

Holiday Band Concert!

The Holiday Band Concert is Thursday, December 20th at 7:00PM at the Whitney High School Theater! Call time for Color Guard is 4:30PM for a dress rehearsal, call time for winds and percussion is 5:00PM to unload equipment and do a sound check on stage. Please use this info sheet to help you prepare for this important concert.

Rehearsal Schedule

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| Monday (12/17) | 6:30AM Jazz Band Rehearsal - run all tunes 3:00-4:00PM Disneyland Parade Rehearsal with Color Guard on track 4:00-5:30PM "Sing Along with Santa," "A Christmas Tale," "Home Alone" |
| Tuesday (12/18) | 6:45AM CALL TIME FOR DISNEYLAND - DO NOT BE LATE. 7:00AM Load uhaul and busses ASAP and depart for Disneyland 1:30PM Meet at Big Thunder Trail Stagecoach for parade 3:21PM Parade Step-Off (from "It's a Small World" toward "Main Street, USA") 10:00PM Meet outside front entrance of Disneyland - DO NOT BE LATE. 11:00PM Approximate return time at Gahr HS. Everyone helps to unload. |
| Wednesday (12/19) | 7:00AM CALL TIME IN MPR FOR STAFF PERFORMANCE <i>Wear blue jeans, black "Gahr Band" polo shirt OR black band jacket, and Santa hat</i> 3:00-6:00PM Combined Band and Wind Ensemble rehearsal / run-throughs 6:30PM MANDATORY WINTER GUARD PARENT/STUDENT MEETING! |
| Thursday (12/20) | 6:30AM Jazz Band Rehearsal - run-through <i>6th Period - Percussion Load Equipment</i> TAKE INSTRUMENTS & ALL MUSIC WITH YOU AFTER SCHOOL! 4:30PM Color Guard call time to run routine on stage 5:00PM Percussion/Winds Call Time to unload and for Sound Check on stage 6:45PM Doors open - PRE-SALE ONLY - NO WALK-UPS. 7:00PM Holiday Band Concert Starts! 8:30PM Approximate end time. Please help clear the stage and load equipment. |
| Friday (12/21) | WINTER DRUMLINE PAYMENT #1 DUE - \$200 PLEASE TAKE ALL INSTRUMENTS AND MUSIC HOME FOR THE BREAK. |

These after school rehearsals are the only opportunity we have to combine all the performers for each ensemble. **Attendance is mandatory.**

Concert Attire

Concert attire is all black and Santa/holiday hats. Solid black, long-sleeve, button-up, collared dress shirt. Black slacks (no jeans). Black belt for pants. Long, black socks and black dress shoes (or marching band shoes). Girls have the option of wearing a full-length, all black concert gown (no skirts). **Students that do not have the correct attire may not perform at the concert and their grade will be adjusted according to the grading policy. No exceptions.** (i.e. white socks, tennis shoes, short sleeve shirt, jeans...).

Dessert Donations

We are asking each family to bring a dessert item. We will be offering these outside the theater during intermission for a suggested donation. The boosters will be providing beverages such as hot chocolate and coffee. **Please bring your food donations directly to the theater at the 5:00PM sound check.** Thank you!

