

# PLHS BAND NOTES

Quarter 3

February

## Welcome to the PLHS Band Newsletter

In March We Celebrate

### MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH

#### Topics Addressed

- Congrats 2018-2019 Minnesota Music Educator's Association All-State Members
- Congrats to the PLHS Percussion Ensemble
- 3rd Quarter Performance Schedule
- PLHS Mattress Fundraiser - April 13th
- Spain 2020 - Band Performance Tour



Congratulations to the 2018-2019 All-State Band and Orchestra members, Carter Mong, Cole Schlottman, Jake Meixner, and Matthew Baer on an outstanding concert at Orchestra Hall on February 16th.

**Congratulations to the Prior Lake High School Percussion Ensemble for an outstanding performance at the Minnesota Music Educators Association Midwinter Clinic. The Percussion Ensemble was the first Instrumental Ensemble ever to be selected to perform at this statewide convention.**



Maerianna Artang  
Nathan Bergseth  
Bryce Beske  
William Bittner  
Cole Burnett  
Jessica Chacich  
Gabriel Coleman  
Jay Follingstad  
Jordan Gardner  
Colin Glynn  
Benjamin Holtan

Raynell Hong  
Cole Jarman  
Noah Johnson  
Emily Lein  
Mason Marchessault  
Carter Mong  
Kelsi Nissen  
Matthew Peterburs  
Owen Reinert-Nash  
Sara Remde  
Travis Riddering

Scott Rudquist  
Erin Sanchez  
Abagayle Scapple  
Piper Scepaniak  
Thressa Schultz  
Gabriella Siats  
Henry Trajano  
Natalie Thoms  
Emily Tiritilli  
Camden Weisz  
Julia Wieskus

**Put it on the CALENDAR**

**and start spreading the word!**

**April 13th - PLHS Band Mattress Fundraiser!**

**All Pizza Cards are due March 1st**

**Flower Fundraiser Coming Soon**

# Quarter 3 Performance Schedule

Monday, March 4 – Music In Our Schools Month Freshman Band Concert– HS Auditorium

**Blue and Gold Freshmen Bands** – Concert at 7 pm at school by 6:30 pm

Attire – Black pants, black shirts with sleeves, black shoes and socks

Following the Concert will be an informational meeting for Spain 2020

Tuesday, March 5 – Music In Our Schools Month Varsity Band Concert – HS Auditorium

**Blue and Gold Varsity Bands & Wind Ensemble** – Concert at 7 pm at school by 6:30 pm

Attire – Black pants, black shirts with sleeves, black shoes and socks

Following the Concert will be an informational meeting for Spain 2020

Tuesday, March 12 – South Suburban Conference Band Festival – Morning/Afternoon sessions TBD

Wind Ensemble only

Attire – Black pants, black shirts with sleeves, black shoes and socks

Thursday, March 14 – Minnesota All-State Band Auditions submission deadline **Participating students**

Thursday, March 14 – All-District Band Concert – PLHS Gold Gym – 7:00 pm

Wind Ensemble only

WE students at HS by 6:15 pm

Attire – Black pants, black shirts with sleeves, black shoes and socks

Tuesday, March 26 – All-District Jazz Band Concert – 7:00 pm – **Jazz Bands I & II**

PLHS Auditorium – meet in Band Room at 6:30 pm





TRAVEL WITH THE PRIOR LAKE HIGH SCHOOL BAND TO SPECTACULAR SPAIN TO VISIT THE CITIES OF MADRID, TOLEDO, ZARAGOZA, AND BARCELONA.

BEGIN IN MADRID. HIGHLIGHTS OF YOUR STAY WILL INCLUDE THE PUERTO DEL SOL, PLAZA DE ESPANA, LAS VENTAS BULL RING, AND BEAUTIFUL EL RETIRO PARK. MAKE AN EXCURSION TO THE MEDIEVAL CITY OF TOLEDO.

NEXT ITS ON TO ZARAGOZA, A CITY BUILT BY THE ROMANS IN HONOR OF CEASAR AUGUSTUS. ENJOY ITS MIX TRADITION AND MODERNISM.

CONCLUDE THE TOUR IN THE CITY OF BARCELONA. MARVEL AT ANTONI GAUDI'S—SAGRADA FAMILIA CHURCH, THE OLYMPIC SITES, BUSTLING PORT, HISTORIC GOTHIC QUARTER AND THE FAMOUS LAS RAMBLAS!

PERFORM CONCERTS IN HISTORIC VENUES AND SHARE YOUR MUSIC ON THIS EXCITING GRAND TOUR TO SPAIN!

## **SPECTACULAR SPAIN!**

### **Prior Lake High School Band**

**Keith Koehlmoos | Justin Schramm**  
**Band Directors**

**MADRID | TOLEDO | ZARAGOZA | BARCELONA**

**March 20-28, 2020**

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**INFORMATIONAL MEETING TO OCCUR FOLLOWING THE  
MARCH 4TH AND MARCH 5TH CONCERTS**