



## Charlestown Band of Pirates

### Winter Concert Information

Dear Band Families -

This letter is to invite you, your friends and family to our upcoming Winter Concert on Tuesday, December 12th at 6:30pm at Charlestown High School. The concert will feature both Charlestown Middle and Charlestown High ensembles presenting a variety of musical selections including a few Holiday pieces.

Our band members have been working hard in ensemble rehearsals and individual practice to improve their musicianship and they are excited to share their work with an audience.

My goal is to make the evening stress-free and enjoyable for all. Below are some details that will be helpful in planning and preparing for the Winter Concert.

- The concert will start at 6:30pm for audience members. Admission is \$2 (no charge for students or children) to be paid at the door at the event.
- All performing students should arrive at Charlestown High School by 5:30pm. Students should be prepared to rehearse prior to the concert with their music and instrument.
- Performing students will wear "Concert Black." This includes the following -
  - Solid black dress shirt (that fully covers the shoulders).
  - Solid black dress pants or black skirt that falls near the ankle.
  - Solid black dress that falls near the ankle.
  - Black tights or leggings if dress or skirt is shorter than ankle.
  - Black dress shoes, black dress socks.
- Performing students should plan to attend the entire concert and watch all ensembles.
- Performing students will be graded based on attendance, professionalism and performance.
- Performing students should plan on attending the following extra rehearsals:
  - Wednesday, November 29 - 3:20-4:15 at CMS for 7th/8th grade band ONLY
  - Monday, December 4 - 3:20-4 at CMS for 6th grade band ONLY
  - Tuesday, December 5 - 3:20-4:15 at CMS for 7th/8th grade band ONLY
- Boosters will be presenting a silent auction during the concert to help raise funds for both our middle and high school programs. Please feel free to participate in the bidding during the auction or contact [charlestownbandofpirates@gmail.com](mailto:charlestownbandofpirates@gmail.com) directly if you are interested in donating items towards this.

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns about the concert at [jtalley@gccschools.com](mailto:jtalley@gccschools.com).

I look forward to sharing a night of exciting music with you.

Best,

Joann Talley  
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### Winter Concert Information RECEIPT

- I have received the Winter Concert Information Letter and have discussed the expectations with my student\_\_\_\_\_.
- I do not have any questions and do not need to be contacted.
- I have the following questions listed below the signature, please email a response to \_\_\_\_\_ (parent email address or phone if no email).

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_