SECTION ASSESSMENT

BOYERTOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

"to enable all students to succeed in a changing world"

Dear Students & Families of the Class of 2022,

It is with great disappointment that we are unable to sanction the BASH senior class trip this school year. Unfortunately, this is the result of the rising Covid numbers due to the Delta variant, the potential for pandemic-forced airline cancellations, and new constraints by Disney limiting the number of people allowed to stay at their hotels and visit the parks. In addition, we are concerned about the impact of travel bands potentially separating students and chaperones on the trip in the event they are infected with Covid. We feel it is too much of a risk for us to put our students through airports and on airplanes to travel to Disney, especially with Florida's vastly increasing Covid cases. Finally, by canceling now we are able to ensure a full refund to all of the students who have signed up for the trip.

To receive a full refund, you will need to provide the name that was on the credit/debit card that was used to make the EZSchoolPay payment as well as your address so that a check may be sent to you. Please <u>Click Here</u> for the Google Form link to fill in this information (your student will need to be logged into their BASD Gmail account to complete the form).

Your request for a refund must be submitted by October 15, 2021. The refund process may take up to a month to take place, and we appreciate your patience on this matter. Any questions regarding the refund should be directed to Denise Ernst, Accounting Manager, at dernst@boyertownasd.org.

In order to allow our students, the opportunity to share time with their families during the week of March 8, 2022, through March 12, 2022, we have worked with our travel company, World Class Vacations, to provide an alternative non-school sponsored option for Class of 2022 families. Attached is the flyer/reservation form for this trip, or Click Here.

Finally, if you would like to take an alternative family trip, please complete the <u>Educational Trip/Tour Form</u> and return it to Mrs. Snyder (<u>BSnyder@boyertownasd.org</u>) in the attendance office three days prior to your trip.

Thank you in advance for your understanding, as we navigate these unprecedented times.

BASH Administration team.

Sincerely,

E. Wayne Foley, Ed.D.

Principal