

2016 AG Indoor Guard and Percussion Ensemble: Atlantic Coast Championships in Wildwood, NJ



General Information

As you know, the culmination of the competitive indoor season is the trip to All Chapter Championships in Wildwood, NJ from April 28-May 1. The students will have the opportunity to compete in a championship quality venue as well as enjoy the sights of the Wildwood Boardwalk. The competition schedule is still TBD but in general the teams will have a prelims/semi-finals/finals competition, rehearsal time, meal-time, and free time for the boardwalk, beach, and Morey's Pier. A detailed itinerary will be available later in the season when we have the performance times.

Overnight permission forms will be distributed later in the season. Please return those to your staff member in a timely fashion.

Students will be financially responsible for any damage to the hotel, rehearsal, or performance facilities.

Students will be held to the same rules and regulations of Avon Grove High School while on the trip. Any students that are in violation of school regulations will be sent home, at the cost of the parent, with no refund.

Parent Chaperones

We will need several parents to chaperone, prepare food, etc. The parents that have gone with us in the past have had a great time and we hope you will consider joining us for this year's trip. All chaperones must have their clearances submitted to AGSD. If you do not, please visit the AG Website:

<http://www.avongrove.org/Volunteers.aspx>

Information to sign up will be available on the Sign Up Genius (coming soon).

Parents should follow the same payment schedule as students.

Note: You must sign up AND make payments to be eligible to chaperone.

Payment Schedule

The total cost for the trip will be between \$300 and \$350 per person (add \$60 for a parent single room). The final cost will be determined by the entrance fees, transportation costs, and the number of participants. Keep in mind that we are working hard to keep the trip as inexpensive as possible.

The cost of the trip includes (final cost breakdown available when final price is determined):

- TOB Entry Fee, includes
 - Entry to Competitions
 - Admission and rides at Morey's Pier
 - Tram Car
 - Hotel
- Rehearsal Facilities
- Transportation to and from AGHS and as needed in Wildwood
- Scheduled Group Meals

Take advantage of SCRIP to help reduce your trip costs.

Payment Plan

	ACCs in Wildwood, NJ	
Due Date	<u>2016 Estimated Costs</u> \$300-\$350 Per Student \$250-\$300 Per Chaperone (+\$60 Single Room upcharge if requested)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All checks should be made out to AGIMBA. • Put your name and <i>Indoor Guard or Percussion</i> and WILDWOOD on the envelope • Drop the payment in the Music Dept. Drop Box • You may pay more than the recommended payment at any time. • Parents wishing to chaperone should make payments toward that trip as well. Payments do NOT sign you up to chaperone; you must also sign up through the SIGN UP GENIUS.
December 3, 2015	\$50 Deposit	
January 7, 2016	\$50 Deposit	
January 21, 2016	\$50 Deposit	
February 11, 2016	\$50 Deposit	
February 25, 2016	\$50 Deposit	
March 10, 2016	\$50 Deposit	
March 24, 2016	Makeup payments if needed	
April 14, 2016	\$0-\$60 (Wildwood Balance)	

- Payment amounts toward the end of the season will be adjusted based on the success of our fundraisers! Let's work hard to lower those amounts!
- Payments are NON-REFUNDABLE if the student drops out of the program after signing the contract.
- Students are responsible for the costs of any damage they cause to the hotel, rehearsal, or performance facilities.