

North Andover Public Schools Music Department

Justin D. Smalley
Director of Bands

Week at a Glance 12/21 – 12/23

****PLEASE NOTE:** This is a 2-page letter with important information regarding upcoming rehearsals/events and the Virginia trip**

Monday, December 21

6:00 – 8:00 pm: Jazz Ensemble

Tuesday, December 22

December trip Payment is due today!!!

Wednesday, December 23

Senior District Festival Information

The Senior District Festival will be held the Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday that we get back from Winter Break. **IMPORTANT:** No student will be allowed to participate without completing the following instructions for submitting forms and money **BY WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23:**

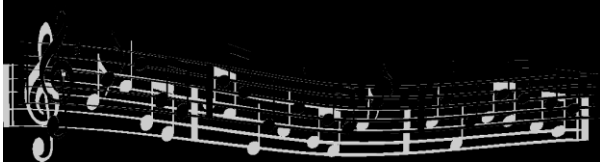
1. Go to the following website: www.northeasterndistrict.org. Click on the Festival link at the top and go to Senior Festival.
2. Complete the **Rehearsal Contract** and submit it online.
3. Complete the **Health Form** and submit it online; then print it out and return a hard copy to Mr. Smalley.
4. Submit a **Check for \$20.00** to Mr. Smalley, payable to NAMA.

Junior District Festival Information

All Junior Festival forms and money are due to Mr. Smalley **BY WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23**, with a check for \$13.00 made payable to NAMA. **Make sure you check off what group you will be auditioning for. Chorus students must include their height.** I have attached the registration form or you can pick one up in the band room.

All-State Auditions

All-State Audition registration/health forms and money are due to Mr. Smalley by **FRIDAY, JANUARY 15**, with a check for \$20.00 made payable to NAMA. Forms can be found at www.northeasterndistrict.org website under the All-State link.



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Trip Information

December trip packets are now ready. If you are not in class please stop in the band room on Monday to pick up your updated packet!

December trip Payment is due Tuesday, December 22nd!

Glancing Further Ahead

Due to schedule conflicts some students cannot fit band into their schedule all three trimesters. I still ask that all students attend **weekly sectionals**, practice at home and **participate in all of the performances that the band does**. This is a **must** for all students who are participating in the Virginia trip. We will be holding some after school band rehearsals starting in January. Please make sure you check the schedule and stop into the band room for any and all updates.

Sincerely,
Justin D. Smalley
Director of Bands, North Andover High School
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