**ECHOES**

SUCH A GIGANTIC THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH ECHOES 50, ***ESPECIALLY STEPHANIE SEVCIK FOR ORGANIZING THE EVENT!!!*** The show went great, lots of alumni enjoying themselves, lots of bands….BRAVA, TUTTI!

**FRIDAY 11/4 = NO GAME**

We will not have a football game on Friday, 11/4. It is a bye week (free week in between the regular season and playoffs). Next game will be Friday, 11/11, at home vs. Manheim Township.

Be on the lookout for a TTSU for concessions/fry wagon/chaperoning on Fri, 11/11!

**SATURDAY 11/5 SCHEDULE**

9:00a     Rehearsal Begins

12:15p   End Rehearsal, load truck, eat lunch, change into uniform \***FEED THE BAND will be pizza and sa**lad\*

1:45p     Depart CVHS

3:00p     Arrive New Oxford (Conewago Valley Intermediate School), Unload

3:30p     Begin Warmups

4:25p     Depart Warmups

4:35p     Gate

4:45p     CVMB PERFORMS

5:00p     Load trucks***, change into regular clothes,*** return to stadium to watch some bands!

8:30p     New Oxford Band performs

8:50p     (approx.) Awards

9:12p     (approx.) Estimated Critique

9:30p     (approx.) Depart New Oxford

10:15p   (approx.) Arrive CVHS

**NEW OXFORD TICKET PRICES**

If you’re attending the show on Saturday, ticket prices are as follows:

$11 Adult credit

$10 Adult cash

$9 Senior/Student credit

$8 Senior/Student cash

**CHAMPIONSHIPS INFO**

We will perform on **SUNDAY, 11/13, at Hersheypark Stadium**, at either **5:15, 5:30, 5:45, or 6:00 in the evening**. We won’t know our exact time until Monday, November 7, or Tuesday, November 8. Awards will occur at 9:30pm.

A reminder that tickets can be [purchased here.](https://cavalcadeofbands.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/2022-Marching-Band-Championship-Ticket-Details.pdf) Remember to choose SUNDAY tickets. I HIGHLY RECOMMEND YOU PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE. Tickets at the window will cost $4 more than they do online.

During the **weekend of November 11, 12, & 13**, we will also have a playoff game *(probably 11/11 home vs. Manheim Township)*, rehearsal (probably Saturday), and end of season smorgasbord (to be determined). Your flexibility is appreciated.

**PLAYOFFS**

We are ranked #4 after the boys’ win vs. Altoona at home on Friday. This means we host the #5 seed, Manheim Township (who we played for our first game), on Friday, 11/11.

***If we win that game,*** we will face the winner of the #1 vs. #8 game (@Hempfield or vs. Carlisle) on Friday, 11/18.

**DISNEY TRIP REHEARSALS…**

…will be held **Monday, 11/14, Wednesday, 11/16, and Monday, 11/21 from 3:10p-4:25p.** These will be required of everyone attending the trip. *Non-trip folks don’t need to report.*

Mountain View folks should make plans for parental transportation directly to CVHS after school, and you will join us as soon as you’re able. Eagle View/CV9 folks should take the activity buses to CVHS.

The activity buses home FROM CVHS leave at approximately 4:30p. There is 1 per township (Monroe, Middlesex, Silver Spring, and Hampden). Students must sign up prior to 12p at their respective buildings for that bus.

**MORE IMPORTANT DATES**

Please make sure you are visiting [www.cvbb.org/calendar](http://www.cvbb.org/calendar) for the most up to date calendar for the band. It contains all rehearsals, competitions, parades, and football games. *Please remember that most Saturdays will have a rehearsal component to them, whether there is a competition that evening or not.* Here they are in at-a-glance form:

*NOVEMBER*

5      9a-12:15p   Reh                      Rehearsal prior to New Oxford show

5             4p        Comp                    New Oxford **(CVMB Performs at 4:45p)**

11           7pm        FB                      Playoff Game #1 HOME vs. Manheim Township

12           tbd                                      Rehearsal

13           tbd        Comp                   Cavalcade of Bands Championships (SUNDAY)

15           7pm      Concert                CVHS Fall Band Concert (CVHS PAC) (MB doesn’t perform)

18           tbd        FB (?)                    Potential Playoff Game #2 (OR Nov 19)

25           tbd         FB (?)                   Potential District 3 Championship Game (or Nov 26)

*DECEMBER*

3             all day   Auditions             PMEA District 7 Band Auditions @ Eastern York HS

3             tbd         FB (?)                   Potential State Semi-Final Game (or Dec 2)

10           tbd         FB (?)                   Potential State Championship Game

**PRACTICING AT HOME**

It is imperative that your student is practicing at home, whether that’s practicing their music, their flag work, marching their sets on the parking lot during non-band times, practicing drill with other band students, etc. ESPECIALLY when they miss a rehearsal.

***Please*** make sure that your student is doing something for band every non-rehearsal day to help us to help them improve. Thanks!

I believe that’s it for now. Have a great week!

~Mr. P.~