

# OGMS BANDS

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Dear OGMS Band Parents,

Hello! You are cordially invited to our annual winter concert Tuesday, December 6th at 7:00 pm in the OGMS MPR. It has been a busy quarter, and the students have shown tremendous growth and dedication so far this year. We are excited about the upcoming performance and hope that you will join us.

The 6<sup>th</sup> grade band will be opening the concert. After a brief intermission, the 7<sup>th</sup> grade band will perform their music. As always, the concert is free and open to family members who would like to attend. We ask that parents and students stay for the whole concert in order to support the students in other bands. At the latest, the concert should be over by 8:00 pm.

7<sup>th</sup> Grade students need to be in the MPR, in their uniforms, at 5:45 pm. This will allow us to get the set in our seats and have a combined rehearsal prior to our performance. This is extremely important for the 7<sup>th</sup> grade students and the only time that they will have to practice as a full band before their performance. The uniform, as outlined in the handbook, is the white band shirt (which should arrive before the concert if you ordered a new one) on top and black on bottom (**black dress shoes and socks**)--no exceptions and no dress code violations, please. This is one area wherein there is no room for creativity--please impress this upon your children. If girls would like to wear skirts, they should be floor-length, black, and please only minimal jewelry. Lastly, all band shirts need to be tucked in for the duration of the performance.

Please feel free to email me if you have any questions. I look forward to seeing you, and I thank you for the privilege of allowing me to teach your children.

Sincerely,

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