Dear Highlands Families!

Hope you are all well! I can't believe the end of the year is approaching! We've been working really hard to prepare for our 4th Annual Highlands Music Festival! As May approaches, I wanted to make sure you all know about the upcoming <u>K-5</u> <u>music concert</u>. Here are all the details...

WHEN? Tuesday, May 6<sup>h</sup>

**WHO?** All students Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade

**WHERE?** Outside at Highlands Elementary. Since we've grown quite a bit since last year, we will be moving the concert up to the field! Risers will be set up on the south end of the field. Please bring lawn chairs; seating will not be provided.

WHAT TIME? Performers need to be at Highlands at 5:00; the performance will begin at 5:30. Due to the larger number of students this year, performers will come into the building at 5 and go to their classroom to get lined up. Performers should enter the building through the door they enter through in the morning. Their classroom teacher will walk them to the field for the start of the show. Parents, in order to cut down on congestion, please do not enter the building with your child. Please head to the field to find a seat. There will be plenty of staff in the hallways should your child need assistance.

**HOW LONG WILL THE PERFORMANCE TAKE?** Don't worry....I won't keep you there all night! We should be done by 7:00 at the latest. Please do not take your child after their grade level is finished performing....there is a whole school finale at the end of the show!

WHAT SHOULD MY CHILD WEAR? This is a casual concert and the theme is Music Through the Decades. Feel free to send your child in attire from the decade they are representing. Kinder is singing songs from the 50's. First grade is singing songs from the 50's and 60's. Second grade is singing songs from the 60's. Third grade is singing songs from the 70's. Fourth and Fifth graders are singing songs from the 80's and 90's. If your child is in 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> grade, please have them wear something with a pocket! There is a bit of a surprise with the finale and they need a pocket to store said surprise! Please send your child with a full water bottle.

WHAT HAPPENS IF IT RAINS? I am REALLY hoping this doesn't happen! If it rains, we have a rain date of Monday May 12<sup>th</sup>.

Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns at <a href="mailto:ordway">ordway</a> jennifer@svvsd.org. Looking forward to a fun event for our Highlands community!

Fondly, Mrs. Ordway