

Band Announcements 11/19

Winter Concert

- **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11TH** (this is changed from the original calendar, per my email a few weeks ago).
- High School Auditorium
- Students report to High School Band Room.
- Bring: instrument, music book/sheet music, uniform (see below).

Group	Report Time	Concert Start Time	Approximate Concert End Time
6th Grade Band	6:30 PM	7:00 PM	7:25 PM
8th Grade Choir	6:40 PM	Immediately after 6th Grade Band	7:40 PM
7th Grade Band	7:00 PM	7:40 PM	8:30 PM
8th Grade Band	7:00 PM	Immediately after 7th Grade Band	8:30 PM

Practice Journals over break

- Students are expected to take their instruments home over Thanksgiving break, due to our upcoming concert.
- There IS a practice journal due next Tuesday, 11/27.
- Any practicing over Winter Break is extra credit.

Concert Uniform

- White shirt (must be long sleeved and collared for 7th and 8th graders).
- Black dress pants (not leggings or jeans).
- ALL black shoes.
- Black socks (no bare feet/ankles showing).
- Uniform vest (7th and 8th graders only--will be handed out at concert).

Candy Bar Sale

- Sale ends on December 7th. This is the last day to turn in money!
- We are currently out of chocolate boxes, but should have some more next week when students start bringing in their unsold chocolate so we can redistribute it.

Wreath Pick-ups

- Saturday, December 1st at the HIGH SCHOOL band room.

Instrument Step-Up Night

- On Thursday, 11/29, we will be hosting an Instrument Step-Up night with representatives from Meyer Music.
- If you have a student who is ready to move up to an intermediate instrument and you are renting through Meyer, you can apply the full amount you have paid on your beginner instrument toward a step-up.
- If you own your instrument, you can start a new rent-to-own contract if you wish.
- A flyer will be sent home with more information tomorrow in class.
- This is not required at all, but if you have been thinking about an instrument upgrade, this is a great way to do it!