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Dear Middle Grades Band Director,

Lindbergh High School, Dan Arana band director, and Timberland High School, Courtney Straine band director, will host the SLSMEA Middle Grades Band Festival on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 3 and 4, 2009. A schedule of performance times is attached, as well as directions. **Each group must set-up, perform, and leave the performance area in your twenty minute time period.**

UPON ARRIVAL: Bands may proceed to the warm up room if it is their time to warm up, or go to the auditorium to listen to other bands.

EQUIPMENT: The performance area will have music stands, four timpani, bass drum, chimes, and xylophone. All schools should provide their own snare drums, sticks, mallets, and small percussion. Call Dan Arana or Courtney Straine to check on the availability of other equipment if needed.

ADJUDICATOR TAPES: SLSMEA will provide cassette tapes – **DO NOT BRING CASSETTE TAPES.**

SCORES: You should furnish three original copies of non-xeroxed scores, with each measure numbered, for each selection performed.

LUNCH: Lunch will not be available at Lindbergh High School or Timberland High School.

CONTEST HEADQUARTERS: The contest center will be located near the warm-up room at Lindbergh, and outside the door to the auditorium at Timberland. Directors may pick up their scores, tapes, and rating sheets in this location before leaving.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Please refer to the 2009 SLSMEA Music Manual (at csd.org/slsmea) for information concerning time limits, ratings, and other information.

We look forward to having you at Lindbergh High School and Timberland High School, and hearing your group's performance. If you have any questions, please call, write, FAX, or e-mail (preferred). Best wishes for a successful day.

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Middle Grades Band Festival

Tuesday, March 3, 2009

Timberland School
559 East Highway N
Wentzville, Missouri

Warm-Up Performance
Band Rm. Auditorium

Group, Director

- 7:55 8:15 Wentzville South Middle School Eighth Grade Band, Courtney Straine & Matt Hayes dirs.
8:15 8:35 Frontier Middle School Band, Steven White & Heidi Curtis directors
8:35 8:55 Wentzville Middle School Eighth Grade Band, Jim Cunningham & Maggie Ramsey dirs.
8:55 9:15 Parkway West Middle School Concert Band, Dee Dee Emtry director
9:15 9:35 Wildwood Middle School Cadet Band, Matthew Frederickson & Denise Dauw directors
9:35 9:55 LaSalle Springs Middle School Concert Band, Marvin Medcalf & Lisa Blumhagen dirs.
9:55 10:15 Crestview Middle School Seventh Grade Band, Bob Wilhite & Mike Steep directors
10:15 10:35 Wildwood Middle School Concert Band, Mark McHale director
10:35 10:55 Rockwood Valley Middle School Concert Band, John Menner & Jill Young directors
10:55 11:15 Crestview Middle School Eighth Grade Concert Band, Bob Wilhite & Mike Steep dirs.

LUNCH

- 12:10 12:30 Holman Middle School Concert Band, Curt Jones & Adam Hall directors
12:30 12:50 Hazelwood Northwest Middle School Seventh Grade Band, Eric Meurer director
12:50 1:10 Hazelwood North Middle School Eighth Grade Band, Deborah Moser director
1:10 1:30 Pattonville Heights M S Seventh Grade Band, Abigail Williams & Anna Diebold dirs.
1:30 1:50 Hazelwood Northwest Eighth Grade Band, Eric Meurer director
1:50 2:10 Hoech Middle School Eighth Grade Band, Cliff McDaniel director

Adjudicators

Bob Dooley – Kahoka, Missouri
Jim Johnson – Columbia, Missouri
Carole Pearson – Salisbury, Missouri

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Middle Grades Band Festival

Wednesday, March 4, 2009

Lindbergh High School
4900 South Lindbergh Blvd.
St. Louis, Missouri

Warm-Up Performance
Lindbergh Auditorium
Room

Group, Director

- 8:20 8:40 Parkway Central Middle School Concert Band, Paul Holzen director
- 8:40 9:00 Sperreng M S Seventh Grade Band, Brian Wyss, Dan Arana, Jeremy McMahon,
Chelsea Bryant dirs.
- 9:00 9:20 Parkway Southwest Middle School Concert Band, Drew Davis director
- 9:20 9:40 Parkway South Middle School Seventh Grade Band, Greg Hamilton director
- 9:40 10:00 Sperreng M S Eighth Grade Band, Brian Wyss, Dan Arana, Jeremy McMahon,
Chelsea Bryant dirs.
- 10:00 10:20 Rockwood South Middle School Cadet Band, Angela Albrecht & Alec Patton directors
- 10:20 10:40 Ferguson Middle School Band, James Young director
- 10:40 11:00 Cross Keys Middle School Concert Band, Joseph Paule director
- 11:00 11:20 Rockwood South Middle School Concert Band, Angela Albrecht & Alec Patton directors
- LUNCH
- 12:00 12:20 Wydown Middle School Concert Band, Michael Kanaan director
- 12:20 12:40 Bernard Middle School Symphonic Band, Thom Skinner director
- 12:40 1:00 Brentwood Middle School Band, Sara Badger director
- 1:00 1:20 Wydown Middle School Symphonic Band, Paul Varley, Mike Kanaan,
Jennifer Shenberger, Kim Shelley dirs.
- 1:20 1:40 North Kirkwood Middle School, Rebecca Friesen & Mary Wiley directors
- 1:40 2:00 Oakville Middle School Advanced Band, Jennifer Trujillo director
- 2:00 2:20 Nipher Middle School Band, Jeff Melsha & Mary Wiley directors

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