

02-01-18 Rehearsal Notes

IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES

February 8 - SEC Registration DEADLINE has been extended one extra week

February 15 - Spring Concert Well-Wishers are due for those using them to cover anyfees/tuition. This is about a 9 week extension beyond the regular December registration fee deadline.

March 3, 2018 – 17th annual Solo and Ensemble Contest

March 22, 2018 – Band Open House, **please invite people. Wear your band apparel.**

March 29, 2018 – **NO BAND** in observance of Holy Thursday

Sweeping/Trash Assignments for next rehearsal after Symphonic band

You must get a sub if you will not be there. 02/08/18 Megan W, Luke W

SECTIONALS FOR 02-08-18 - Note special times shown in red

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| Cadet | 5:00-5:15pm | Trombones, baritones | Kitchen |
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| Junior | 5:45-6:00pm | Percussion | Kitchen |
| Senior | 6:45-7:00pm | Percussion | Kitchen |
| Symphonic | 7:45-8:00pm | Percussion | Kitchen |

MUSIC NOTES

Cadets

SECTIONALS

5:00-5:15pm – KITCHEN – Trombones and baritones w/Amy M

5:00-5:15pm – In Cornelius Hall, Drums w/Kristen and Mrs. W-P

FOR HOMEWORK –

PLAY ALL SONGS WITH RECORDINGS from CD, CD-Rom or My EE Library! Practicing with a recording should help the student HEAR if they are playing the notes correctly.

FOR HOMEWORK – Repeat Ex 140, 141, 142, Work on pages 28 and 29
Page 42 - rhythm lines 37, 41, 45

CADET PERFORMANCE SONGS

In your daily practice pay special attention to the following songs for the Spring Cadet Performance. This list will grow as songs are added.

77 - Sakura, Sakura

97 – Trombone Rag

103 – Minuet, **A** – woodwinds, **B** – brass

131 – Kum Bah Yah, **A** – Flutes, clarinets, oboe, bells **B** – Trumpets, saxes, French horns **C** – Low brass

152 - School Spirit

153 - Carnival of Venice

Cadets and parents, be sure to also read the General Notes further down.

Notes to Junior, Senior, and Symphonic bands –

ARE YOU MISSING MUSIC?

Band members should have received music for every song listed in the Music Notes. If you are missing music, email Mrs. Borow **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE** with the details. **DO NOT WAIT** until our next practice.

IMPORTANT - MARK TITLES ON ALL PAGES BEFORE NEXT WEEK

On any song with multiple pages check to make sure the title is at the top of each page. If it is not there, use a pencil to print the title at the top of each page.

Junior (see notes above)

SECTIONALS - 5:45 – 6pm – KITCHEN – Percussion w/Kristen and Alexia

on [Yankee Doodle Drums](#) and [Fires of Bandai](#)

5:45 – 6pm – HALL – NONE

Star Spangled Banner
Come Holy Ghost/ God Whose Almighty Word
Satin Doll
Columbia
Fires of Bandai
Sweet Caroline

For just this week, here is a link to Neil Diamond's original 1969 hit [Sweet Caroline](#)

As a side note, please say a prayer for Mr. Diamond who announced this past week he is discontinuing performing due to his Parkinson's disease.

Adventure on Snake River
Yankee Doodle Drums
God Bless America
September

For just this week here is a link to the original 1978 Earth Wind and Fire hit, [September](#)

Senior (see notes above)

SECTIONALS– 6:45 - 7:00pm – KITCHEN – Percussion on [Flashfire](#) and [Yankee Doodle Drums](#)

6:45 - 7:00pm – HALL – NONE

Star-Spangled Banner
Seven Springs
In a Gentle Rain
Classical Gas

For just this week, here is a link to Mason William's original 1968 hit [Classical Gas](#)

Hymn for a Child
Happy
Flashfire
Prince of Egypt
Yankee Doodle Drums
Klezmer Dances
God Bless America
September

For just this week here is a link to the original 1978 Earth Wind and Fire hit, [September](#)

Scherzo from Symphony No. 4

Symphonic (see notes above)

SECTIONALS - 7:45-8pm – KITCHEN – Percussion on [Disco Inferno](#)

7:45-8pm – HALL – NONE

Star-Spangled Banner
Amazing Grace
Scherzo from Symphony No.9
Finale from Sym in F No.4
Disco Inferno
March from 1941
Crown Him with Many Crowns
Golden Age of the Xylophone

Concerto For Clarinet
Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest
September

For just this week here is a link to the original 1978 Earth Wind and Fire hit, [September](#)

Yankee Doodle Drums
God Bless America
Old Comrades

GENERAL NOTES

THANK YOU, GRACIAS, MERCI

The director wishes to thank all those who came the last couple weeks to help distribute music for the second trimester. She also appreciates those who helped collect and sort the music from the first trimester. It all helped to put trimester one to bed and launch trimester two very efficiently.

SEC VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED

If your family is participating, we ask that you strongly consider volunteering for part of the day. See [The WSHSB Sign-up Schedule](#) for the 7 jobs which remain open as of 2/01/18.

SYMPHONIC MEMBERS TO PERFORM AT ICHE

The 2018 Annual ICHE Convention is May 31 to June 2 at Calvary Church in Naperville. We have been invited to perform on the Thursday from 11:30 to 12. Symphonic members will represent the band. Sign up at the front table.

While the director doesn't require it, she strongly urges every Symphonic member to adjust their schedule to participate in this performance. It is the main state convention for Illinois home schoolers. **This performance is also a very important recruiting effort for our band program.**

NEW SIGN-UPS AT FRONT TABLE

1. For Symphonic members and the ICHE performance, **MOST IMPORTANT** a YES or NO response is required.
2. For adults willing to be called upon to sub for open positions in Booster jobs.
3. **CALLING ALL 2018 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES**
If you are graduating from high school this year, make sure you write your name is on the list at the front table. Deadline is April 19. NOTE – This request has nothing to do with members aging out of the student classification into the adult helper classification. It is to facilitate our recognizing those making their academic graduation regardless of age.

FRENCH HORN FOR SALE

Mrs. Lisa Ashley, a teacher of a number of WSHSB students, has a French horn for sale. It is a used Holton Double French Horn, no mouthpiece, scratched up, but not dented, and it is in "ready to go" working order. She bought a new case for it. Asking \$1,400 but will consider other offers. She said "New Holton 179's go for 4,000.00 or more. The really good used ones go for 3,000.00 or so. Her contact information - 630-890-9730 or lbsmerk@aol.com.

INDOOR GARAGE SALE

Horn Stash, 744 E. Northwest Hwy in Palatine is having an Indoor Garage Sale February 17, 10 to 4, with deals on instruments, music books and more.