

Cedar Hill Music

The Cedar Hill Music Program Presents



The Sounds of Spring



At Cedar Hill Middle School Gym
~ Admission is by Donation ~

Bake Sales and 50/50 draws!

Tuesday, March 13th, 2018 at 6:30 pm

Featuring the Junior Strings, Orchestra, Junior Concert Choir, Grade 6 Vocal Jazz, Show Choir, Grade 6 Concert Band, Grade 7 Concert Band, the Grade 7 Jazz Band.

Wednesday, March 14th, 2018 at 6:30 pm

Featuring the Intermediate Strings, Advanced Strings, Senior Concert Choir, Grade 7/8 Vocal Jazz, Cantare (Male Vocal Ensemble), Grade 8 Concert Band, and Grade 8 Jazz Band.

All students must perform in full uniform (Music t-shirt, black bottoms, dark shoes) and be in the music room for warm-up at 6:00 p.m. If a student needs to borrow a uniform, please be in the music room by 5:45 p.m. for the t-shirt sign-out. These are the end-of-term concerts so it is mandatory that students are to participate. If there is any reason a student is unable to make it to any performance, the student must submit an explanatory note from a parent/guardian to his/her music teacher at least **7 days before** the concert date.

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Please hand in to your child's music teacher by Wednesday, March 7th

Student name: _____

I will be able to bake something for our Concert Bake sale and bring it to the music room the morning of or an hour before the concert on: (Please circle)
Tuesday **Wednesday**

I will be able to volunteer at our Spring Concert

Parent Name: _____ Contact By Phone/Email: _____

Grade 7 Concert Band Festival Trip 2018



The information package of this music trip has gone out and may be downloaded on our music website. The due date to indicate your child's commitment to this trip was on Friday, March 9th, 2018. The date for the mandatory trip meeting for this trip has been **changed to Thursday, April 5th at 7 p.m.** in the music room. The participating student and one parent/guardian must be in attendance. At this meeting, we will go over the finalized itinerary, behavioural expectations, student responsibilities and duties, the introduction of chaperones, hand out the emergency phone tree and answer any questions that you may have.

Any updates will be done through email so please make sure you are on our email list. If you are not on our list, please sign up on our website at:

<http://cedarhillmusic.weebly.com/contacts.html>

A Reminder About Morning And After School Rehearsals...

Since the New Year has started, some students have been straggling to their morning and after school rehearsals. Please do your best to have students come on time and ready to rehearse.

Attendance has also been inconsistent since the New Year. Please remember that you are part of a team and regular attendance is essential to the ensemble's progress and success!

Grade 8 Concert Band Music Trip Update

The Grade 8 Concert Band is off to Kelowna from April 25th through 28th. Thank you to all of the parents who have volunteered to join us as a chaperone on this exciting trip!

The final payment is due on Thursday, March 1st; information regarding the final payment amount as well as permission and medical forms have been handed out this week.

The mandatory Seattle trip meeting is being held on **Tuesday, April 17th, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.** in the music room. The involved student and one parent/guardian must be present at this meeting.

At this meeting, we will go over the finalized itinerary, behavioural expectations, student responsibilities and duties, the introduction of chaperones, and answer any questions that you may have.

Please know that for all of our trips, no student will be denied the opportunity to participate in any school activity due to an inability to pay. Please contact the school principal Carter Giesbrecht (250-477-6945) if this is a concern .



Updated Music Schedule for 2018 (As of February 12th)



<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Ensembles</u>
FEBRUARY		
23 rd	Professional Development Day	No School
MARCH		
1 st	Kelowna Trip Final Payment, Medical Forms and Permission Forms Due	Grade 8 Concert Band
	Curriculum Completion Afternoon	No Concert Choir or Gr. 7/8 Jazz Choir after school
9 th	Grade 7 Concert Band Trip Payment, Medical Forms and Permission Forms Due	Grade 7 Concert Band
13th and 14th	~ Spring Concerts ~ Cedar Hill Gym 6:30 p.m.	All Ensembles
17th to April 2nd	Spring Break	No School
APRIL		
5 th	Mandatory Grade 7 CB Trip Meeting 7 p.m. in the Music Room	Grade 7 Concert Band
11 th	Greater Victoria Performing Arts Festival	Concert Choir
11 th to 12 th	Grade 7 CB Festival Trip	Grade 7 Concert Band
17 th	Mandatory Grade 8 CB Trip Meeting 7 p.m. in the Music Room	Grade 8 Concert Band
25 th to the 28 th	Grade 8 CB Festival/Performing Trip to Kelowna	Grade 8 Concert Band
27 th	Greater Victoria Performing Arts Festival	Strings