

Friday, September 28, 2018

Dear Jazz Band Students and Parents,

Welcome to the Longfellow/LDI Jazz Ensemble! Below is information for both student and parents on..."how we operate."



Rehearsals - PLEASE REFER TO SCHEDULE. Most rehearsal will Tuesdays and Thursday mornings at 7:00 am. with sectionals on Wednesday.

Absences - from rehearsals must be prearranged with director. Please send a quick e-mail to keep me in the loop with what is happening (i.e. Sydney has a dentist appointment this morning.)

Jazz Band Requirements - "Longfellow/LDI Jazz Band members must..."

1. ... be in good academic standing in concert band (i.e. attend lessons, concerts, etc.)
2. ... attend and contribute to all rehearsals and performances.
3. ... wear appropriate concert/performance attire.
4. ... display a polite, courteous and positive attitude towards directors, clinicians, peers.
5. ... abide by the school district Code of Conduct and *Activities Code.
6. ... make strides towards improving his/her musicianship through individual home practice.

A Longfellow/LDI Middle School Jazz Ensemble Member's first priority is to maintain exemplary status as a member of the Longfellow/LDI Concert Band Program!

Yours in jazz,

Mr. Charles C. Schreader III
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Longfellow/LDI Middle School
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Refer to the Longfellow/LDI website: Activities & Athletics > Athletics > Longfellow Co-Curricular Code)

Jazz Band Checklist



Parents, please use the check-off list below to discuss this packet with your student. Please return signed forms by the next jazz rehearsal. **THANKS!**

Student name _____

_____ Mark all performance dates on family calendar

_____ Discuss rehearsal schedule & requirements.

_____ Post Rehearsal Schedule prominently at home

Parent Signature _____

Student Signature _____

Phone # _____

E-mail _____

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Jazz Chaperone/Volunteer Form

We need parent help for all that we do.
Please consider being a chaperone for one of our “gigs!”

October 26th <input type="checkbox"/>	Jazz Lock-In 1 parent	Longfellow MS	5:00 pm - 11:30 pm
November 3rd <input type="checkbox"/>	Jazz Celebration 2- 5 PARENTS	Appleton, WI	(ALL DAY/TIME TBA)
March 2nd <input type="checkbox"/>	U OF M Jazz Festival 2 - 5 PARENTS	Minneapolis, MN	(ALL DAY/TIME TBA)
April 27th <input type="checkbox"/>	Eau Claire Jazz Festival 2 - 5 PARENTS	Eau Claire, WI	(ALL DAY/TIME TBA)
May 3rd <input type="checkbox"/>	BSJ Care Centers 2 PARENT	La Crosse, WI	(All DAY/TIME TBA)

If you would like to help, please check the ones you are available for and return the form.

ALL VOLUNTEERS NEED TO FILL OUT THE DISTRICT VOLUNTEER SERVICE FORM

Longfellow/LDI Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal Schedule (as Friday, September 28, 2018)

All Rehearsal are full band rehearsals except where indicated (e.g. rhythm sectional, brass sectional etc.)

- OCTOBER**
- 2 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 3 Wednesday 7:00 am Rhythm Sectional
 - 4 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 9 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 10 Wednesday 7:00 am Brass Sectional
 - 11 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 16 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 17 Wednesday 7:00 am Saxophone Sectional
 - 18 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 23 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 24 Wednesday 7:00 am Rhythm Sectional
 - 25 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 26 **FRIDAY JAZZ LOCK-IN - 5:00 PM TIL 11:30 PM - MORE INFO TO FOLLOW (\$6 PER STUDENT)**
 - 30 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 31 Wednesday 7:00 am Brass Sectional
- NOVEMBER**
- 1 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 2 **FRIDAY 6:45 am ROTUNDA PERFORMANCE FOR STUDENT BODY (STREET CLOTHES)**
 - 3 **SATURDAY - JAZZ CELEBRATION WEEKEND - LAWRENCE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC APPLETON, WI (ALL DAY/TIMES TBA)**
 - 6 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 7 Wednesday 7:00 am Saxophone Sectional
 - 8 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 13 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 14 Wednesday 7:00 am Rhythm Sectional
 - 15 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 19 Monday 7:00 am
 - 20 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 27 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 28 Wednesday 7:00 am Brass Sectional
 - 29 Thursday 7:00 am
- DECEMBER**
- 4 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 5 Wednesday 7:00 am Saxophone Sectional
 - 6 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 10 Monday 7:00 am
 - 11 **TUESDAY - WINTER BAND CONCERT - CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL - 7:00 PM - CALL 5:45 PM FOR JAZZ BAND MEMBERS**
 - 13 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 18 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 19 Wednesday 7:00 am Rhythm Sectional
 - 20 Thursday 7:00 am
- JANUARY**
- 2 Wednesday 7:00 Brass Sectional
 - 3 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 8 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 9 Wednesday 7:00 am Saxophone Sectional
 - 10 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 15 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 16 Wednesday 7:00 am Rhythm Sectional
 - 17 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 22 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 23 Wednesday 7:00 am Brass Sectional
 - 24 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 29 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 30 Wednesday 7:00 am
 - 31 Thursday 7:00 am Saxophone Sectional
- FEBRUARY**
- 5 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 6 Wednesday 7:00 am Rhythm Sectional
 - 7 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 12 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 13 Wednesday 7:00 am Brass Sectional
 - 14 Thursday 7:00 am
 - 19 Tuesday 7:00 am
 - 20 Wednesday 7:00 am Saxophone Sectional



FEBRUARY (cont.)

21 Thursday 7:00 am
26 Tuesday 7:00 am
27 Wednesday 7:00 am Rhythm Sectional
28 Thursday 7:00 am

MARCH

1 Friday 6:45 am ROTUNDA PERFORMANCE FOR STUDENT BODY (STREET CLOTHES)
2 SATURDAY - U of M Jazz Festival - MINNEAPOLIS, MN (ALL DAY/TIMES TBA)
5 Tuesday 7:00 am
6 Wednesday 7:00 am Brass Sectional
7 Thursday 7:00 am
13 Wednesday 7:00 am Saxophone Sectional
14 Thursday 7:00 am
19 Tuesday 7:00 am
20 Wednesday 7:00 am Rhythm Sectional
21 Thursday 7:00 am
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28 Thursday 7:00 am

APRIL -

2 Tuesday 7:00 am
5 Friday 7:00 am
9 Tuesday 7:00 am
10 Wednesday Saxophone Sectional
11 Thursday 7:00 am
16 Tuesday 7:00 am
17 Wednesday 7:00 am
23 Tuesday 7:00 am
24 Wednesday 7:00 am
25 Thursday 7:00 am
26 FRIDAY 6:45 am ROTUNDA PERFORMANCE FOR STUDENT BODY (STREET CLOTHES)
27 SATURDAY - EAU CLAIRE JAZZ FESTIVAL - EAU CLAIRE, WI (ALL DAY/TIMES TBA)
30 TUESDAY - SPRING BAND CONCERT - CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL - 7:00 PM - CALL 5:45 PM FOR JAZZ BAND MEMBERS

May -

2 Thursday 7:00 am
3 FRIDAY - BSJ CAKE CENTER PERFORMANCE - COULEE REGION - (ALL DAY TIMES/TBA)