COCHRANE HIGH SCHOOL MUSIC PROGRAM
TENTATIVE MUSIC CALENDAR 2019-2020

One year with the CHS music program holds a lot! The following is a tentative calendar list of what could be involved. Rehearsals, clinics, workshops, festivals, and performances are required activities to meet the course outcomes for our music classes. All students are expected to attend these. Although trips are not mandatory, they are highly encouraged and are incredible learning and performing opportunities for our students. We would love everyone to participate.
Fundraising begins in September; all students are encouraged to fundraise to help with costs associated with some events – some fundraisers (like Grocery Cards) are super simple and high yield. In our music department, we strongly believe that *lack of money should not limit your child's involvement. Please let us know if we can help in any way in order to have your child participate in these formative events/experiences.*

SEMESTER 1

September 9-13: J-Block courses/rehearsals begin. Please check our CHS Music calendar

September 18: CHSBPA Music Parent Information Night & AGM Night @ 7:00 pm in Theatre

September 27: All Band Students Start-up Clinics (Gr 9 – 12) 2:00 – 3:30 pm

October 20-22: Grade 9 Band Camp (Camp Evergreen)

October 25: Cochrane's Annual Pumpkin Lantern Festival (Jazz Bands & student buskers)

October 28: Alberta Winds Concert 7pm at Christ Church Calgary – listening opportunity

November 1-3: Vic Lewis Music Fest in Canmore (Gr 10-12 Band & Jazz 1) – no school missed

November: Need Trumpeters for the Last Post ceremonies. Dates and locations TBD

November: CBC Music Challenge Recording Session. Dates and locations TBD

November 18-22: Jazz Workshops/ Guest Conductors

November 27 & 28: Dress Rehearsals for Jazz Concert

November 28: Jazz Concert @ 7:00 pm in Theatre

December 4-6: Music Workshops/ Guest Conductors

December 10: Winter Music Concert @ 7:00 pm in the Gymnasium

*(Dress rehearsal all day in the gymnasium)

December 17-19: Feeder School Christmas Performances

January 10: Band Clinics @ 2:00 - 2:30

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SEMESTER 2:

February 4-13: Band Workshops for Festival Prep
February 3: Alberta Winds Concert 7pm Christ Church Calgary – Listening opportunity
February 10/11: Bearspaw Workshop Day
February 24: AIBF Festival
March 3: Technical Rehearsal for Musical @ 4:00 - 6:30 pm in Theatre
March 5: Technical Rehearsal for Musical @ 4:00-6:30 pm in Theatre
March 7: Sitzprobe @ 10:00-3:00 pm in Theatre
March 11-14: Musical Theatre Performances
March 16-21: Choral Fest. Date and time TBD @ Knox United Church
March 23-April 3: Band/ Choir Workshops/ Guest Conductors
April 5-8: Music Tour/ Cantando Festival – Edmonton/ Winspeare Centre
March 12-16: Choral Festival at Knox United in Calgary. Exact date & time TBD
March 29: Symphonic Band Clinics 2:00 -4:00 pm
April: Rocky View Jazz Festival – Date TBD
April 9-15: CHS/ BVHS New York 2020
April 22-25: Zone 5 One Act Festival performances for Performing Arts
April 30: One Act S.O.A.P. Festival performances for Performing Arts
May 1 & 5: S.O.A.P. Festival performances for Performing Arts
May 7-9: Alberta High School One Act Festival performances for Performing Arts
May 19-20: Jazz Dress Rehearsals
May 20: Spring Jazz Concert @ 6:00 pm in Theatre
May 23: 2020 Graduation (student performers)
May 28: Spring Music Concert
June 5: Performing Arts Banquet - Location and Date TBD

Other Dates that may occur & will be announced as soon as possible:

• **Monthly sectionals determined by music teachers and senior section leaders**
• **Bearspaw Workshop at CHS and Manachaban Clinics**
• **Elizabeth Barrett, Manachaban, Bearspaw & Community performances**
• **Clinics, workshops, Guest conductors, Extra/modified rehearsals**
• **Spring Talent Showcase**
• **Fundraising events**
• **Field trips/off campus workshops**
• **Jazz/Band spring festivals/activities/performance opportunities**
• **Honour Band Opportunities (AIBF, RVS etc.)**