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Subject: Spring Percussion Schedule

Message From: Jeff Smikahl

Parents and Students:

I have been talking to the students quite some time about the need to add rehearsals to prepare for our performances at KMEA and the National Percussion Festival. Attached is a document that details those extra rehearsals, and our send-off concert. Please email me with any questions.

Additionally some of the booster parents would like to get a group chat together for those parents who are traveling to Indy to watch our performance. Please see the information below.

Percussion Parents,

It is getting closer to BOA and lots of questions are being asked about arrangements for parents that are road tripping to Indianapolis to see Percussion perform at the National level! We know our fabulous Directors have coordinated plans for our talented group; however, we need to set up communications for the parents!

IF you are planning on going to Indianapolis, please text Kim Van Dyke with your name at 913.915.6078. I will form a group text for all of us with details that we know so far, like hotel name that some parents are staying at if you want to join us, keeping everyone in the loop with times and whereabouts of parents, including group dinners or other activities. From planning to being there, we all want to be in touch! I need the info as quick as possible so I can begin to communicate. Send me your info now! I will plan on reaching out by next weekend or sooner.

To clarify,

- Questions about what students are doing go to Mr. Smikahl and Mrs. Creek.
- Questions about what parents are doing go to the group text.

Signed 'So Excited!'

Kim Van Dyke

Thanks,

Mr. Smikahl