsity Coed DI Finals*	CH	Large Varsity Coed DI Game Day Semi-Finals	DA	Varsity Intermediate DI Pom Semi-Finals			CH	Small Varsity Non Tumbling DI Finals	CH	Small Junior High Non Tumbling Intermediate Finals
CH	Large Varsity DI Finals*	CH	Large Varsity DI Game Day Semi-Finals					CH	Super Varsity Non Tumbling DI Finals	CH	Small Junior Varsity DI Game Day Finals
CH	Super Varsity DI Finals*	CH	Small Varsity Coed DI Game Day Semi-Finals					CH	Varsity Coed DI Intermediate Semi-Finals	CH	Small Junior Varsity Non Tumbling Intermediate Finals
*Divisons may compete on Saturday or Sunday								CH	Varsity Coed Non Tumbling DI Finals	CH	Small Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Finals
								CH	Varsity Non Building DI Finals	CH	Small Varsity Non Tumbling DI Intermediate Finals
										CH	Super Varsity Non Tumbling DI Game Day Finals
										CH	Varsity Coed Non Tumbling DI Game Day Finals
										CH	Varsity Non Building DI Game Day Finals

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 7, 2027

Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue		Venue	
DA	Large Varsity DI Jazz Finals	CH	Large Varsity DI Game Day Finals	DA	Junior High Dance Game Day Finals	WSC	World School Cheer Divisions	CH	Large Junior High Intermediate Finals		
DA	Large Varsity DI Pom Finals	CH	Medium Varsity DI Game Day Finals	DA	Junior High Hip Hop Finals			CH	Large Junior Varsity DI Intermediate Finals		
DA	Medium Varsity DI Hip Hop Finals	CH	Small Varsity DI Game Day Finals	DA	Junior High Jazz Finals	REC	Traditional Rec - 14Y Game Day Finals	CH	Small Junior High Intermediate Finals		
DA	Medium Varsity DI Pom Finals	CH	Super Varsity DI Game Day Finals	DA	Junior High Kick Finals	REC	Traditional Rec - 11-18Y Game Day Finals	CH	Small Junior Varsity DI Intermediate Finals		
DA	Small Varsity DI Jazz Finals			DA	Junior High Pom Finals			CH	Large Varsity DI Intermediate Finals		
DA	Small Varsity DI Pom Finals	REC	Traditional Rec - 11-18Y Finals	DA	Junior Varsity DI Game Day Finals	CH	Small Varsity Coed DI Game Day Finals	CH	Small Varsity DI Intermediate Finals		
		REC	Traditional Rec - 12Y Finals	DA	Junior Varsity DI Hip Hop Finals	CH	Large Varsity Coed DI Game Day Finals	CH	Varsity Coed DI Intermediate Finals		
CH	Medium Varsity DI Finals	REC	Traditional Rec - 14Y Finals	DA	Junior Varsity DI Jazz Finals						
CH	Small Varsity Coed DI Finals	REC	Traditional Rec Intermediate - 10Y Finals	DA	Junior Varsity DI Kick Finals						
CH	Small Varsity DI Finals			DA	Junior Varsity DI Pom Finals						
				DA	Large Varsity DI Game Day Finals						
DA	Small Varsity DI Hip Hop Finals*			DA	Large Varsity DI Game Day Finals						
DA	Medium Varsity DI Jazz Finals*			DA	Medium Varsity DI Game Day Finals						
CH	Large Varsity DI Finals*			DA	Small Varsity DI Game Day Finals						
CH	Large Varsity Coed DI Finals*			DA	Varsity Intermediate DI Hip Hop Finals						
CH	Super Varsity DI Finals*			DA	Varsity Intermediate DI Jazz Finals						
*Divisons may compete on Saturday or Sunday				DA	Varsity Intermediate DI Pom Finals						
				WSP	World Performance Cheer Divisions						

Please note that the times and divisions listed above are not presented in chronological order and are only estimates for the event schedule. While divisions will not be scheduled earlier or later than the times indicated, the specific day of each division may be adjusted depending on the final number of teams registered for the event.

SAMPLE

9/10/2026

UCA Cheerleading Nationals Trip Cost Estimate 2027

Accommodations: $1,079

- Includes 5 nights, 3-day Disney Park tickets, tickets to ESPN center, and competition fees for 1st performance

2nd Performance fee- $50 per athlete

Total Airfare roundtrip: approx. $431

- This is an average of the current prices listed. We will continue to shop around for the best price, including looking at Orlando, Tampa, and Fort Lauderdale airports.

Transportation to and from hotel provided by OurBus: price included in airfare total above

Transportation to and from school provided by PHS: $0- covered by PHS

Total cost per athlete: $1,560

Last year we held a Bag Bingo, hosted twice the amount of teams at our Battle at the Ridge competition, and had a spirit stand at the additional home football games which generated more revenue for the team than anticipated. With that money Booster will be able to refund each of the 30 families the full camp payment and 3 camp-uniform shirts.

In addition for Nationals trip:

- Each athlete received food vouchers to cover every meal while on the trip
- Booster covered $900 per athlete off of the total cost for the trip

Each athlete paid $582 for the entire trip

Accommodations for students with financial difficulties:

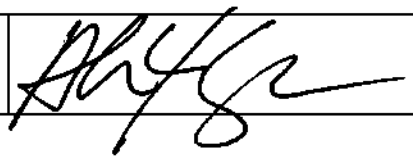
- Families can contact the Booster team for additional support.

Overnight Trip Request Form

Pennridge Varsity Cheerleading 2026-2027

School/ Group	Pennridge High School Varsity Cheerleading
Event Name	National Cheerleading Competition hosted by UCA in Disney World, Florida.
Destination Address	The Competition is held at the ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex 700 S Victory Way, Orlando, FL 34747
Itinerary	Tuesday 2/2/27- Leave from Philadelphia airport and fly into Orlando or Ft. Lauderdale, arrive at hotel Wednesday 2/3/27- Warm-up day: register with UCA, ESPN complex field time- run through routines, Disney's All Star Sorts Resort- practice time on football field Thursday 2/4/27- Prelims for Game Day routine and Semi-Finals for Traditional routine Friday 2/5/27- Semi-finals for Game Day routine Saturday 2/6/27- Finals for both Game Day and Traditional routines Sunday 2/7/27- Leave from Orlando or Ft. Lauderdale airport and arrive in Philadelphia airport, travel home **Times are TBD- Flights have not been purchased yet and competition schedule times have not been set by UCA
Students (grade levels)	Students are in grades 9-12
Number of students	14
Staff/ Coaches names	Kathryn Harrington, Courtney Stanlaw, Sarah Funk, Memory Harrington
Number of staff	4
Departure date/time	Tuesday, February 2, 2027- time is TBD- Our plan is to have the students complete a ½ day before leaving for the airport.
Return date/time	Sunday, February 7, 2027- time is TBD- We will aim for a late morning/ early afternoon flight home
School days missed	Tuesday 2/2/27- attend school for Blocks 1 & 2 and leave ½ day depending on flight plans Wednesday 2/3, Thursday 2/4, & Friday 2/5 -Full day absent from school
Precedent (Has the trip occurred in the past? When?)	Yes- The Pennridge cheerleading team has been going to Nationals on a regular basis for a number of years, including the last four years, 2023, 2024, 2025, & 2026.
Total Estimated cost	The cost per athlete will be approximately $1,560. This includes competition fees, airfare, hotel accommodations, transportation, and park fees for three days. The team has been doing fundraising to offset the costs. The family of each athlete pays a monthly fee to the booster for this trip. Each chaperone pays their own way to participate on the trip. Any money that is not used toward the trip would be refunded to parents. There have been several fundraisers planned to help defer the cost to individual athletes who may have financial difficulty that include: • Cheer Clinics x2 • Sponsorship Shirts • Bag Bingo • Raffle baskets • Perkasie Fall Festival • Perkasie Tree Lighting

	• Pennridge Craft Fair • Battle at the Ridge cheer competition • Clothing drives x2
Per Student cost	$1,560- Last year we raised enough money that families only paid $582 for each athlete which included three meals a day for the entire trip.
Funding Sources	The Booster club collects money from the families and organizes fundraising events.
Chaperone Names	Michelle Bogle & Amanda Parker
Student: Chaperone ratio	3.5:1- Athletes to coaches- Because of the busy schedule times, parent chaperones will only be with the girls if support is needed.
Security at the event/lodging	The cheerleaders will be staying at a Disney resort that has gated access and security staff for all of their properties. The cheerleaders will be required to stay on Disney property only and be accompanied by a coach or chaperone at all times.
Emergency Plans	We will follow the protocol set forth by the airline and/or UCA's contract with Disney. Coaches will have all emergency contact information on hand for every athlete and use the BAND app and SportsYou to communicate with families.
Other Information	

Principal/ Administrator Signature		**Date**	10/8/21

Attachments Required

- Full Itinerary (with addresses)
- Trip Cost Estimate Worksheet. Include a description of accommodation for students who may have financial difficulty.

Pennridge School District – Field Trip Request Form

This form must be completed by the teacher(s) in collaboration with the principal. Requests must be submitted at least four (4) weeks prior to the trip. Overnight/extended trips must be submitted at least ninety (90) days prior to departure for Board approval. Approved forms must be attached to the TripFinder transportation request.

Teacher and School Information

Teacher (s) Name	Christa Schimitsch	Sub needed?	Yes
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		Sub needed?	
School	Pennridge High School		
Grade (s)	11		
Course/Subject	Choir		
Number of Students	Anticipated - 1		
Number of Staff	1		
Number of Chaperones	NafMe provides chaperones for all students		

Trip Information

Destination	Rhode Island Convention Center
Description of Activity	NafMe All-Eastern Choir - students stay overnight at a hotel. They sing music with some of the best students on the eastern coast. Once taken to the festival, the students are in the care of NafMe, who provide chaperones for the overnight stays.

Relevance to Curriculum	Students will perform advanced music with a guest conductor over the 3 days and collaborate with some of the best student singers in the area.
Address (es)	1 Sabin St, Providence, RI 02903
Date (s)	04/01/27-04/04/27

(48 Passengers per Large Bus)

Transportation Type - (District Bus, Van, Outside Vendor)	None - student will be transported to the festival by parents and be picked up after the concert by parents	# of Buses:

Trip Timing

School Departure Time	N/A - leave their homes around 9am
Destination Arrival Time	N/A - arrive in RI around 3pm
Destination Departure Time	N/A - Concert at on Saturday
Return Time	N/A - Parents take students home

Nurse Needed - one of our tickets is allotted for the nurse

Special Accommodations - n/a

Contact Name Contact - Christa Schimitsch

Phone Number - 5708320245

Cost and Equity

Cost Per Student Including Transportation	Est. $600 - built into our yearly music budget
Method of Ensuring Equity (no student excluded due to cost)	Students submit application based on their All-State ranking (anticipated that Caiden Woll will be selected)
Total Number of Substitutes Required	1 - for 04/01/27 - 04/02/27

Additional Requirements Checklist

- Transportation availability checked with Transportation Department
- Trip falls within distance and time requirement
- Trip location is accessible for all students (check IEP and 505 requirements
- Supervision Plan is in place.

Approvals

Principal Approval Signature		Date	8/28/26
Assistant Superintendent Approval Signature		Date	