

## **BPA Meeting Agenda**

**Tuesday, February 1st at 6:30pm in the Choir Room/Cafeteria**

### Concert Band & Wind Ensemble

- Concert Dates - Mark your calendars!
  - SJBODA Festival (Mandatory for Wind Ensemble) at Rowan University (field trip during the school day) - MP 3 Concert Grade
    - Tuesday, March 8 at Rowan University OR
    - Wednesday, March 9 at Rowan University
    - Tuesday, March 15 (Snow Date)
  - VPA Spring Showcase Concert (Optional concert for Select Soloists & Chamber Groups in the evening)
    - Thursday, May 12 at Williamstown High School
  - Spring Band & Choir Concert (Mandatory for everyone in the evening) - MP 4 Concert Grade
    - Thursday, May 26 at Williamstown High School
- Honors Ensembles
  - SJBODA Region Honor Band (All-South) - Congratulations to the 6 students that were accepted! Great concert!
  - Olympic Conference Honor Band - Congratulations to the 12 students that were accepted!
    - All day rehearsal on Tuesday, 2/1 from 8:30am-3pm at Washington Township High School
    - Concert on Wednesday, 2/2 at 7:30pm at Washington Township High School
  - All-State Band - Congratulations to Brandon Colan, Symphonic Band, Alto Clarinet
    - Concert on Saturday, 2/26 at 3pm at NJPAC
- Private Lessons! Ask Mr. Kuntz for suggestions!
- Purchasing new instruments and equipment - Talk to Mr. Kuntz first! If the price is too good to be true, it probably is!
- Elementary School Field Trips (few days before Spring Break)
  - Admin approved! Currently scheduling dates with Elementary School secretaries. Everything still TBD.
  - Monday, April 11 or Tuesday, April 12
    - Radix, AM Assembly
    - Holly Glen, PM Assembly
  - Wednesday, April 13
    - Whitehall, AM Assembly

- Oak Knoll, PM Assembly

### Indoor Percussion

- Tuesdays from 6pm-8pm
- Concert on Tuesday, May 3rd at 6pm (shared with Jazz Ensemble)

### Jazz Ensemble

- Mondays from 2:30pm - 5pm
- Concert on Tuesday, May 3rd at 6pm (shared with Indoor Percussion)

### Marching Band

- [2022 Tentative Marching Band Schedule](#)
  - Show Announcement - May 5th?
  - Band Camp
- Purchasing a New Podium with BOE money = about \$4,600
- Rehearsal Relocation due to parking lot repaving and solar panels
  - Middle School field right behind the football stadium, across from the concession stand
  - Where do we put our percussion equipment and tech equipment?
    - Field House
  - Where do we rehearse when it rains/inclement weather?
    - MS Gym space?
- Color Guard Recruitment
  - Tentative, Monday, February 28 at 4pm - still waiting for confirmation from Dean
  - Field Trip to Middle School during gym classes
- Discuss with Dean - electrical issues in the kitchen (concession stand)

### Band Banquet

- Monday, June 6th at 6pm

### Fundraising/Budget

- Shop With Scrip
- [Clothing Drive](#)
  - Accepting donations Now through February 21st
- Other suggestions? - Contact the BPA Board if you have any suggestions!
  - Wendy's - temporarily stopped fundraising (dine in)
  - ~~Panera~~
  - ~~Applebee's?~~
  - Chipotle?

- Chik-fil-A?
  - Texas Roadhouse?
  - Comedy Night?
  - Snap Raise?
- Meeting with Dean and Sandy about updated fundraising policies

**Next BPA Meeting: Tuesday, March 1st at 6:30pm in the Choir room**

- We would love to see more parents attending our BPA Meetings on a regular basis! All of the Bands would not operate as well without the support we get from the BPA and that means new people need to “learn the ropes” before the current board members “graduate”!