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Updates for week of 11/18 - 11/22 www.fortebandsazle.org

We had a fantastic live event for Fan Pledge on Wednesday. So far, the band has raised \$8,671 in just 2 days! Thank you to everyone who made this possible by entering contacts.

Next week, we begin our new sectional schedule. Please double check the calendar to review when your child has sectional. Instruments will need to go home over Thanksgiving Break. This is a good time to take it in for a check up or to replenish any reeds or maintenance items.



Did you know?

Modern-day musicians have certainly experienced their fair share of extreme obsession, with music fans going as far as to follow them wherever they go. But, contrary to common belief, excessive fandom isn't a new phenomenon. In fact, in the 19th century, Franz Liszt's piano mastery elevated him to rock-star status. So much so that his infatuated fans would try to pluck a strand of his hair after performances, just to have a piece of him. To prevent balding (and undoubtedly the pain that came with the hair plucking), the legendary pianist bought a dog with the same colored fur as his hair. Then he started handing out dog hairs instead of his own. Quite ingenious, right?

Upcoming Events

Maintenance Monday for Brass

Wednesday, November 20th

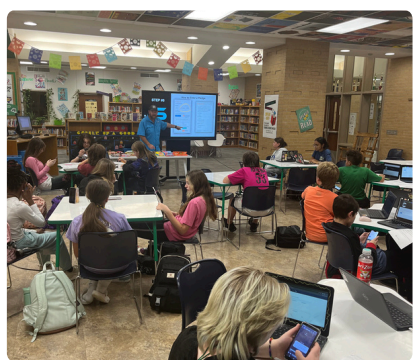
- School-Owned Instrument Fee Due
 - Oboe, Bassoon, Bass Clarinet, Tenor Sax, Bari Sax, French Horn Euphonium, Tuba.

Monday, December 9th

- Elementary Music Tour (Wind Ensemble Only)

Friday, December 13

- Winter Concert @ Azle HS



Left: We called our contacts at our live event! When students earned their first \$100 in donations, they got to pick some candy. We gave out A LOT of candy! **Right:** Kids getting ready to call their contacts!

Reminders

- Practice Log 5 Due Monday.
- Students should take their instrument home for the break.
- New sectional schedule starts next week.
- Wear your band shirt on Friday!

Sign up for text reminders in the SportsYou App.



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