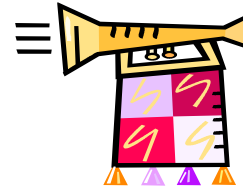
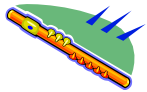


Sound the Trumpets



THE OWOSSO ELEMENTARY BAND CLASS WILL BE STARTING SOON!

Before we can begin the full slate of elementary band classes, the 5th graders need to be evaluated and placed on instruments. The schedule of activities for band instructors and students is as follows:



August 19-25 Students introduced to band, materials distributed.



Weeks of August 23-27 and August 30-September 3 Target weeks for testing. Band directors will schedule testing with the teachers once notified that bubble sheets are completed.



Weeks of August 30-September 3 Tests completed and sent to Marshall Music for scoring. Fittings scheduled as soon as test scores arrive.



September 13-24 Individual students meet with a band director for instrument selection and placement. Students receive information about how to rent an instrument and have a bit of time to do so. Parent meeting information TBA



Week of September 27? October 4? Target week for starting fifth grade band at all elementary schools with instruments. This will be included in students' AM encore schedule at all Owosso Elementary Schools. St. Paul students will meet in the afternoon @ SPS. A more finite date will be shared with your student's teacher as soon as it is available.

We appreciate your patience and cooperation in this matter and hope to help make band an enjoyable and worthwhile experience for all students involved. You will be notified of special performances throughout the school year at a later date.

Musically Yours,

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