



## Concert Band ITINERARY

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



## Itinerary & Dress Information

**10:45 – Excused from school.** 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.

**11:10-** attendance taken on bus

**11:15-** leave for Golden Corral, and 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