

Indoor News 2023 - May 1-7

Congratulations to all of the teams on a wonderful show on Saturday. Great big congratulations to percussion for breaking into the 90's! Northern teams are ready for an excellent showing in Wildwood this week.

Thank you to all of the parents, relatives and friends that helped us with championships on Friday and Saturday. We got a lot of compliments on the show and how friendly everyone was. We couldn't have done it without everyone working together!!!!

Wildwood - Here We Come!!!!!!

This week in Indoor:

- Monday, May 1st:
 - Percussion practice 6-9 (HS)
 - Mrs. Singer (Wildwood Nurse) will be at the HS at 6 to get any meds that percussion parents need to drop off for this week.
- Tuesday, May 2nd:
 - HSG practice 6-9 (SLC)
 - MSG practice 6-9 (MS)
 - Mrs. Singer will be at the SLC at the beginning of practices to get any meds that need to be dropped off for this week.
 - **HIGH SCHOOL BAND CONCERT:** Guard parents, consider staying around after you drop your kids off to practice, for the band concert at 7pm. Support all of the musicians including our percussion unit!!

- We are taking an extra floor with us to Wildwood. We need to get it off the SLC floor and onto a rolling cart. If there is anyone available Tuesday to help get that floor on the cart, we would greatly appreciate it.
- Load Guard Truck @ 8pm
- Load Percussion truck after concert is over.
- Wednesday, May 3rd:
 - Everyone should be at the HS by 5:15pm.
 - We will take attendance and a picture before heading out a 6pm. We should then be in Wildwood by 10 or so.
- See below for performance schedule for the rest of the week.

Wildwood Candy Grams:

- We will be doing a special candy gram for the kids at Wildwood. It is a \$5 candy gram. Please fill out a form and turn them in on Monday at the HS to Mrs. Sprigg or Tuesday at the HS to Mrs. Sprigg, if you haven't already done so.

Wildwood:

- Hotel Information: We have been assigned The Acropolis in North Wildwood. The address for the hotel is 300 John F. Kennedy Beach Drive North Wildwood, NJ 08260
- Packing for Wildwood: The weather at Wildwood in May can be freezing cold, wet and rainy, nice and "springy" or hot. Please pack for the different types of weather. Make sure you have enough Northern Shirts with you and your indoor jackets as we will be wearing them in the convention center and when we are pulling floors and helping our teams with props.
 - You can pack snacks for yourselves to have in your rooms as well. We will be feeding you each day and will have snacks for you at night. We will also have plenty of water and gatorade for you as well. Most times kids like to bring some snacks along with them as well.

- Please make sure you either eat before we get on the bus that Wednesday and leave at 6 or bring your dinner with you to eat on the bus. The bus won't be stopping for dinner on our way down.
- You will be responsible for getting your own lunch on the boardwalk or in the convention center on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Please make sure you have money for that. If you have approximately \$15 per meal, you should be good.
- You can also bring spending money for souvenirs on the boardwalk if you want.
- Don't forget, you **HAVE TO BE IN SCHOOL ON MONDAY, MAY 8th**. If you don't show up, you are jeopardizing the trip in years to come.
- Performances:
 - Thursday, May 4th:
 - Percussion Prelims: They will perform at 1:31pm.
 - Friday, May 5th:
 - Dance Prelims: They will perform at 1:20pm.
 - MS Guard Finals: They will perform at 3:49pm with full retreat at 4:25pm.
 - HS Guard Prelims: They will perform at 9:18pm.
 - Saturday, May 6th:
 - Dance Finals: They will perform at 12:27pm with full retreat at 1:55pm.
 - Percussion Finals: They will perform anytime between 8 and 9:30 pm pending results of prelims. Full retreat will be at 10:25pm.
 - Sunday, May 7th:
 - HS Guard finals: They will perform at 1:31pm with full retreat at 3:00pm.
- Those that decide to come down and didn't get wrist bands through us, you can get them at the convention center. You can either pay **per session** or you can get a wristband that will work for any event you choose to attend at the convention center. I can no longer order wristbands through TIA.

They will have to be purchased at the door in the convention center that week.

- **Message from Mrs. Singer - Wildwood Nurse:**
 - Mrs. Singer will be going to Wildwood with us as our nurse.
 - If you are going to Wildwood and staying with us, you can handle your child's meds. If not, please save pill bottles and send **ONLY** a supply of medication that the students will need during the trip.

Music Booster News:

- The music boosters help **ALL** of the district music programs including the indoor program. Please consider becoming part of the boosters.
- [Music Boosters Website](#)
- Next booster meeting is **Monday, May 15th at 7pm** in the HS band room.
- **2023 Band Camp Dates:** Mark your calendars now!!! Those that will be in 9-12 (this year's 8th-11th graders) grade for the 2023-2024 school year and are planning on being a part of the high school marching band, here are the dates for band camp. They are earlier this year due to school starting earlier.
 - July 24-August 3, 2023

Indoor Banquet:

- Our end of year indoor banquet will be on Wednesday, May 10th. It will be held at Liberty Forge Golf Course.
- All RSVPs should be in to Jamie Markle. She needs to give them our numbers this week before we leave.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

I am looking forward to a wonderful week in Wildwood!

I am so proud of you all and your hard work this season!!!

Sheri