

Dear BHHS Music Families,

On behalf of the BHHS arts faculty, Bloomfield Band and Orchestra Parents and The Bloomfield Choir Parents, welcome to the BHHS Performing arts department. We have an exciting year ahead and look forward to fantastic concerts, musicals, festivals and marching band shows.

The first step to all these great performances is to make sure we **all** have our uniforms before the show. This is a massive process to get our 475 students fitted in as short of time as possible.

All musicians from all groups -- concert band and orchestra, marching band and choir -- should plan on attending uniform fitting from 4:00-9:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 20 in the performing arts wing of the high school.

We ask that you make every attempt to attend fitting during this evening as this is entirely a volunteer effort and fittings outside this window require significant additional volunteer work. Please arrive using the following schedule:

4:00 - Seniors
5:00 - Juniors
6:00 - Sophomores
7:00 - Freshmen

If you cannot make your scheduled time, please come when you can at any time from 4-9 p.m. It is more important to get your uniform than adhere to a specific schedule.

All uniforms require a nominal cleaning fee, which can be paid in advance or Tuesday before leaving with your uniform. We also encourage you to use this time to support the boosters!

ENSEMBLE SPECIFIC INFORMATION

Choir

Choir parents, this is a registration evening to turn in forms, pay the fees and pick up uniforms. Please bring your checkbook as you cannot take the uniform home until you have paid the fee.

Choir girls, these dresses are more fitted and require you to try them on without a shirt underneath. We will have fitting rooms available.

Boys, you will try on a tux jacket and pants. Tux shirts are not part of the provided uniform; you will need to purchase your own shirt.

Nancy Recknagel, Choir President
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Jessica Rankin, Choir Uniform Chair
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Concert (Band and Orchestra)

Band and orchestra girls, please wear a tank top/t-shirt and shorts to make trying on your dress easier. These dresses will easily slip over your head. Please know your dress size.

Boys, you will try on a tux jacket and pants. Tux shirts are not part of the provided uniform; you will need to purchase your own shirt. Please have an idea of what size pants and jacket you wear.

Band and Orchestra parents, this will be one of your first opportunities to join BBOB and pay your dry cleaning fees of \$10 per uniform. ***Note that marching band players will need to pay the cleaning fee for both the marching band and concert uniforms, colorguard only pays for the concert uniform.*** Please use the following link to complete the online payment and membership form. You cannot take the uniform home until you have paid the fee. Cash, check payable to BBOB, or proof of online payment will be required at check out. <https://www.bboboosters.com/membership>

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Sign up to help:

Concert (Band, Orchestra and Choir):

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409044DAAA72AA31-concert3>

Thank you for your dedication to the performing arts program and we hope you can join in our effort to provide a great musical experience for all students!

Thank you,

Jessica, Alan and Scott