SEABROOK BAND FIELD TRIP HONOR BAND RECORDING EVENTS – MAY 2024

Hello Band Parents,

Below are the letters/ permission slips for the 4 recording performances that we have in May. Please read through the itineraries carefully. As mentioned in my past email, it's crucial to have the students present at each of the performances since they are being recorded and are potentially being used for our honor band compilation. The Texas Honor Band Competition allows us to submit one recording of each of our 3 pieces from the 4 various performances. The final 3 compiled recordings will go through a rigorous listening contest at the region, area, and state levels throughout the summer. We have a very good chance to make it to the state round according to our Fine Arts Director; those that are ranked at the state round are considered the top band programs in the state of Texas.

UNIVERSITY CONCERTS

SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY - HUNTSVILLE, TX - FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2024

The Seabrook Wind Ensemble will be performing at the Sam Houston State University School of Music in the new state of the art James and Nancy Gaertner Performing Arts Center. This is a wonderful opportunity to give the kids a chance to play in an amazing performance hall.

We are so fortunate to have had an amazing fundraiser at the beginning of the semester, in addition with support from our district Visual and Performing Arts Department, the trip is essentially paid for. However, with the cost of the travel and venue being taken care of, we are asking for the kids to assist in paying \$10.00 each to cover the cost of lunch and driver gratuity, which is not covered by the district due to formal restrictions. If you have any financial discrepancies with the request, please contact us by email and we can find a solution.

SHSU Concert Festival Itinerary - Friday, May 3rd

8:15am – Report Time
8:45am – Departure by Charter Bus
9:30am – Buc-ee's Baytown
10:00am – Depart to Huntsville
12:00pm – Arrival
1:00pm – Warm Up
1:45pm – Performance
2:15pm – Finish and load bus / truck
2:45pm – Depart for SIS and Chick-Fil-A Lunch on the bus
4:45pm – 5:15pm – Arrive back at SIS

UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON CONCERT FESTIVAL – FRIDAY, MAY 17TH

The Seabrook Wind Ensemble will be performing at the University of Houston Moores Opera House. We are fortunate to have an amazing university right in our vicinity and this is a great opportunity to let the kids see and hear what the opera house is like. We will travel to Baybrook mall for lunch prior to going to the opera house.

University of Houston - Friday, May 17th

11:15am – Depart SIS
11:45am – Lunch at Baybrook
1:30pm – Depart for UH Moores School of Music
2:15pm – Arrive at UH and unload truck
3:00pm – Warm-Up
4:00pm – Performance
4:30pm – Finish and load bus / truck
5:15pm – Depart for SIS
6:00pm – 6:30pm Arrive at SIS (kids will text parents en route)

HIGH SCHOOL CONCERTS

SEABROOK WIND ENSEMBLE @ CLEAR FALLS HS CONCERT – TUESDAY, MAY 7TH

10:00am – Departure 10:30am – Arrive at CFHS 11:15am – Warm Up 11:45am – Stage Performance 12:15pm – Performance ends and load truck 12:45pm – Depart for SIS 1:15pm – Arrive at SIS

SEABROOK WIND ENSEMBLE @ CLEAR LAKE HS SPRING CONCERT – TUESDAY, MAY 21ST

3:00pm – Depart SIS 3:30pm – Arrive at CLHS 4:30pm – Warm Up 5:00pm – Performance 5:30pm – Performance ends and load truck 6:05pm – Depart at return to SIS at 6:30pm

NON-HONOR BAND EVENTS

- Band Spring Trip Schlitterbahn Galveston Saturday, May 11th 9:00am 5:00pmfgg
- Seabrook Beginner Band Concert Tuesday, May 14th, 2024 @ 6:15pm

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• Seabrook Band 7th & 8th Grade Spring Concert – Wednesday, May 15th @ 6:15pm

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PLEASE INCLUDE \$10 (cash or check) ALONG WITH FORM TO PAY FOR THE CHICK-FIL-A LUNCH ON SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY TRIP

FORM AND MONEY DUE FRIDAY, April 26th

Please make checks out to Spartan Band Boosters

*By signing and submitting this form, I understand that my child is attending the Honor Band field trips in May 2024 and their attendance at each event is crucial in the success of the Wind Ensemble performance. In addition, my signature indicates that my child must abide by the rules and guidelines of the CCISD code of conduct and the SIS Band Handbook. I also understand that my student is responsible for all missed work in their classes while off campus.

Student Name: ______

Parent Name (print): ______

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____