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**New Facebook Admin**

Special thanks and welcome to our new Facebook Admin, Lisa Sper. Thank you for volunteering and supporting our WTW Band.

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**Band Patron Meeting**

Band Patron meeting is this Tuesday night at 7pm in the band room. If your student is going on the spring trip, this is the meeting for you. Come have all your questions answered about the trip, and bring any outstanding medication forms.

**Spring Trip**

Trip information was sent out in two emails. Hope you read them!!! Please **print out, sign and return** the signature package on Monday 4/8. Packet includes the parent permission form, student agreement form, and luggage inspection. Note you only have to sign one block in the luggage form. Either you will inspect and then hand deliver your student's luggage, or you will give us permission to inspect the luggage. Also, please review the list of prohibited items that came out with the trip details in the second

email. If you do not have all your forms turned in, especially medication forms, you will not be able to board the bus.

All student luggage must be checked in on Wednesday night. Suggest you have the band uniform (khaki flat front long pants, blue band polo shirt, white socks (not ankle socks), and sneakers) on top in the luggage or separate for inspection.

Wednesday night, students will be having a short rehearsal in one time block and check luggage in the other time block. For check-in, report to cafeteria A. First stop is medications (details below), then uniform check, and then luggage check. Luggage will be securely stored overnight for loading on Thursday morning.

Thursday morning before boarding buses, all carry on bags/instruments will be inspected. **All liquids** must be in unopened (sealed) bottles, and reusable bottles must be empty. If students are not wearing pants on the bus, then they must have a pair with them to wear to the concert Thursday evening, as there will be no access to stored luggage during the day.

Medications:

**Important Information Regarding Medications for the Philadelphia trip**

If your student will require any prescription medication on the Philadelphia band trip, the Medication Authorization Form must be on file with the band and note that the prescription dosage must match what is on the form. **Any dosage changes will require a new Medical Authorization Form to be submitted with a physician's signature.** Contact Peggy Einhorn or Michele Banker if you would like to confirm what dosage is on file.

Prescription medication, will be accepted during luggage drop off in Cafeteria A on Wednesday April 10. **Virginia law requires all medication to be turned in by a parent, guardian or responsible adult. NO MEDICATION WILL BE ACCEPTED FROM A STUDENT. Please have any prescription medication in the original bottle and only containing the dosage needed during the trip.**

Stock Epinephrine will not be supplied by the school. If you already have an Epinephrine Authorization Form, Inhaler Authorization Form or other Medication Authorization Form on file in the health office at Woodson, please obtain a copy of this form and submit it to the band.

Over the counter medications can be provided to students on an "as needed " basis by the first aider or chaperones on the trip and consists of the following:

Advil  
Benadryl  
Cough Drops  
Dramamine  
Neosporin  
Tums  
Tylenol  
Zyrtec

Claritin Approvals for any of these over the counter medications were given at the beginning of the school year. If you have forgotten which over the counter medications you have authorized or wish to change any authorizations, contact Peggy Einhorn or Michele Banker.

Medication Authorization Form

<https://www.fcps.edu/sites/default/files/media/forms/se63.pdf>

Inhaler Authorization Form:

<https://www.fcps.edu/sites/default/files/media/forms/se65.pdf>

Epinephrine Authorization Form:

<https://www.fcps.edu/sites/default/files/media/forms/se64.pdf>

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**Upcoming Concert Dates at Woodson:**

5/4 – Solo and Ensemble Festival (at Lanier MS)

5/16 – Frost Concert at WTW

5/20 – Jazz and Percussion Concert 7pm

5/21 – Spring Concert (ALL Ensembles)

6/4 – Graduation (at Eagle Band Arena, WE only)

Here we come Philadelphia!