

FRASER HIGH SCHOOL BAND

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DEAR BAND PARENTS AND STUDENTS:

This is just a quick letter to give you information about our upcoming concert on Thursday, February 19, at 7:00 p.m., and about MSBOA District XVI Band Festival on Thursday, March 12, and Friday, March 13.

The concert on Thursday will begin at 7:00 p.m. The reason for this concert is to give our students an opportunity to perform the music they will compete with at Band Festival. The Richards 8th grade band, and the FHS Varsity, Concert, and Symphony Bands will each perform THREE musical selections: a march, a required selection, and a selection of choice, which complies with the rules for performance at MSBOA Band Festival. **Each band is scheduled to perform in approximately TWENTY-minute increments.**

The Symphony band performs on Thursday, March 12, at:
Roseville Middle School
16250 Martin Rd.
Roseville, MI 48066

The Varsity and Concert bands will perform on Friday, March 13, at:
Macomb Dakota High School
21051 21 Mile Rd.
Macomb, MI 48044

Thursday, March 12
SYMPHONY BAND

Report to FHS—3:15 pm
Leave FHS—3:45 pm
Warm up—4:30 pm
Perform—5:00 pm
Sight Read—5:30 pm
Back at FHS—7:00 pm

Friday, March 13
VARSITY BAND

Report to FHS—2:45 pm
Leave FHS—3:15 pm
Warm up—4:00 pm
Perform—4:25 pm
Sight Read—4:50 pm
Back at FHS—6:00 pm

Friday, March 13
CONCERT BAND

Report to FHS—5:45 pm
Leave FHS—6:15 pm
Warm up—6:45 pm
Perform—7:10 pm
Sight Read—7:35 pm
Back at FHS—8:45 pm

Attendance is **required** at the concert on Thursday for all students performing. Attendance is also **required** for students performing at Band Festival on Thursday or Friday. Students will wear the required uniform of tux jacket and pants, tux shirt, and bow ties with black socks and black dress shoes or the black jumpsuits with black nylons, black shoes, and pearls.

The bands are working very hard in class, and we are looking forward to doing our best at the concert and at Band Festival.

Please call the band office at 586-439-7328 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

James E. Rodgers, Director

April Fiedler, Band Assistant

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