

Note from Mrs. Bartley

This is going to be a big week! The students have been working hard to prepare for this performance and can't wait to share it with friends, family and the Prosper community!

December 7th Rehearsal

Mark Wood will be running this rehearsal for just the PHS orchestra! Please remember to be on time and set-up and tune quickly.

Location: Orchestra Room

Time: 8th period, report directly to the orchestra room

What to bring: Instrument, music & tuner (cello & bass may use school instruments)

What to wear: Regular school clothes

December 8th Dress Rehearsal

This is a combined rehearsal with all orchestras in the arena lead by Mark Wood. Below is highlights of the schedule:

Lunch: All orchestra students will eat A lunch

After Lunch: Go to the orchestra room and leave backpacks in your instrument locker. Report directly to the arena with the following:

- Instrument (in the **case**)
- Music
- Cello & Bass MUST use a rockstop
- Water, snack or food you plan to eat after rehearsal

Please note that you will not be going back to the orchestra room until after the concert.

What to wear: You must come to the rehearsal dressed for the concert. Please be dressed in one of the options below:

- Mark Wood or orchestra t-shirt and jeans
- Rock outfit following school dress code

December 8th Concert Reminders

Reserved Ticket Holders

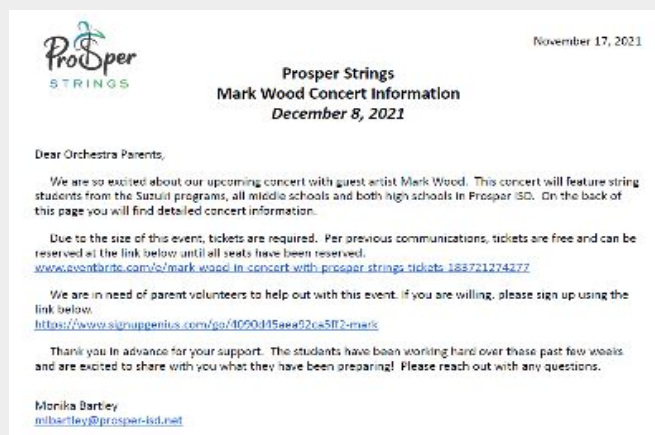
Doors to the arena will open at 5:30 PM. You must have your tickets on your phone to be scanned or printed out to be scanned, and you need to be seated by 6:15 PM. At that time, we will open the doors to the standing-room-only ticket holders to find any available seats. If you are not seated by 6:15, you may lose your seat.

Standing-Room-Only Ticket Holders

When you arrive at the arena, there will be a roped-off line for you to stand in. At 6:15PM, we will allow you to go into the arena and find any remaining seats. Once those seats are full, there will be standing room on the concourse level.

Concert Information

Click below to access the concert information that was sent out on 11/17. Please note that volunteers are still needed for this concert. The link is in the document below.



Reminders for Students

- Chamber & Applied Music Students:
 - Rehearsal will be on Monday 12/6 during 2nd period. If you are not in 2nd period you will miss this rehearsal. You will be okay as we will be running it again on 12/9
 - Winter Extravaganza is on 12/9
 - Arrival time **7:50am** and start of runthrough will be **8:00am**
 - Wear your orchestra polo and jeans (no holes). Optional holiday accessories.
- Due to missing some classes for our rehearsal & performance, you may use one orchestra class to meet with the teacher of your missed class. Please have your teacher email me if you need to do this so I know which day. You will need to report to the orchestra room first for attendance.
- Tutorials: I am available most days before and after school, please email me to schedule a time.
- Please reach out to me if you need help with anything. My door is always open.

Pictures

Our PHS Orchestra Historians need your pictures! Please upload pictures that you take at our PHS Orchestra events using this [link](#) so our historians can document this year and create the slideshow for our orchestra banquet.

Questions?

If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Bartley at mlbartley@prosper-isd.net.