

## **Concert Orchestra Newsletter for Sunday, August 30**

Location: Carmel High School, 520 E Main Street

From I-465 on the north side of Indianapolis, take Keystone Avenue north. Turn left on 131st Street/E Main Street. The school will be on the right side of the street. Enter the building at the performing arts area (marked as such on the exterior of the building). This entrance is right next to the main entrance to the building.

Concert Orchestra rehearsal: 3:30 - 5:00 pm

Philharmonic Orchestra rehearsal: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Symphony Orchestra rehearsal: 1:00 - 4:30 pm

I apologize for this e-mail arriving so late this week. My hope is to have most e-mail newsletters arrive to you on Wednesday afternoons.

Practice instructions (understandably unhelpful this late in the week - my fault, not your conductor's):

Sabre Dance - all sections should drill the chromatic passage (meas. 67 to 71) for accuracy and fluency. Additionally, 2nd violins and cellos should improve pitch and rhythm on meas. 21 to 38. Espana Waltz - all sections should practice the various sections with the different bow stroke styles we have been using in rehearsal (meas. 1 to 16 and 33 to 48 - extreme staccato, meas. 17 to 30 and 49 to 64 - full bow legato, meas. 65 to 79, spiccato)  
Antique Dances...(Ballet Corps) - all sections need to work on rhythmic and bowing accuracy.

All members should stay to help with room clean-up following rehearsal.

Rehearsal Hotline: 317-229-2366

The number above is a message system. A new message is recorded each week (typically on Fridays) that briefly describes where and when rehearsals will take place for that weekend. Keep this programmed into your phones so that if you are ever unsure of the location or have not seen your e-mail for the week, this is a way to get last minute information.

Text messaging: wolff9802

I was not able to get text messaging working to its fullest extent last weekend. However, I sent invitations to every phone number that was submitted on student forms. Please check your phone to see if you received an invitation from wolff9802 last weekend. You **MUST** accept the invitation before you will receive any further text messages from me. Once you have accepted the invitation you should receive messages from wolff9802. A reminder about Sunday's location will be texted to all who have accepted the invitation.

DVDs:

We are taking pre-orders for DVDs of the final concert from last season. They are \$25.00 and will be available shortly.

Photos for the member directory:

We are planning to take photos for the member directory at rehearsal on Sunday. There is no need to dress up or consider this "picture day" as is done for school. It's a quick snapshot on the way in or out the door at rehearsal. Just plan for someone to ask you to take a moment for this.

Payment Reminder:

By next week everyone should have received a receipt for their initial tuition payment. Those on payment plans #2 and #3 have their next payment due on October 1. A payment coupon is

enclosed with your receipt - please submit your coupon with payment to ensure that payment is properly applied.

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