

The Final Blast Concerts are just two weeks away and we wanted to give you a final run down of the "Who, What, Where's and When's"!

We are now accepting dinner donations to feed the choirs. Our bill usually comes to \$1,500. We order subs/ chips/ and cookies from Subway for all of our choir students to eat between the two shows. If you could chip in we would reallillilly be grateful. Every year funds come in in just the right amount, which makes it possible for us to feed close to 400 hungry little stars! If you are able to help with a Dinner Donation please send those in by Friday, May 3rd. All checks should be made payable to NMS please.

Final Blast t shirts have been ordered for each choir student. They cost \$9 each. We are now collecting t shirt money. If you could send in your \$9 by May 3<sup>rd</sup> that would be helpful. Some parents will not be able to afford the t shirt at this time. If you would like to cover another child's t shirt please feel free to send in your donation! Each year we make ends meet thanks to generous donations. ©

And now....here's show week!

Tickets will go on sale in choir classes for \$2. Please get your tickets in advance so that you can Thursday, May 2

go to the show of your choice. We usually sell out one or both! Tell your child if you want the

4:30 ticket or the 7:00 p.m. ticket.

Wednesday, May 8 Tech rehearsals for all students who have special roles: dancers, soloists, etc. (3:05-5:45 p.m.)

Students will ride over to NHS for this rehearsal. Please pick them up at Door 15. Knight Lights

will rehearse until 6:30 p.m. They will meet their parents at door 15.

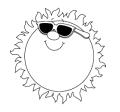
Dress Rehearsal for all choir students (3:05 - 5:45 p.m.)Thursday, May 9

> Students will ride over to NHS for this rehearsal. Please pick them up at their assigned doors: 6th grade: Door 15 (Backside of high school) by the pool parking lot.

7th Grade: Door 1 (front of the high school – teacher's parking lot door).

8th grade Door 19 (Backside of high school) by the band parking lot.

\*Knight Lights will stay until 6:30 p.m. and should be picked up at Door 15.



Saturday, May 11

Call time for all choir students will be 4:00 p.m. 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders will be warming up in the NHS Choir Room. 6<sup>th</sup> Graders will be warming up in the NHS Band Room. Students should wear their new t-shirts and blue jeans. No shorts, or capris, or skirts, will be allowed without permission from Mrs. A for individuals who need to alter the attire.

Auditorium Doors will open 45 minutes before each show. If we have any leftover tickets after the presale, they will be available at the ticket table.

**Show #1** 4:30– 5:45 p.m. (or so!)

**Dinner** served at 6:00 p.m. for students in the NHS cafeteria

**Show #2** 7:00 – 8:15 p.m. (or so!)

Parking: Parking and Pickup at concerts is a big ol' pain! To try and help the situation we'd like to try asking 6<sup>th</sup> grade parents/friends to park in the Pool parking lot by door 15. 7<sup>th</sup> Grade parents at Door 1 in the front of the building. 8th Grade Parents at Door 21 (Band side parking lot). Obviously people with trouble walking can enter any door that they want!! ©

**DVD's** will be available for purchase before or after each show. Order forms can be found in each program. DVD's are \$18. Checks payable to NMS, or Cash is accepted. Order forms can be turned in at the ticket table or turned in with a student by Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>. Orders will be passed out before the end of the school year.

**Volunteer Emergency**: It seems that a lot of you forgot to sign up for a volunteer slot for the final concert. We have numerous gaps that need to be filled. If you can lend a hand please sign up on the choir website under the "Sign up Genius Tab", or circle an area below and send this slip in with your child. Thanks in advance! We can't do this with your help.

6<sup>th</sup> Grade: Final Blast Show #2 Chaperones (3), Dress Rehearsal Chaperones (2), Ushers for Show 2 (4), Tear Down Crew (2) Box Office Show 1 (2), Box Office Show 2 (2), Dinner Committee (6).

7<sup>th</sup> Grade: Concert 1 Chaperone (3), Concert 2 Chaperone (1), Ushers for show 2 (3), Tear Down Crew (2), Box Office Show 1 (2), Box Office Show 2 (2) Dinner Crew (6), Photographer (1)

8<sup>th</sup> Grade: Concert 1 Chaperone (2), Concert 2 Chaperone (3), Ushers Show 1 (1), Ushers Show 2 (1), Box Office Show 1 (2), Box Office Show 2 (2)

<b>Volunteer Parent Name (print)</b>	(circle any position listed above)			
	phone:		email:	
(We will confirm with you if you have been placed in a volunteer slot via email or phone.)				

## **Volunteer Reminders:**

Phone Moms – You will be receiving an email from us letting you know the volunteers that will need a reminder. Expect the email early next week!

Dress Rehearsal Chaperones – Meet at NMS on Thursday, May 9 at 2:45. \*Free Ticket

Treats and Water – 48 treats 24 water please. NO PEANUT PRODUCTS PLEASE. Send these in on Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup> for the dress rehearsal. Water for the show meal should be also be dropped off at NMS on Thursday.

Show 1 Chaperones will meet Mrs. A in the NHS Choir Room at 3:30 p.m. \*Free Ticket

Show 2 Chaperones will meet Mrs. A in the NHS Choir Room at 6:15 p.m. \*Free Ticket

Show 1 Ushers and Box Office will meet Mr. N at the NHS Auditorium Doors at 3:45 p.m.

Show 2 Ushers and Box Office will meet Mr. N at the NHS Auditorium Doors at 6:15 p.m.

Dinner Crew should meet in the NHS Cafeteria at 5:15 p.m. to organize the dinner for students.

Locker Decorations should be sent in on Monday, May 6. \*Free Ticket

7th Grade Ladies Period 1 has 48 students, Period 2 Mixed has 84.

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Period 3 Mixed has 84 students, Period 5 Ladies has 44 students

8th Grade Period 6 Ladies has 37 students and Period 7 Mixed has 69 students.

Tear Down Crew will come to the stage after the 2<sup>nd</sup> show and help load costumes, stage props, etc

Photographers: Please make yourself at home and take pictures before, during, and after the show. Send in the pics via memory stick or dropbox them to us so that we can show them on Monday. \*Free Ticket

\*If you have selected a volunteer position that earns you a free ticket please ask your child to pick one up for you IN ADVANCE! Let them know which show you would like the free ticket for. They can pick those up during choir class once they go on sale. ©