

A “Note of Congratulations

Both our Beginner & Advanced Band members did an outstanding job at our Annual Winter Concert in December. All band members are to be congratulated for a job well done! The performance showed that hard work, practice and dedication can lead to great things!!

Instrumental lessons have started again in January. Student lesson and rehearsal days will remain the same. Beginner Band members have all moved to Intermediate Band status since they are no longer Beginners!! The goal is for all Intermediate Band members to progress to Advanced Band by the end of the school year, so let's keep practicing and moving forward.

I encourage all students to use the Practice Log in the front of the lesson book to track their practice minutes and progress. It's great way to stay in a routine for practice, especially when things get busy at home with other activities. **3 to 4 practice session per week is great**, and students get bonus prizes for completing the log each month. Parents can also initial the Practice Log for extra support and encouragement! We are working on some neat songs for the Spring Concert, so please stay tuned...

Mr. Pettinelli