

September 29, 2021

Dear Parent(s),

I hope you are looking forward to Mass Choir Night as much as we are! It is NEXT Friday, October 8. Below is the itinerary for that evening:

- 5:15-5:40 PM – Arrive at RHS (main building). Please come to the back of the high school (cafeteria side). We will be checking in at the grassy area at the back of the school. Check in with Miss Moore OR a parent volunteer. You MUST check in.
- 5:40 – Walk over to courtyard.
- 5:45-5:55 – Line up in rows. Please be quiet, attentive, and flexible if you are asked to move to a new spot.
- 6:00-6:30 – Rehearse with RHS, HES, and ASE Choirs.
- 6:35 – Walk over to the football stadium IN ORDER. Take places on the field when it's time.
- 6:45 – SING!!

After we are done singing, students are free to stay for the game OR you may take them home at that time. If your child stays for the game, please know that parents are asked to accompany their children at all RHS football games.

Students will get into the game for free. Parents - admission is \$7.00 for the game if you are coming to watch. You can purchase tickets for the game at gofan.co.

If you are planning on your child NOT staying for the game, please pick them up outside the football stadium in a timely manner. We should be done around 7:00.

WHAT TO WEAR:

- 2021-2022 OTMS Singers shirt
 - **IF** our shirts for this year aren't in yet:
 - 7th and 8th grade singers – wear last year's Old Town Middle Singers shirt
 - 6th grade – wear something school colors (Columbia blue, navy, white) OR something Ridgeland Zone related
- Jeans (in dress code – NO HOLES)
- Shoes of your choice (as long as they're comfortable)!

Please arrive at RHS already dressed. There will be no time available to change clothes.

Parents – if you signed up as interested in volunteering to help with this event, I will be in touch with you over the next few days. Please be on the lookout for an e-mail from me!

Just as a reminder – this performance will count as a major grade. Per the Choir Handbook, all performances are mandatory unless a major emergency or sudden illness occurs. If something DOES happen, please contact me IMMEDIATELY (via e-mail or Remind).

Mr. Creel, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Turner, and myself are VERY excited for our third annual Mass Choir Night. Our students have worked extremely hard to prepare, and we can't wait for this performance opportunity! If you have any questions, please e-mail me OR message me on Remind.

Thank you,

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