

## Delaware Hayes Bands

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### OMEA Large Group Contest 2023

#### **General Information**

Large Group Contest an adjudicated event for concert bands. Both Concert and Symphonic Band prepare three pieces of music to perform for four judges. Three will assess the stage performance and one will assess a sight reading piece. This is a piece that they have never seen before and will play only one time! **This performance is free and all parents/families are encouraged to attend!** However, photos, video, or audio recording during the performance is **strictly prohibited** and will result in our disqualification. We are adjudicated with the same rating scale as marching band.

#### **Itinerary**

Be sure to check the report and departure times for **each ensemble**. We will be taking two different buses at different times to this event!

#### **Concert Band Itinerary**

- 5:30p **Concert Band** reports to Hayes
- 6:00p Concert Band depart for Shelby HS (1 Whippet Way, Shelby, OH 44875)
- 7:30p **Concert Band** arrives at Shelby
- 8:00p Concert Band warm up
- 8:30p Concert Band has a SUPERIOR performance!
- 9:05p Concert Band sight read
- 9:30p Concert Band departs for Hayes
- 10:45p **Concert Band** arrives at Hayes

#### Symphonic Band Itinerary

- 7:00p **Symphonic Band** reports to Hayes
- 7:30p **Symphonic Band** depart for Shelby HS (1 Whippet Way, Shelby, OH 44875)
- 9:00p **Symphonic Band** arrives at Shelby
- 9:30p **Symphonic Band** warm up
- 10:05p Symphonic Band has a SUPERIOR performance!
- 10:45p **Symphonic Band** sight read
- 11:30p **Symphonic Band** departs for Hayes
- 12:45a **Symphonic Band** arrives at Hayes



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Please make sure to remember the following items to ensure our best performance!

- Come dressed in Concert Attire when it's your time to report to the HS.
  - Concert Band
    - Gentlemen
      - White Button Down Dress Shirt (tucked in)
      - Neck-tie
      - Black Dress Pants (NO JEANS/JOGGERS)
      - Black Calf-Length Socks
      - Black Dress Shoes (Marching Band Shoes are OK)
    - Ladies
      - Blouse/Skirt
      - Black Dress Shoes (Nothing higher than an inch heel!)
  - Symphonic Band
    - Gentlemen
      - Tux Shirt/White Button Down Shirt
      - Grab a Bow-tie/Cummberbund
      - Black Calf-Length Socks
      - Black Dress Shoes (Marching Band Shoes are OK)
    - Ladies
      - Blouse/Skirt
      - Black Dress Shoes (Nothing higher than an inch heel)
- Make sure you have everything you need for your performance
  - o Instrument
  - Music/Folder
  - Extra reeds/Valve Oil
- Bring Money for Concessions/Snacks
  - I would eat dinner before arriving, however there will be a concession stand available to visit after our performance.
- Transportation
  - o All students will ride the bus to Shelby.
  - If you would like to go home with your parents, please return the attached form by Thursday, March 9 during your class time.



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<u>Please check all that apply and please consider helping: We can NOT do this without parental help. Thanks!</u>

☐ I am willing to be a chaperone on the bus ride to and from She	lby HS.
☐ My student will ride the <u>school bus TO and FROM</u> Shelby Hig	gh School.
☐ My student will <u>ride home</u> from Shelby with their parents. Plea Travel Verification form on the bottom of this paper.	ase fill out the
☐ I can assist with loading the trailer at Hayes between 5:30p and	1 6:00p.
☐ I can help load the trailer at Shelby at 11:30 p.m.	
PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM BY THURSDAY, March 9th, 2023. TH	HANK YOU!
TRAVEL VERIFICATION FORM	
(Student) will be riding to Delaware, Ohio	with me
Adjudicated Event held on March 10th, 2023. I hereby assume all responsibility and and agreed to regarding the trip from Shelby, Ohio. I hereby hold the Activity, Music D Chaperones, and the Delaware City Schools harmless from any and all liability, actions, from or in connection with the above described activity and related activities.	risk set forth by, Directors,
Signature of Parent/Guardian Date	