

FROM THE DESK OF MS. HAUGEN

Good morning, Happy 12th week of school!

We are entering our concert season with our first rehearsal on Tuesday this week! We will be rehearsing Concert Band (1st and 5th period) from 3:00-5:00 and Symphonic Band from 6:00-8pm. There will be no percussion at this first rehearsal. All other rehearsals for the winter concert will be on Monday's (Nov. 8th, November 29th and December 6th). Students involved in small ensembles (brass quintet, woodwind quintet, percussion ensemble) will have Tuesday afternoon rehearsals as needed.

Fundraising

The last fundraiser for the fall is Texas Roadhouse Rolls! Just in time for Thanksgiving! Purchase a dozen frozen rolls including 8 oz of Honey Cinnamon Butter for only \$8. These are great items to keep in your freezer for the holidays or any special dinner.

Orders are due on Friday, November 5, and pick up will be Monday, November 15 in the LHS Bus Loop from 5:30-7pm.

Please make all checks payable to **Lincoln High School**. It is much easier if you have your customers pay you and write one check for your order. Please include a phone number and student name on all checks.

All-District Auditions

Students that are in 4th period Symphonic Band are required to audition for All-District. Etudes can be found outside my door (and have been passed out in class). Students will need to play their 12 major scales, chromatic scale, etude, and a sight-reading exercise. We will do re-seating auditions on Friday, November 5th in preparation for their audition on Saturday.

Any other students are welcome to practice and audition. I will be available M, TU, W, F during lunch to work with students individually.

- November 3rd @ Leon High School <u>Early Audition Date</u> (only use this day for unavoidable conflicts like SAT)
- November 6th @ Leon High School Audition Day
- · January 20th Reading Rehearsal from 6pm-8pm High School Leon High School
- · January 27th Clinician Rehearsal @ Chiles High School 6pm-9pm
- · January 28th Clinician Rehearsal @ Chiles High School 9am 4pm (both bands); 6:00pm-8:00pm
- January 29th Clinician Rehearsal @ Chiles High School 2pm-4pm
- · January 29th Concert @ Chiles High School 7pm

Veteran's Day Parade

We were just given notice that the Trojan Band will be participating in the Veteran's Day Parade on Thursday, November 11th. This is a morning parade with a 9am report time. It is usually done by 11am. We will have a short rehearsal after school on Thursday, November 4th (before the game) to teach parade block and practice marching. If you are unable to attend this date, please fill out a pre-excuse absence form as soon as possible. Thank you for your flexibility for this important event.

Post Season Football

We will be entering the post season for FHSAA football on **Friday**, **November 12th**. All post season games will be by sign-up (volunteer) only. Since this first game happens on my wedding, students will be under the direction of Ms. Haley. The first game is away at Navarre, so students will be leaving at 3pm. Details to come. If your student would like to attend, they do can sign up here: https://forms.gle/1Wr9qcXLNJwZCUMNA

Winter Concert

Due to health concerns with our chorus director, the Fine Arts Showcase has been cancelled this year. To still have a prism style concert featuring all our band ensembles, we will be moving our fall concert to <u>Monday</u>, <u>December 13th</u>. There will be 3 rehearsals prior for Concert and Symphonic Band. Please see dates below. Thank you for understanding.

This Week

11/1 Monday: OPEN

11/2 Tuesday: Rehearsal in band room 3-5 (Concert Band), 6-8 (Symphonic) NO PERCUSSION
11/3 Wednesday: OPEN; EARLY All-District Auditions @ Leon, Times TBD
11/4 Thursday: FOOTBALL GAME @ Gene Cox (Trinity); Parade Rehearsal 3:00pm
11/5 Friday: OPEN
11/6 Saturday: All-District Auditions @ Leon High School, schedule attached

Next Week

11/8 Monday: Rehearsal in auditorium 3-5 (Concert Band), 6-8 (Symphonic) WITH PERCUSSION 11/9 Tuesday: OPEN; *Ms. Haugen's last day until after Thanksgiving Break* (Wedding time!) 11/10 Wednesday: OPEN

11/11 Thursday: NO SCHOOL; Veteran's Day Parade Report 9am (to Leon); info coming! 11/12 Friday: First Playoff Game, TBD, sign-up here: <u>https://forms.gle/1Wr9qcXLNJwZCUMNA</u>

Fall Dates 2021

Tuesday, November 2nd: Rehearsal in band room 3-5 (Concert Band), 6-8 (Symphonic) NO PERCUSSION

Thursday, November 4th: FOOTBALL GAME @ Gene Cox (Trinity); Parade Rehearsal Saturday, November 6th: All-District Auditions

Monday, November 8th: Rehearsal in auditorium 3-5 (Concert Band), 6-8 (Symphonic) with Percussion

Thursday, November 11th: Veteran's Day Parade, TBD

Friday, November 12th: Possible Play-off Game, TBD

Monday-Friday, November 22nd-26th: Thanksgiving Break

Monday, November 29th: Rehearsal in auditorium 3-5 (Concert Band), 6-8 (Symphonic)

Tuesday, November 30th: Small Ensembles rehearsal on stage 3-5pm (percussion, brass, woodwind etc.)

Monday, December 6th: Rehearsal in auditorium 3-5 (Concert Band), 6-8 (Symphonic)

Tuesday, December 7th: Small Ensembles rehearsal in band room 3-5pm

Wednesday, December 1st-Sunday, December 5th: Tri-state @ FSU

Monday, December 13th: Winter Concert, Auditorium 6pm (all ensembles performing) Monday, December 20th: Winter Break