



Hello WMS Choir Families and HAPPY SNOW DAY!!!

NEWSLETTER IN A NUTSHELL

December Concert Details (10th, 13th, 14th, 16th, 19th & 20th)

Concert Attire - Formal ALL BLACK

Stocking Stuffers / Choir Swag

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This newsletter includes several very important announcements/reminders. Please read everything carefully and respond accordingly. Thank you!

December Concert Details (See more information on the Calendar page of the website)

Tuesday, Dec. 10th - 7th & 8th Grade Tenor/Bass Choir @ WSHS - Arrive by 6:45 for 7:30 concert.

Friday, Dec. 13th - Madrigals on Tour at Willow Hill & Silver Lake Elementary Schools (9-11:30 a.m.)

Saturday, Dec 14th - Madrigals @ Winter Sounds / Mix & Mingle (Arrive @ WMS at noon)

Monday, Dec. 16th - 7th & 8th Grade Treble Choirs @ WSHS - Arrive by 6:45 for 7:30 concert.

Thursday, Dec. 19th - 6th Grade Choirs & Madrigals @ Central Grade School inside Lars

Hockstad Auditorium. Please plan ahead regarding drop off and parking as most families will need to park on the street. There is only one small parking lot on the other end of the building). Students should **arrive by 5:45** on stage in **ALL BLACK Formal Concert Attire**. The concert will begin at 6:30 after students have had the opportunity to get organized on stage and warm up their voices. The concert will end around 7:15-7:30.

Friday, Dec. 20th - Music Department Assemblies during school (select groups perform)

Pictured below: Madrigal Singers in formal black concert attire...





Formal Black Concert Attire

Most 7th & 8th Grade students looked great at their October concerts, but a few might need to get some updated attire that fits their growing bodies. Please check in with your students to make sure everything looks good and fits appropriately. We want everyone to feel comfortable and look professional for our concerts! We have a collection of black concert clothing available for any students in need. **Please email me if you need help with any of the required items...**

FORMAL BLACK SHIRT

FORMAL BLACK PANTS OR ANKLE LENGTH BLACK SKIRT WITH BLACK TIGHTS

BLACK SOCKS (CALF LENGTH...NOT ANKLE LENGTH OR NO SHOW)

FORMAL BLACK SHOES (PREFERABLY WITHOUT LACES)

Students should **NOT** wear athletic clothing. *Please ask for help if you need it*

Below are some examples of what students should wear ([click on each image to view on Amazon](#)):





Stocking Stuffers / Choir Swag 🎅📺

There will be a variety of “stocking stuffer / choir swag” items available for your selection at a merch table outside the auditorium before and after concerts. Suggested donation amounts will be listed.

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We’re planning to offer students an opportunity to exchange some small/silly presents. 📺🎅 **Secret Santa (\$5 limit)** & 📺🐘 **White Elephant Gift Exchanges (something they already have at home - no new purchases, please for WEGE)** will take place in class on Monday/Tuesday, December 16th & 17th for 6th Grade Choirs and Thursday, 12/18 for 7th & 8th Grade Choirs. We’ll enjoy some finger foods, desserts, and drinks. Nobody is required to bring a gift or food/drink, but students are welcome to bring something if they’d like to exchange gifts and share some sweet treats!

Sock Drive 🧦

The Annual TCAPS Music Department Sock Drive seeks to help out students in our community. The date of Friday, December 13th is not a hard cut-off. We’ll gladly accept socks through the last day before break and throughout the year. Please consider picking up a pair of socks or a package to donate for a good cause. Thank you!



Sincerely,

Mr. Emerick Dee

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P.S. If you’re interested in getting more involved with the TC West Choir Parent Organization, please check the [Volunteer page](#) and text @tcwcpo to 81010 to receive texts through the Remind app.