



October Band Dates Symphonic Band



Preparation and Concert Schedule for our Performance at the 2010 University of Kentucky Middle School Band Invitational

Wednesday, October 13 After School Rehearsal @ CMS

3:00 - 4:30 (*parents are welcome to watch rehearsal*)

Monday, October 18 Concert for Parents @ Conner High School

6:30 Report to CHS gym

7:00 Concert Begins

* Listen to HS band after we perform.

Wednesday, October 20 After School Rehearsal @ CMS

3:00 - 4:30; Bob Bass Guest Conductor (*parents are welcome to watch rehearsal*)

Monday, October 25th Performance @ University of Kentucky MS Invitational

1:45 Depart CMS via charter (Lakefront Bus)

3:30 Arrive at GattiTown in Lexington (<http://www.gattitownlexington.com/>)

5:15 Depart GattiTown

5:45 Arrive at the Singletary Center on UK Campus

6:30 Concert Begins - we are the 3rd group to perform. The University of Kentucky will perform immediately after us. As soon as they are done, we will depart Lexington. Best estimate we can give is that buses will return to CMS around 10:00. Students will call when we get to Dry Ridge.



We do have several spaces available if parents want to ride the bus. For all bus riders (including students), the cost is \$10. This will cover half of the bus price, we will cover the rest. In addition, students will need to have dinner money at GattiTown. The pizza buffet is roughly \$6 and they have an arcade, bumper cars, etc. for students if they want to play. If parents want to ride the bus, we will need to have a background check form complete. Parents are also welcome to follow in cars or meet as in Lexington at a later time.

Friday, October 29 Halloween Band Costume Party @ CHS

Students will participate in trick-or-treating, costume contest (\$\$\$ for winners), listen to HS marching band, have fun, and "try" to beat Daughters at a variety of games :-). We would like for all of our 8th grade band students to participate. Parents, you can drop them off and come back later, or stay and have fun with us. We've held this event for 8th graders the last two years, and the kids have a blast - it's a lot of fun! Lots of candy (brush your teeth after) and costumes are very original. Especially when some dress up as Mr. Daughters - then it gets interesting! Will let you know of arrival time the week of. Most probably 7PM.

If you have any questions, email Mr. Daughters: james.daughters@boone.kyschools.us