Annual TSC 8th Grade Fall Band Festival Informational Letter

Dear Advanced Band Parents and Students.

The TSC Fall Band Festival will take place on Wednesday, October 12 at McCutcheon High School. The 8th Grade Band students from Southwestern, Wea Ridge, and Wainwright Middle Schools will be participating in this event.

Southwestern Band students will be released from their classes and ride a bus to McCutcheon High School for a rehearsal during the school day, and remain there for the concert later that evening. The concert begins at 7:00pm.

Students will be provided with a subway meal and water to drink for dinner, which they pre-ordered in class via a google form. Each student is required to prepay for their dinner or bring their own meal. *Please send cash or a check payable to the Southwestern Band Boosters for the meal fee by Wednesday October 5, 2022.*

- 6" Subway Meal = \$7.00
- 12" Subway Meal = \$9.00

Proper concert attire is required for this performance:

***Please make sure you have filled out the Polo Shirt Order Form and Paid for it.

Gentlemen:

- Band Polo Shirt
- Black Dress Pants
- Black Socks
- Black Dress Shoes.
- Please No Jeans, No tennis shoes, No white Socks

***Please make sure you have filled out the Polo Shirt Order Form and Paid for it. Ladies:

- Band Polo Shirt
- Black Dress Pants
- Black Dress Shoes Please try to wear a flat or low profile heal, as we will be using steps on and off the stage several times.
- Please No Jeans, No tennis shoes, No white Socks
- Students will need to provide transportation *home* after the performance.

Sincerely,

Mr. Tom Eisan Director of Bands Southwestern Middle School Tippecanoe School Corporation teisan@tsc.k12.in.us

TSC 8th Grade Fall Band Festival Schedule October 12, 2022 McCutcheon High School

(Schedule also available on band website)

Attention Parents:

- You will be responsible to pick up your child after the concert at McCutcheon High School **THE BUS IS ONE WAY ONLY.**
- All students are responsible for any make-up work or missed tests/quizzes AND students need to get their work/assignments from their teachers ahead of time.

Rehearsal Schedule

1:15	Report to the Band Room for Attendance
1:20	Instruments, Music, and equipment ready to load on bus
1:25	Load the Busses with instruments, music, and equipment
1:30	Depart for McCutcheon High School
1:45	Arrive at McCutcheon High School – Unload and find seats
2:00	Unload report to the auditorium.
2:15	Mr. Rowe discusses expectations and procedures with all bands
2:30	Rehearsal begins on the stage
3:30	Break
3:40	Resume Rehearsal
5:00	Break - Move all personal items & instrument cases to homeroom areas
5:15	Run-through for the evening (all the pieces/concert etiquette)
5:45	Rehearsal Ends – Brent's Bench will be available for last minute repairs
6:00	Dinner - McCutcheon Cafeteria
6:45	All students on the stage for warm-up & tuning
7:00	TSC Southside Fall Festival Band Concert





* * * Keep the schedule and return the **permission slip only** to the teacher. * * *

PERMISSION SLIP AND MEAL PAYMENT – Due - 10/5/22

We have read and understand the **TSC 8th Grade Fall Band Festival** at McCutcheon High School is a co-curricular part of the band class grade.

- Student performance attire: Band Polo Shirt, Black Pants, & Black Shoes
- Paid for my child's meal, if they requested one.
- Parents also understand they MUST find Mr. Eisan and sign out their child in the auditorium after the concert. Your child's safety is very important.
- If you have any questions or concerns please contact me at school.

School Email: teisan@tsc.k12.in.us

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	Parent/ Guardian Signature	
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	Student Signature	