

BELLINGHAM MEMORIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL
5TH GRADE COURSE SELECTION

Next year's 5th grade students will be in either Band or Chorus for one class period per week. Every student must attend one or the other. This form must be filled out by every family with a fourth grade student. Thank you!

STUDENT'S NAME: _____

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (CIRCLE ONE): **Stallbrook** **Macy** **South**

HOMEROOM TEACHER: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: _____

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

I WOULD LIKE TO ENROLL IN (check one or the other):

<input type="checkbox"/> BAND <i>If you select BAND please fill out the reverse side of this form.</i>	- OR -	<input type="checkbox"/> CHORUS <i>If you select CHORUS, no further action is required.</i>
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**RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM TO YOUR HOMEROOM TEACHER
BY FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 2015**

BELLINGHAM MEMORIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL
BEGINNING BAND ENROLLMENT FORM

- If possible, please enroll online at: www.BellinghamMusic.org/join -

Check here if you have enrolled online. You do not need to fill out the rest of this form.

CONTACT INFORMATION

PREFERRED PHONE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN EMAIL: _____

Your email is the primary mode of communication. Announcements, updates, and communication about your child's progress will be sent through email and will be used for no other purpose than this.

INSTRUMENT SELECTION

CHOOSE FROM:

FLUTE – CLARINET – SAXOPHONE
TRUMPET – TROMBONE – PERCUSSION

1st CHOICE: _____

2nd CHOICE: _____

Please check here if you are requesting a school-owned instrument and can demonstrate financial need. Preference is given to students on free and reduced-cost lunch. Please note: you will still need to purchase a book and some accessories, totaling around \$60. If this is not possible, contact me and we will work it out!

RENTAL NIGHT

On Wednesday, September 9, at 6:30PM at the BHS Auditorium, we will hold our Instrument Rental Night. This will also serve as a "Band Orientation" night, where you will be presented with some essential information about your child's success in the Band Program. It is highly recommended that all attend. It is here that you can begin the rental period of the instrument and take it home. Even if you are not renting, you can still purchase the required accessories every student needs.

1) Do you plan to attend? (circle) YES NO

2) MAIN REASON: (check one)

- Rent an instrument
 Purchase necessary accessories ONLY
 Band Orientation ONLY

STUDENT-PARENT-MUSIC DEPARTMENT AGREEMENT

Each student will be expected to:

1. Study for at least one half year unless the instructor recommends termination of instruction through parental consultation.
2. Attend each lesson prepared with instrument and book with practice sheet signed by a parent/guardian.
3. Play the instrument daily for at least 10–20 minutes. The teacher may be contacted to discuss a student's progress at any time.
4. Purchase or rent the best possible instrument. Beware of low prices or second hand instruments. Poor instruments frustrate beginners and hinder learning. **Some school instruments are available AT NO CHARGE** to those who need one. Preference will be given to students on free or reduced-cost lunch.
5. **PLEASE** do not handle the instrument until the student receives proper instruction at the first lesson.
6. Accept responsibility for the care and maintenance of the instrument.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____