

Mead High School Bands



DOWNBEAT

Updates & Announcements

3/11/2019

Hey Band!

1. Congratulations to the **Symphonic Band** on an Excellent (2) rating at the **CBA Concert Band Northern Regional** last week! Only 27 bands out of 118 scored a Superior (1) rating. We have a lot to celebrate, and we set the bar high for next year!
2. **Jazz Band** has a concert tomorrow. We will feature the MMS Jazz Band as well as a very exciting Music In Our Schools Month presentation sponsored by Stapp Interstate Toyota and Music & Arts.
3. Jazz Band Students: Reserve your free tickets to **the CSU Jazz Ensembles** concert on April 9th! Google Form posted in Schoology.
4. The permission slip for the **Canon City Festival** (May 2 & 3) is available! We need all of you there to make our performances shine. Slips and money due April 1st.
5. **The Mead Summer Concert Band** sign-up form is now available. We will hold a Summer Concert Band available to any musician with at least 1 year of experience. This will include current, former, and incoming students, but also students outside our feeder. Details and a link to sign up is in the Announcements section of the band website and posted in Schoology.
6. Any student interested in auditioning for the **2019-2020 MHS Drumline** should download the drumline book ASAP. Email Mr. Lemons if you didn't get the drumline book via email.
7. **March is Music In Our Schools Month**. We are currently featuring quotes from students about the impact of music education on their lives. We'd like to open it up to parents, family members, staff members, etc. so if you have a quote or statement, email it to Mr. Lemons. Check out our social media pages for student quotes to help inspire you.
8. We are excited to host **Tim Chatwood**, an **Innovative Percussion** artist. IP is sponsoring the event on March 19 from 6-9 PM in the Mead HS Auditorium. It's a free event and a chance to win free prizes. You **DON'T** have to be a percussionist to attend. Sign up using the form posted in Schoology and in the Announcements section of the band website.