



Concert Band ITINERARY

STATE Band Contest
Friday April 26, 2024
3:00PM
Wright State University, CAC



Itinerary & Dress Information

12:20 - Excused from lunch. Change into concert formalwear. Prepare music and instrument – physically check to make sure you have your music folder, mouthpiece, sticks, etc. Load instruments onto trailer, keep folder on bus.

12:50- attendance taken on bus

1:00- leave for Wright State University Creative Arts Center. Upon arrival we will check in, use the restrooms, and work through non-playing group warm-ups in our designated area. Do not mess with anything: Writing on boards, moving desks, etc.

2:20 - leave homeroom for the warm-up room

2:25 - official warm-up time until 2:50

3:00pm - official performance time

**After stage performance the group will go into a closed sightreading session. Parents are welcome to stay in the auditorium and listen to other performances.*

3:55 - back to homeroom to pack instruments, then await results.

~4:15 – load instruments & bus. *We should arrive at home by approximately 5:20pm.* Please share this information with your parents and invite them to attend our performance.

CONTEST PERFORMANCE ATTIRE

LADIES: *concert gowns with black dress shoes.*
GENTLEMEN: *concert tuxes, **black socks** and black dress shoes.*

NO ATHLETIC SHOES OF ANY KIND!

REMINDER THAT NO CELL PHONE USE, PHOTOS, OR RECORDINGS ARE ALLOWED DURING OUR PERFORMANCE. ALL CELL PHONES MUST BE OFF. USE OF THESE DEVICES COULD RESULT IN OUR GROUP BEING **DISQUALIFIED**. THANK YOU!

Music in the Parks! Details Letter

Dear parents and students,

The Junior High Band's competition performance at Music in the Parks at King's Island & Loveland Middle School is coming up April 27, so here are some details:

8:45am Arrive and load instruments onto trailer
9:00am Departure
10:55am Adjudicated performance of *High School Band*
11:20am Adjudicated performance of *Jr. High Band*
11:30am Concert ends; depart to King's Island
(12:20pm *Bus arrives back at Newton for students not participating fully*)
4:50pm Meet at Timberwolf Amphitheater for Awards (next to Drop Tower)
9:00pm Depart King's Island
10:15pm Arrive back at Newton, unload trailer. Pick up at rear-of-school band room doors

I would like to thank the following for volunteering to help chaperone our students! Becky & Ryan Christman, Carmen Marchal, Amy Fullenkamp, Kristina Peele, Jeremy Butts, Bob Vandenbosch, and Jen Miller; and to our music boosters for helping drive our instrument trailer.

While at the park, students will be ***walking in groups and will check in with their chaperone*** at 2:30. In 2021 King's Island transitioned to a cashless park—only payments accepted are credit/debit, Google Pay, Apple Pay and using their cash-to-card system throughout the parks. There are no fees to utilize the cash-to-card and cash deposited is credited onto a VISA card.

All participants will need to ***bring payment for a meal (1 meal ticket provided)***, souvenirs, or any extras.

All Jr High students should wear their blue t-shirt, a good-luck gift from the Newton Music Boosters, which will be passed out Friday. We will be at King's Island rain-or-shine, so plan accordingly. Layers are a great option—jackets, sweatshirts, etc.

As always, thank you for your support of music in our schools!

Mr. Taylor
Instrumental Music 5-12

PS. Address for Loveland Middle School is below. Performance event is free and open to the public.

Loveland Middle School:
801 S Lebanon Rd.
Loveland, OH 45140