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Council Rock North Band Travels To Hawaii, Performs At Pearl Harbor

Six day tour includes performances at the Pearl Harbor National Monument, visits to Diamond Head and the Dole Pineapple Plantation.



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The band took a guided tour featuring the National Cemetery of the Pacific (Punchbowl), the Governor's Mansion, the State Capitol Building, Iolani Palace and the King Kamehameha Statue (above). (Council Rock North Band)

NEWTOWN, PA — Forty members of the Council Rock High School North Marching Band traveled to the Aloha State in early April where they performed at the USS Battleship Missouri Memorial and at the Ala Moana Center in Honolulu.

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The band on the deck of the USS Missouri where the peace treaty was signed with Japan in 1945 ending World War II. (photo by Council Rock North Band)

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The band next to the USS Missouri. (photo by Council Rock North Band)

On Saturday, April 1 at Peal Harbor, the musicians performed on the deck next to the USS Battleship Missouri Museum. It was on this ship that the peace treaty with Japan was signed in 1945 ending World War II. The performance was followed by a concert at the Pearl Harbor Aviation Museum that afternoon.

On Sunday, April 2 the morning began with hiking at Diamond Head State Monument, the home to stunning views of the Pacific Ocean and Honolulu.

That afternoon, the band was scheduled to perform at Kapiolani Park

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Members of the band at the Diamond Head State Monument. (photo by Council Rock North Band)

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Instead, a beach BBQ with the Council Rock South Orchestra was held indoors at the historic Hawaii Theater (circa 1900). After noshing on "to go" BBQ, the

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aesthetic education has on students, describing how a vibrant music education translates into an education on being more human.

Later that day they visited the Dole Pineapple Plantation and enjoyed some fresh Dole Whip.

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At its peak, the plantation was the largest employer on the island with more than 4,000 workers¹.

Today, the plantation is a popular tourist destination where visitors tour the grounds and see how pineapples are grown, as well as enjoy other attractions like playgrounds and food stands.

They also visited the Polynesian Cultural Center where they learned about the culture of the Pacific Islands, experienced canoe rides, ukulele lessons, seven different villages and their way of life ending the day with a traditional Polynesian Feast and show.

The final day of the tour - Wednesday, April 5 - was spent exploring Waikiki, followed by its departure on overnight flights home returning to Newtown

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"From performing pieces that are culturally and historically relevant, to learning more about other cultures and our own American history, to navigating being half a world away from home and living with peers for a week, Council Rock North Music provides unique opportunities for their students," Bishop added.

"As these students become the decision makers of tomorrow, I hope that they continue to remember and value these experiences. Furthermore, I hope that these students choose to show that they value these experiences by protecting them for future generations."

Performing at the Pearl Harbor Aviation Museum. (photo by Council Rock North Band)

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