



Bear Choir Update

Upcoming Performances

Tuesday, March 17th

March Choir Concert

Friday, April 17th

Senior Recital

Saturday, April 25th

State Solo and Ensemble

Tuesday, March 3, 2020

Due Dates

Monday, March 2nd – 6th

- 5th Lesson Due

Tuesday, March 3rd

- ACT Testing

Monday, March 9th – 13th

- 6th Lesson Due

Wednesday, March 11th

- Early Release Day

Monday, March 16th – 20th

- 7th Lesson Due

Tuesday, March 17th

- March Concert

Monday, March 23rd – 27th

- Spring Break

Monday, March 30th – April 3rd

- 8th Lesson Due

Welcome:

Now that Solo and Ensemble and Parent Teacher conferences are done, it is time to move on to our March Concert! Be sure your calendar is marked, if you don't have the rest of the concert dates or performance information please look at our [choir handbook](#).

Solo and Ensemble:

We had a very successful day at Solo and Ensemble in Seymour this past Saturday. Twenty-six events are heading to State on April 25th! Another fourteen received a rating of 1, eight received a rating of a second and one received a third rating. HHS Choir couldn't be prouder of our students.

March Concert:

The choirs will perform their March concert on March 17th, at 7:00pm. The link to the Facebook event is [here](#). Please help us by sharing our event on Facebook and inviting others you think might enjoy seeing these students perform.

Students will wear their uniforms for this concert. This means Polar Voices are in their robes and the Arctic Singers are in their Tuxes and Dresses. More detailed information about the required uniform can be found in the [Choir Handbook](#) on page 4.

If the concert is missed for any reason this is the [make-up assignment](#).

Lessons:

All students have been assigned their weekly lesson. These lessons started Monday, February 3rd. The lesson schedule is posted both inside and outside the choir room. We also reviewed lesson times in class. I encouraged all students to set a reminder in the phone for 5 minutes before their scheduled start time, so they can be here ready to sing. All students should be coming out of Academic Extension, Commons, an extended period or out of Arctic Singers. [Here](#) are the lesson expectations.

Twin Cities Tour 2020

The rooms are booked, and the tickets are in hand, here we come "Frozen"! The final cost is still being calculated. One stop has not gotten back to me on the cost. Please hold off on the final payment until the total is known. It is estimated to come in below \$300 for the total of the trip. If you have already paid the full \$300 I will cut you a check for the overpaid amount. Once the last stop gets back to me on final cost I will get you the remainder due. Here are the [Forms](#) for the trip.

Music Booster help

The Music Boosters do a lot to help and support our students across the district. They need more parent help, so please consider donating some of your time. Please sign up to help with the following concerts:

[GES Choir Concert Grade 2](#) (3/5/2020)

[HHS Band-Mid-Winter Concert](#) (3/9/2020)

[HMS Band Concert](#) (3/10/2020)

[GMS Band Concert](#) (3/12/2020)

[HHS Choir](#) (3/17/2020)

[HES Choir Concert Grades 1 and 2](#) (3/19/2020)

[GES Choir Concert Grade 1](#) (4/21/2020)

[NGES Choir Concert Grades 1 and 2](#) (4/23/2020)

Food for Thought:

"Music is the literature of the heart; it commences where speech ends." — Alphonse de Lamartine

Thank you

To all the Solo and Ensemble participants you have made HHS so proud of all your work.