

Dear Choir Parent,

3/14/18

Here are some last minute tips and tidbits to help you plan for ISSMA Choir Contest this Saturday.

1. If you are planning on attending we advise you to come 15 minutes early to assure a seat. The judges will be listening to our choirs in the GMS Cafeteria. We have large choirs and many parents attend, so often the seats are full with standing room only in the back!
2. **You also must be in the room by our performance time or you will not be allowed in the room.** The hall monitors want to assure our competing choirs of no disruption while they are performing.
3. **Once we conclude our performance we will be meeting back in the GMS Gym for check out. All students must check out with their Chaperone. Students riding home with their parents must turn in a hand written note to the chaperone so that we know exactly where all of our students are before departing for NMS.**
4. 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Choir & Band Students: We did not have any volunteers for the movie we proposed. We are sad to say that you will need to take your child home after the band performance and bring them back to NMS for the Choir Competition.

\*\*All students should wear their black and white concert attire.

\*\*An email (to [armingtonj@mcsin-k12.org](mailto:armingtonj@mcsin-k12.org)) Friday night would be appreciated if there is a death in the family, or an extreme emergency that prevents your child from attending ISSMA. This will help us prepare our students for the missing voice they are accustomed to hearing and resetting our positions. We will also need a hand written note from you when they return to school to excuse their absence from this mandatory event. Please see the choir handbook regarding excused and unexcused absences for further information.

### **DIRECTIONS TO GOSHEN MIDDLE SCHOOL, 1216 S. Indiana Ave. Goshen, IN**

GMS is located at the intersection of Indiana Avenue (CR 21) and Plymouth Ave (IN 119).

- **If coming into Goshen on US 33 from the south:** Continue on US 33 thru college avenue. Turn left onto Plymouth Avenue by the Best Western on your right. Continue on Plymouth through the neighborhoods, over the railroad tracks, thru Main Street, pass a park and over a river Indiana Avenue. Turn left. GMS will be on your left.
- **If coming into Goshen from the south on IN-15.** Continue North on IN-15 which will become Main Street. Continue through CR-38 (Kerscher Ave) and College Ave to Plymouth Ave. Turn Left on Plymouth Ave. You will pass a park and go over a river. Turn left on Indiana Avenue. GMS will be on your Left.

### **ENTRANCE TO THE BUILDING**

All audience members should enter Goshen Middle School at the main entrance (Door A). There will be limited parking in the marked parking spots on the main drive in front of the building. There is also audience parking in the North lot by the pool and south lot but these lots are not as close to Door A which will be the only unlocked entrance of the school for this event. No one may park in the bus lane (and marked bus parking spots) at the front of the school. We have too many busses in and out on Saturday to restrict that traffic. No one may park in the Red Cross parking lot across from the school on Indiana Ave. You will be towed.

We are very excited for our children and believe that they will do extremely well! Hope to see you there!

Sincerely, Mrs. Armington and Mr. Norwood



**DATE:** Saturday, March 17, 2018  
**SITE:** Goshen MS  
**VENUE:** Cafeteria

School	Division	Transit	Warmup	Transit	Perform
1 Goshen MS Mason Mixed Choir #1 JH	V	8:05 AM	8:10 AM	8:25 AM	8:30 AM
2 West Noble MS Conner Treble Choir #2 JH	V	8:20 AM	8:25 AM	8:40 AM	8:45 AM
3 Edgewood MS Beam Mixed Choir #1 JH	IV	8:35 AM	8:40 AM	8:55 AM	9:00 AM
4 Discovery MS Graybill Treble Choir #1 JH	IV	8:50 AM	8:55 AM	9:10 AM	9:15 AM
5 Goshen MS Mason Mixed Choir #2 JH	IV	9:05 AM	9:10 AM	9:25 AM	9:30 AM
6 West Side MS Rappatta Mixed Choir #1 JH	IV	9:20 AM	9:25 AM	9:40 AM	9:45 AM
7 Concord JHS Janisse Mixed Choir #1 JH	IV	9:35 AM	9:40 AM	9:55 AM	10:00 AM
8 BREAK 5 10:15 AM					
9 Lakeview MS Cooksey Mixed Choir #1 JH	IV	9:55 AM	10:00 AM	10:15 AM	10:20 AM
10 Triton Jr/Sr HS Seel Treble Choir #1 JH	IV	10:10 AM	10:15 AM	10:30 AM	10:35 AM
11 Pierre Moran MS Tyson Treble Choir #1 JH	IV	10:25 AM	10:30 AM	10:45 AM	10:50 AM
12 North Side MS Reinert Mixed Choir #1 JH	IV	10:40 AM	10:45 AM	11:00 AM	11:05 AM
13 Navarre Intermediate Center Choir #1 JH	IV	10:55 AM	11:00 AM	11:15 AM	11:20 AM
14 LaSalle Academy Mixed Choir #1 JH	IV	11:10 AM	11:15 AM	11:30 AM	11:35 AM
15 Goshen MS Mason Mixed Choir #3 JH	III	11:25 AM	11:30 AM	11:45 AM	11:50 AM
16 West Noble MS Conner Mixed Choir #1 JH	III	11:40 AM	11:45 AM	12:00 PM	12:05 PM
<b>17 Northridge MS Armington Treble Choir #3 JH</b>	<b>III</b>	<b>11:55 AM</b>	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>12:15 PM</b>	<b>12:20 PM</b>
18 BREAK 40 12:35 PM					
19 North Side MS Reinart Mixed Choir #2 JH	III	12:50 PM	12:55 PM	1:10 PM	1:15 PM
20 Discovery MS Graybill Male Choir #3 JH	II	1:05 PM	1:10 PM	1:25 PM	1:30 PM
21 Bethany Christian Schools Mixed Choir #1 JH	II	1:20 PM	1:25 PM	1:40 PM	1:45 PM
<b>22 Northridge MS Armington Mixed Choir #2 JH</b>	<b>II</b>	<b>1:35 PM</b>	<b>1:40 PM</b>	<b>1:55 PM</b>	<b>2:00 PM</b>
23 West Side MS Rappatta Mixed Choir #2 JH	II	1:50 PM	1:55 PM	2:10 PM	2:15 PM
24 Discovery MS Graybill Treble Choir #2 JH	I	2:05 PM	2:10 PM	2:25 PM	2:30 PM
25 BREAK 15 2:45 PM					
26 Jimtown JHS Sutch Treble Choir #2 JH	II	2:35 PM	2:40 PM	2:55 PM	3:00 PM
<b>27 Northridge MS Armington Mixed Choir #1 JH</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>2:50 PM</b>	<b>2:55 PM</b>	<b>3:10 PM</b>	<b>3:15 PM</b>
28 Discovery MS Graybill Mixed Choir #4 JH	I	3:05 PM	3:10 PM	3:25 PM	3:30 PM
29 Jimtown JHS Snider Treble Choir #1 JH	IV	3:20 PM	3:25 PM	3:40 PM	3:45 PM
30 BREAK 30 4:00 PM					
31 Jimtown JHS Snider Male Choir #1 JH	I	4:05 PM	4:10 PM	4:25 PM	4:30 PM



**\*NMS 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Choirs**

**\*NMS 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Choirs**

**\*NMS 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Choirs**

**Students will meet their parents in the GMS Gym following the performance. Students must check out with their Chaperones before going home with a parent. Students should give their parent note to their Chaperone when they board the bus for GMS so that each student is accounted for upon dismissal.**