

Dear Parents,

November 23, 2016

Fieldstone's annual Holiday Concert is fast approaching; this year, it will take place on **Wednesday December 21st at 7:00pm**. The students are already hard at work on their seasonal repertoire and they are very excited to share these beautiful pieces of music with you.

As in previous years, please note the following details:

- **Attendance is mandatory for all students.** The pieces that we are playing have been carefully arranged for each class and they require every single violin, cello, and voice to be present. **If you have already made travel plans that conflict with the concert, or if there is an extremely important activity that they must attend, please email me immediately so that we are aware and can plan accordingly.**
- Students must be in **Number One Dress**: button-down Fieldstone shirt, tie and black, polish-able leather shoes.
- On concert night, students should be in their homeroom classes by **6:30pm**. It takes a long time to get everyone tuned and set up so please do not be late.
- Parents should proceed to the gymnasium at **6:30** to enjoy some holiday treats from our **Annual Fieldstone Holiday Cookie Exchange!** Please spread some festive cheer at our Holiday Concert by preparing a nut free holiday treat to share the evening of December 21st. If you are interested in participating, please email Paige Driscoll at pdriscoll@fieldstonedayschool.org by December 16th and let her know what you will be bringing so that name tags can be made!

DISMISSAL: All students will remain with their homeroom teachers until the end of the concert and must be signed out by their parents or guardians at the end of the evening. **Please respect and support your school-mates by staying until the end of the concert.** If a student absolutely must leave early, they must be signed out from his or her homeroom.

AFTER-SCHOOL NOTES: If you plan to have your child placed in aftercare (Grade Jk-8) until 6:30pm on the day of the concert (ie. you will be meeting your child/children at the school in time for the concert), please inform the office as a pizza dinner will be provided for \$5 per child. Please bring your pizza money to the office by Monday December 19th so that we know how much to order.

Middle School students are not permitted to come and go from the school between 3:45 and 6:30pm. If they are staying at the school, they must remain in Aftercare until concert time. They should not leave the school on their own for dinner or any other purpose.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Best regards,

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