



TWIB Notes – Week of 3/5

JAZZ SWEET 'N SWINGIN' SOCIAL: THURS, MARCH 8 – 7:30PM

Invite your friends, family, and neighbors to the Jazz Band "Sweet 'n Swingin' Social" in the PAC Commons to benefit the jazz program. Help send the jazz bands to the Texas Tech Jazz Festival! The concert is free, but we will have desserts available for donations. See you on Friday.

AHS REHEARSAL ROOM CHANGES THIS WEEK

A few ensembles will be adjusting their rehearsal spaces this week because of the UIL Region 25 Orchestra Concert & Sight-Reading Contest. In addition, the Orchestra Hall has permanently switched locations with the MPR. From this time on, we will refer to the Old MPR as the Orchestra Hall. The MPR will be unavailable for the rest of the semester as that is a testing center while AHS goes through renovations.

- Wind Ensemble (Obado): No Change (Band Hall)
- Wind Symphony (May): No Change (Ensemble Room)
- Symphonic 1 (Daniels): New Percussion Room
- Symphonic 2 (Manuel): No Change (Orchestra Hall – Formerly MPR)
- Concert 1 (Singletary): New Percussion Room (Mon-Thurs)/Ensemble Room (Friday)
- Concert 2 (Obado): Orchestra Hall – formerly MPR (Mon, Wed, Thurs)/Black Box (Tuesday)/Band Hall (Friday)
- Jazz 1 (Daniels): Old Percussion Room
- Jazz 2 (Obado): New Percussion Room – start with Jazz 1 in Old Percussion Room

VOLUNTEER HELP: ARKANSAS TECH HOMESTAY & SWEET 'N SWINGIN' DESSERTS

Arkansas Tech: The Arkansas Tech Symphonic Wind Ensemble is performing at our Pre-UIL Concert on Tuesday, March 20th (see next announcement). The band is looking for some families to host one or more students. If you are interested in hosting these deserving and talented students, please sign up here:

<http://signup.com/go/uWvLxzp>

Sweet 'n Swingin' Social: If you can help provide desserts for the jazz band, please sign-up here:

<http://signup.com/go/yvVKnmb>

PRE-UIL CONCERTS & ARKANSAS TECH SYMPHONIC WIND ENSEMBLE: MARCH 19-20

We will have our Pre-UIL Concerts as soon as we return from break. In addition, we will be hosting the Arkansas Tech Symphonic Wind Ensemble as part of their Spring Tour on March 20th. All students, family, friends, and neighbors are invited to their free concert at approximately 8pm on March 20th. Advanced music students can write a concert critique on their concert.

Monday March 19

6:00pm	LFC Concert Band (Rohr)
6:30pm	Concert Band 2 (Obado)
7:00pm	Concert Band 1 (Singletary)
7:30pm	LFC Symphonic Band (Rohr)
8:00pm	Symphonic Band 2 (Manuel)

Tuesday, March 20

6:00pm Symphonic Band 1 (Daniels)
6:30pm LFC Wind Ensemble (Blankenship)
7:00pm Wind Symphony (May)
7:30pm Wind Ensemble (Obado)
8:00pm Arkansas Tech University Symphonic Wind Ensemble

2018 SLT INFORMATION

The directors will continue Wednesday leadership sessions after drum major auditions in the MPR from 3:40pm-4:30pm. These sessions will not be required but encouraged all the way through SLT tryouts. LFC students will be late since you will need to take the AHS shuttle over.

SLT tryouts will be TBD (to be determined) the week of April 9-13. Students selected for SLT will be required to participate in First Steps Week (April 16-19).

THE NEXT THREE WEEKS

Mon 3/5 Orchestra Rehearsal - 6:30pm
Wind Ensemble Recording Session - 7:30pm
Tues 3/6 Orchestra UIL - 2:50pm-5:35pm
Band Booster Board Meeting – 7:00pm
Wed 3/7 SLT Session – 3:45pm-4:30pm
Thurs 3/8 Jazz Band Sweet ‘n Swingin’ Social – 7:30pm (PAC Commons)
Sat 3/17-18 Winter Guard: WGI Southwestern Championships
Mon 3/19 Pre-UIL Concerts
Tues 3/20 Pre-UIL Concerts
Arkansas Tech Symphonic Wind Ensemble – 8pm
Wed 3/21 SLT Session – 3:45pm-4:30pm
Fri 3/23 Winter Guard: Friends & Family Performance (Ereckson MS) – 7:00pm
Sat 3/24 Dallas Winds Rehearsal
Jazz Bands at Collin College Jazz Festival
Winter Guard: NCTA Regional A Championships