



BAND PARENT NIGHT



Parents! Show What You Know

Monday, May 15, 2017 @ 6:30 PM
Tenney Auditorium

Featuring YOU and your child

It's very simple. Your kids work hard, and so do you.

Come and experience what your child actually goes through when learning a musical instrument.

1. Make a commitment to your child. (As they did in September)
2. Practice the instrument with your child's instruction.
3. Come and play with Mr. Fulks (I will help you)
4. The kids will play for you.

Come have a good time, a few laughs and invest in your child's music education. This is a low-pressure evening open to only Grade 5 Band Parents and children.

Parents will play:

- The first 6 notes
- "Frere Jacques" (exercise 54 in the Essential Elements Book)
- "Ode to Joy" (exercise 57 in the Essential Elements Book)

Students will play:

- "When the Saints go Marching In" (exercise 55 in the Essential Elements Book)
- "Old Macdonald Had a Band" (exercise 56 in the Essential Elements Book)
- "Rockin' Folk Medley"

You will be using your child's instrument. Mouthpieces for all instruments can be washed out very easily with soap and water and reeds for clarinet and saxophones can be switched out. If you need additional reeds please let me know. The flute head joints can be wiped off and percussion instruments are not put in your mouth! Please contact me if you have any questions. I really hope we have participation from all families, as this would mean a lot to your children.

I look forward to hearing you...hopefully!

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