## STITO:S BAND

# NEWSLETTER

**September Edition** 

## What's been going on?

Welcome to a New School Year!
I am very excited for another great year ahead of us in the Stitó:s Music Department.

We will continue the tradition of our term end concerts this year and I look forward to taking our Band 7 & 8 students to compete in the Chilliwack Music festival again this school year.

### Grade 6's:

The grade 6 Band students will all be getting registered and settled into the new routine. Please make sure that you have your student registered no later than September 17<sup>th.</sup>

### Grade 7 & 8's:

I am excited to see where our grade 7 & 8 bands will go this year! Last year they all showed a great sense of growth and I look forward to helping them push it even further.



Band performances are a mandatory part of the course. If a student must be absent they must be excused by a parents or guardian. Failure to communicate will result in a Emerging grade for the term.

The band room is always open before the bell, at lunch, and after school should students need 1-1 help or wish to practice with friends.

Students are allowed to store their instrument in the Band room storage room.

Band Trip info will be coming by Mid-October.

Reminder that the yearly band trip is open to grade 8 Band students only.



Sept 10<sup>th</sup> - Band 6 info night

Sept 17<sup>th</sup> - Band 6 registration closes / Meet the

teacher night @ 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Sept 19<sup>th</sup> - Gr. 6 's to have their instruments

Dec 10th - Band concert #1

- Gr 6's @ 6:00 6:30 PM
- Gr 7 & 8's @ 7:00 8:00 PM

Mar 4<sup>th</sup> - Band concert #2

- Gr 6's @ 6:00 6:30 PM
- Gr 7 & 8's @ 7:00 8:00 PM

Mar 9<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> - Chilliwack Music Festival

Grad 7 & 8's only

April TBA - Grade 8 Band Trip / Location TBA

June 10th - Band concert #3

- Gr 6's @ 6:00 6:30 PM
- Gr 7 & 8's @ 7:00 8:00 PM

