

# Central District Band

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## Letter to Parents

Dear Band Parents/Guardians,

Your child has been selected by your band director to participate in the 46<sup>th</sup> annual CDBF Parade of Honor Bands. Students from six of our intermediate and middle schools will gather to showcase their musicianship under the baton of Dr. Eric Wiltshire, Director of Bands at the University of Oregon, and Mr. Paul Arceo, retired band director from various Hawai'i Island schools and current director of the Hawai'i County Band.

**Date:** Saturday, March 4, 2023

**Location:** Waialua High School Gym

**Time:** 7:00 p.m.

The following schools are participants in the Central District Band Festival: (South Area) Aliamanu Middle, Moanalua Middle and Aiea Intermediate; (North Area) Mililani Middle, Wahiawa Middle, and Wheeler Middle.

Rehearsals have been scheduled at five school locations to prepare your child for the Parade of Honor Bands concert. Whenever the South Area schools need to attend rehearsals in the North Area (vice versa), bussing will be provided to your child. Transportation will be the responsibility of the students and their parents/guardians to rehearsals held in the near vicinity of each area (North or South). Attached are the rehearsal and transportation schedules, as well as guidelines for the honor band rehearsals and performance.

Your child must commit to attend all rehearsals in order to participate in the CDBF Parade of Honor Bands. Please double-check your calendar before committing to the CDBF Intermediate Honor Band.

In the past, the CDBF honor band students have had many enjoyable moments making music with their peers, teachers, and mentors. We look forward to another exciting festival for our students. Please review the attachments carefully and complete the Intermediate Honor Band Form and return the completed form to your child's band director by **Friday, December 2, 2022**

Thank you for your time and support. We look forward to your response with anticipation of another exciting festival. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Intermediate Honor Band committee chairs: Mr. Brett Ikehara (Wheeler Middle School) and Daniel Zane (Aliamanu Middle School) at the email addresses below

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Best Regards,  
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CDBF Chairperson

