# HIGHLAND PARK FINE ARTS

September 3, 2019

# Achievements/Events...

### **FACULTY NEWS**

✓ Welcome to the new HPISD Fine Arts Faculty... HPHS: Tyler Perring – Director of Tech Theatre; Daniel Reberger – Assistant Band Director (Percussion); Salvador Richie – Art 1 Pre-AP Teacher; HPMS/MIS: Lindsay Crofts – Assistant Orchestra Director; Lara Wasserman – Assistant Choir Director.

## BAND HPHS:

✓ Congratulations to the Highlander Band's varsity concert ensemble, the Wind Symphony, for



capturing 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the Texas Music Educators Association (TMEA) State 5A Honor Band competition! The 55-student Wind Symphony was evaluated on three submitted performance recordings at the Region, Area, and State levels.

- ✓ Texas band programs can compete for state biennially (every other year) in concert and marching competitions. This year the band is focused on advancing to state in UIL Marching with their 2019 show entitled "Play!" Best of luck as they perform at various marching contests in preparation for the UIL marching contests: Region Oct.17 at Kincaide Stadium-Dallas; Area Oct. 26 at Mesquite Memorial Stadium, and State Nov. 4-5 in the Alamodome, San Antonio.
- ✓ TMEA Region 20 Jazz auditions are September 21 at Waxahachie HS. Good luck!
- ✓ Good luck to the HP Drum Line at the Plano Drum Line Competition on September 21 at Clark Stadium.

## CHOIR. HPHS:

- ✓ TMEA Region 20 District Choir auditions are September 28 at Woodrow Wilson HS. Students who make the District Choir advance to the TMEA Region 20 Choir auditions on October 19 at Cedar Hill HS. Best of luck!
- ✓ HPHS Choirs Fall Concert is October 16 at 7:00 pm in the HPHS Palmer Auditorium.

#### **HPHSDANCE**

✓ Highland Belles host their annual Spaghetti Supper/Auction on September 13 from 5-7 pm in the HPHS Cafeteria. For the 24<sup>th</sup> year, the Belles are pleased to partner with Amore Italian Restaurant. This year's theme, "The Greatest Show on Turf," continues the team's 36-year fundraiser which helps cover bus transportation, props, equipment and competition expenses. Contact a Belle or email at <a href="mailto:bellesspaghettisupper@gmail.com">bellesspaghettisupper@gmail.com</a>. Tickets will also be sold at the door. Dinner tickets are \$10 each; raffle chances are \$5 each or 6 for \$25. Take-out location is in the front of HPHS on Emerson where orders.



location is in the front of HPHS on Emerson where orders will be delivered to patrons' cars between 4:30-6:30 pm. The Belles thank you for your support!

#### **HPHS DEBATE**

✓ Best of luck to the debate teams in their possible upcoming debate tournaments: Grapevine HS – September 6-7; Greenhill Fall Classic – September 14-16; Newman Smith HS – September 27-28; Heart of Texas at St. Mark's – October 18-19; and Plano West Sr. High – October 25-26.

### ORCHESTRA HPHS:

- ✓ This year the HPHS Symphony Orchestra is competing for the 5A Texas Music Educators Association (TMEA) Honor Orchestra. Their first Honor Orchestra Recording concert is October 8 at 6:00 pm in the HPHS Palmer Auditorium. Best of luck to them in their quest!
- ✓ TMEA Region 20 High School Orchestra auditions are October 12 at Grand Prairie Fine Arts Academy. Good luck!

#### HPMS/MIS:

✓ TMEA Region 20 Middle School Orchestra auditions are October 12 at Grand Prairie Fine Arts Academy. Best of luck!

## THEATRE HPHS:

- ✓ HPHS Fine Arts Department presents the 2019 musical Phantom of the Opera, music by Andrew Lloyd Webber and lyrics by Charles Hart. Come experience the splendor and majesty of this timeless classic! Five performances are: Saturdays, September 21 and 28 at 7:00 pm; Sundays, September 22 at 2:00 pm and 7:00 pm and September 29 at 2:00 pm. Fan mail and concessions will be on sale at each show. Regarding tickets, please note:
  - Reserved tickets (main floor) are available online at <a href="https://hphstheatre.booktix.com">https://hphstheatre.booktix.com</a>
    Adults - \$15
    Children/students - \$10
  - \*\*You will pick up these reserved tickets bought online at the Will Call Table the day/night of your selected performance. Just bypass the box office window for the Will Call Table in the Lobby.\*\*



2) Balcony tickets are \$12 general admission seating (no reserved seats) and go on sale beginning one hour before each performance at the HPHS Fine Arts Titus Box Office Window – cash or check only. If there are any reserved tickets remaining, they will also be sold at the Box Office Window, beginning one hour before each performance – cash or check only - at the same online price.

Thank you so much for your support!

### THEATRE HPMS:

✓ HPMS presents their fall play *Legend of Sleepy Hollow* on October 24-27. Performances are in the MIS/HPMS Auditorium: October 24 at 7:00 pm, October 25 at 4:00 pm, October 26 at 5:00 pm, and October 27 at 2:00 pm. Tickets are \$5.

-- Next Fine Arts Newsletter on October 1, 2019 --Newsletter by Susan Cruz

# A QUICK GLANCE AT UPCOMING FINE ARTS EVENTS

# Concerts/Performances

Red-HPHS events; Blue-HPMS/MIS events

## September 21, 22, 28, 29

HPHS musical *Phantom of the Opera* – HPHS Palmer Auditorium.

Sept. 21 at 7 pm; Sept. 22 at 2 pm & 7 pm; Sept. 28 at 7 pm; Sept. 29 at 2 pm.

Reserved buy online at <a href="http://hphstheatre.booktix.com/">http://hphstheatre.booktix.com/</a> - \$15 & children/students - \$10.

Balcony general admission - \$12 cash/check on sale at HPHS Fine Arts Titus Box Office one hour before each performance.

#### October 8

HPHS Symphony Orchestra TMEA Honor Recording Concert – HPHS Palmer Auditorium, 6:00 pm

#### October 16

HPHS Choirs Fall Concert – HPHS Palmer Auditorium, 7:00 pm

#### October 24-27

HPMS fall play Legend of Sleepy Hollow - MIS/HPMS Auditorium

October 24 at 7 pm; October 25 at 4 pm; October 26 at 5 pm; October 27 at 2 pm. Tickets-\$5.

# Competitions/Other Events

## September 6-7

HPHS Debate - Grapevine HS

## September 13

Highland Belles Spaghetti Supper/Auction – HPHS Cafeteria, 5-7 pm / Take-out in front of HPHS on Emerson, 4:30 – 6:30 pm. Dinner-\$10 each; Raffle chances-\$5 or 6 for \$25.

#### September 14-15

HPHS Debate - Greenhill Fall Classic

#### September 21

TMEA HS Region 20 Jazz Auditions - Waxahachie HS

HPHS Drum Line – Plano Drum Line Competition, Clark Stadium in Plano

#### September 28

TMEA Region 20 HS District Choir Auditions – Woodrow Wilson HS HPHS Debate – Newman Smith HS (Sept. 27-28)

#### October 12

TMEA HS and MS All-Region Orchestra String auditions – Grand Prairie Fine Arts Academy