



September 1st, 2023

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

FIRST DAYS OF SCHOOL

- Grade 9's & 11/12's will need their instruments on Sept 7th & Grade 10's on Sept 8th
- J-block band courses (such as Symphonic, Jazz, pit) will begin Sept 11 - 15 (see calendar)
- Please ensure your instrument is in good working condition and that you have all of your reeds, valve oil, stick bags, etc. for our first classes.

CHOIR

- Choir will begin Wednesday, September 6 for *Gr 10 -12s only*
- Grade 9's may join Sept 20th
- Choir goes from 3:50 5:30 pm

MUSIC PARENT MEETING

- We ask that one parent attend the meeting on September 20th @ 6:30 pm
- Students are welcome too
- Location: CHS Theatre

COMMUNICATION

- We use the Remind App to communicate a lot. Codes are in our welcome package
- Google Classroom codes are also in our welcome package
- Our CHS Music Calendar is up to sync on our website:

www.cochranehighmusic.com

COMING UP

SEPT 15: Band Clinics (Gr 9-12)

ALL students. 2 – 3:30 pm

SEPT 20: Parent Meeting
OCT 1-3: Gr. 9 Band Camp

OCT 11/17/19: J-block clinics OCT 14 - MT choreo/Pit day

OCT 25 & 26: Musical Th Camp

OCT 30: Gr. 10 clinics @ 7:15 am NOV 3 - 5: Vic Lewis (Canmore)

• Symphonic Band & Sr. Jazz

NOV 15: Jazz Concert 6:30 pm

NOV 18: Sitzprobe for musical

NOV 30: Winter Concert 6:30

NOTES

During Band classes, we ask that students please keep cell phones in their lockers or bags. We will however use them day 1 to sign-up for Remind and Google Class. Parents can contact the office in case of an emergency or an important note is needed. Alternatively, please message your child and they will check it after our class is over. Music is highly participatory and active. We appreciate you ensuring your child can be focused, present, regulated, and involved in our music classes.