



# COSTA RICA TOUR

**June 8-15, 2023**

Open to currently enrolled PCC singers in Grades 6-12



The **Instituto Costarricense Pro Música Coral** invites members of the Pensacola Children's Chorus to experience a once-in-a-lifetime trip to the beautiful and exotic country of **Costa Rica**. Not only will this trip feature collaborative performances with Costa Rican choirs, participants will enjoy all the best sight-seeing and travel experiences that Costa Rica has to offer. Exciting sights include the **Arenal Volcano, La Paz Waterfalls and Animal Sanctuary**, and the **Doka Coffee Plantation**. This 8-day international adventure is just a short plane ride away—and it's even on Central time! Don't miss the opportunity to join PCC for this incredible travel experience.

*This concert and tour experience is administered in partnership with Perform International.*



# PRICING INFORMATION

Priced per participant – June 8-15, 2023

## SINGER PRICING

Quad occupancy <u>without</u> airfare (4/room)	\$2,285
Double occupancy <u>without</u> airfare (singer must room with parent <i>chaperone</i> )	\$2,320
Airfare	add \$635

## CHAPERONE PRICING

Double occupancy <u>without</u> airfare (2/room)	\$2,320
Single occupancy <u>without</u> airfare (2/room)	\$2,860
Airfare	add \$635

## TAGALONG PRICING

Quad occupancy <u>without</u> airfare (4/room)	\$2,365
Triple occupancy <u>without</u> airfare (3/room)	\$2,415
Double occupancy <u>without</u> airfare (2/room)	\$2,460
Single occupancy <u>without</u> airfare (1/room)	\$2,975
Airfare	add \$635

## TOUR PRICE INCLUDES...

- Roundtrip airfare from Pensacola to San Jose, Costa Rica in economy class
- Airline taxes and surcharges up to \$100/person (airfare packages only)
- Coach transportation throughout the itinerary as specified
- Bilingual tour guide throughout the tour
- Accommodations in superior tourist class hotels in San José and Arenal
- Daily breakfast, lunch, and dinner
- Sightseeing experiences per the itinerary
- Concerts and musical experiences per the itinerary
- Tips and gratuities for tour manager and driver

## TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE...

- Airport taxes/surcharges in excess of \$100/person
- Checked luggage (est. \$30 per route)
- Travel insurance\*

*\*In today's changing travel environment, it's important to protect your travel investment. Perform International offers personalized travel insurance through Travelex Insurance Services. [Click here](#) to get a quote to secure your trip.*

**Pricing may fluctuate due to unpredictable travel circumstances. In all instances, neither the Pensacola Children's Chorus nor Perform International will assume financial responsibility for any increases in trip price.**

# PAYMENT SCHEDULE

All payments will be handled directly through Pensacola Children’s Chorus. PCC’s standard financial policies apply.

Bi-Monthly Payment Plan			Monthly Payment Plan		
Deposit	\$237.50	October 1, 2022	Deposit	\$475	October 15, 2022
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1	\$237.50	November 1, 2022	1	\$475	November 15, 2022
2	\$237.50	November 15, 2022			
3	\$237.50	December 1, 2022	2	\$475	December 15, 2022
4	\$237.50	December 15, 2022			
5	\$237.50	January 1, 2023	3	\$475	January 15, 2022
6	\$237.50	January 15, 2023			
7	\$237.50	February 1, 2023	4	\$475	February 15, 2022
8	\$237.50	February 15, 2023			
9	\$237.50	March 1, 2023	5	\$475	March 15, 2022
10	\$237.50	March 15, 2023			
Final	Balance	April 15, 2023	Final	Balance	April 15, 2022

## CANCELATION SCHEDULE

Cancellation must be received by Pensacola Children’s Chorus in writing.

### If cancellation notice is received...

On or before February 8, 2023

On or before March 9, 2023

On or before April 8, 2023

On or before April 23, 2023

After April 24, 2023

### Refund will equate to...

100% minus \$475\*

100% minus \$800\*

100% minus \$1,000\*

100% minus \$2,300\*

No refund\*

\*Cancellation fees are calculated by Perform International.

## PAYMENT TERMS & PROCEDURES

### Automatic Payments

Trip participants may enroll in automatic payments through PCC’s payment processing system. ACH bank drafts and credit cards are accepted. Credit cards will incur a 3.49% handling fee. ACH bank drafts will incur a 1.00% handling fee.

### Manual Payment

Trip participants can submit cash/check/money order according to the payment schedule. Electronic invoices will be sent as a courtesy, though they will not be eligible for click-to-pay. For those interested in click-to-pay, please register for automatic payments.

### Late Payments

Accounts which are delinquent for more than 30 days will incur a 10% late fee.

### Delinquency

Accounts that have an overdue balance greater than 25% of the total amount due per traveler on or before December 15, 2022, will be automatically dropped from the trip with no refund.

# TOUR FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

Several fundraising options throughout the season are scheduled to help singers reduce the cost of their trip. Fundraising can cover 100% of your trip cost if you plan accordingly.

Spirit nights at local restaurants will benefit the entire cost of the tour. Payouts will be disbursed evenly among all student participants and will be reflected in the final balance.

## September-November

Holiday Wreaths & Ferns, Citrus, Pies & Pecans

- Great for company gifts or for friends/family/yourself
- Advanced orders will be placed.
- Singers will be responsible for collecting payment and distributing product

## November-December

Christmas on the Coast Ticket Fundraiser

- Singers will be able to sell discounted tickets to friends and family
- 50% of each ticket sold will go toward the singer's tour account
- Singers will be responsible for collecting payment and delivering tickets

## January-March

Bundt Cakes

- Coordinated with Nothing Bundt Cakes
- Singers will be responsible for collecting payment and delivering tickets

One World, Many Voices Ticket Fundraiser

- Singers will be able to sell discounted tickets to friends and family
- 50% of each ticket sold will go toward the singer's tour account
- Singers will be responsible for collecting payment and delivering tickets

DeLuna Coffee

- Great for your home or for gifts
- Advanced orders will be placed
- Singers will be responsible for collecting payment and distributing product

## April-May

Showtime Ticket Fundraiser

- Singers will be able to sell discounted tickets to friends and family
- 50% of each ticket sold will go toward the singer's tour account
- Singers will be responsible for collecting payment and delivering tickets
- Singers will receive a refund for the total they earned

***Other fundraisers are in the works and will be announced as soon as we are able. Suggestions welcomed!***

# CHAPERONE/NON-PERFORMER POLICY

The Pensacola Children's Chorus welcomes parents, family members, and friends to accompany us on this tour. If you are considering joining us on this trip, please review the following information:

## CHAPERONE

Chaperones are an essential component of every tour. As an extension of staff leadership, chaperones ensure that PCC's standards of conduct are observed by all singers throughout the tour. Chaperoning is a great way to experience the trip through the eyes of our singers. The best chaperones play a crucial role in cultivating a positive and memorable tour experience.

A participating singer's parent/guardian or grandparent can serve as a chaperone. Parents/guardians are preferred. Because chaperones play such a vital role in the trip experience and are entrusted with a great deal of responsibility, PCC staff members carefully vet chaperones thoroughly. If you are interested in becoming a chaperone, please contact Ms. Child at [jchild@pensacolasings.org](mailto:jchild@pensacolasings.org).

*In order to accompany your child on the trip, you must register as a chaperone. Please note that registering as a chaperone does not guarantee a spot on the trip. No adults may register on the singer itinerary unless they are selected as a chaperone.*

## TAGALONG

Parents, friends, and family members are welcome to "tag-along." Tagalongs will travel with PCC to Costa Rica, participate in certain tourist activities, and share in musical experiences. However, tagalongs will follow a separate itinerary, including staying at separate lodging. Additional fees may apply. *Tagalong parents are not chaperones and may not interfere with trip activities, singer management, or chaperone authority.*

***Please reach out to PCC Staff to learn which option is best for you!***