September 24, 2013

Dear Woodhull and STEM Music Students and Parents:

Welcome back to our returning musicians and thank you for being part of our music program!

Morning Rehearsals will take place at Woodhull at 7:50 a.m. for Band, Orchestra, and Chorus as follows:

- Grade 5 Band: Wednesdays & Fridays in Room 13
- Grade 5 Orchestra: Wednesdays & Fridays on the Stage
- Grade 5 Chorus: Tuesdays & Thursdays in Annex M2
- Grade 6 Band: Tuesdays & Thursdays in Room 13
- Grade 6 Orchestra: Tuesdays & Thursdays on the Stage
- Grade 6 Chorus: Mondays & Fridays in Annex M2

Please drop off your child at Woodhull no later than 7:45 a.m. For families that need assistance getting their children to rehearsals, the District will again provide a shuttle bus with pickups at Washington, Jefferson, Southdown, and Jack Abrams Schools. Students wishing to take the shuttle bus should wait at the front of the pickup building. In addition there will be neighborhood stops as follows. **Please be at your school or stop at 7:30 a.m.**

- Lenox Rd. & E. 2nd St.
- E. Pulaski Rd. & Lenox Rd./ S-W corner - DO NOT CROSS Pulaski
  E 9th St. & Varney Ave
  E. Pulaski Rd. & Lenox Rd./N-E
  Fairground Ave. & E 4th St.
  Henry St. & Folsom Ave
  Woodhull RD & Cheshire Ct.
  W. 9th St. & 5th Ave.
  W. 9th St. & 3rd

Please keep in mind that there is **no adult supervision** at the schools for the students waiting for the shuttle bus unless they are enrolled in the before school child care program (three schools only). Waiting outside the school is just like waiting at a regular bus stop. If you would like to enroll your child in one of the before school childcare programs on their rehearsal days, please call the program office listed at the bottom of this letter. The before school programs are helpful for parents with early work schedules.

Here is the contact information for the before school childcare programs taking place in our school buildings:

YMCA: 631-421-4242 ext 146. Programs at Washington and Southdown
Rosann Sarducci, Director

SCOPE: 631-360-0800 (main SCOPE office for registration). Program at Jefferson
Liz Takis, Director

**If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child’s music teacher or the music office at the High School.** We look forward to making music with your talented children!

Sincerely,