

Dear Oak Hill Parent,

I am excited to begin my position here at Oak Hill and as the music teacher for your child! As this new school year begins, Oak Hill offers many opportunities for after-school clubs for the entire student body. In the area of music, 3 offerings are available.

Oak Hill Chorus will meet on Mondays, beginning on September 17. Rehearsal begins at 2:25 and runs until 3:05. It is open to students in Grades 3 – 8. Our chorus performs at different events throughout the school year. The dates are listed below. Oak Hill Chorus is a performance ensemble and attendance is a major requirement to making this group as great as they can be. While there will always be some conflicts due to personal issues, (doctor appointments, dentist appointments, etc.) please consider membership in this club as a commitment by both your child and yourself. I will of course try to accommodate occasional problems you may have with scheduling, but having your child at rehearsals on a regular basis is what is needed. Every voice is important!

PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE:

Veterans Day	Wednesday, November 7
Wreaths Across America	Wednesday, December 12
Awards Assembly	Friday, February 8
Kindergarten Maypole	Wednesday, May 1
Grandparents/Special Relatives Day	Thursday, May 16 & Friday, May 17
Awards Assembly	Thursday, June 6
Graduation	Friday, June 14

There may be other additions to this schedule, but these are dates that are on our calendar, so please mark them on your own as well.

Oak Hill Players is open to students in Grades 6 – 8. Oak Hill Players meet on Tuesdays from 2:25 – 3:05. Our first meeting will be on Tuesday, September 11. During our time together, students will work on creating and performing musical works on our full complement of Orff barred and percussion instruments. Since this group will perform at events throughout the year, attendance is vital to the success of the group.

Music Makers is open to students in Grades 4 - 5. We meet on Wednesdays from 2:25 – 3:05. Our first meeting will take place on Wednesday, September 12. During our time together we play music games, learn to play music as a group, explore the many ways music is fun and exciting! There is opportunity in the spring for Music Makers to perform at one of the Awards Assemblies.

Thank you for considering music as an important ingredient in your child's education. I look forward to meeting all of your children and welcoming them into one (or more) of our clubs!

Sincerely,

Pamela Momyer

MUSIC CLUB PERMISSION SLIP

September 2018

Dear Parents of Students Grades 3 - 8,

Please find below a permission slip which should be filled out and returned with your child on the first club meeting day. (See attached letter for start dates). As mentioned in the attached letter, performance ensembles can only be successful with weekly preparation. Each person is important in the success of the group. For this reason, a weekly commitment of attendance by your child is necessary.

To enroll, please fill out the form below and **return to your child's classroom/homeroom teacher**. *Rehearsals will begin the week of September 11th.*

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me (ktyma@oakhillacademy.com). I am looking forward to an exciting year of music making in these ensembles. I hope your child will join us!

Sincerely,

Pamela Momyer

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Yes, I wish to enroll my child in the following music performance ensemble(s) for the 2018-19school year:

- ___ **Oak Hill Chorus** for grades 3 through 8, Mondays
- ___ **Oak Hill Music Makers** for grades 4 & 5, Wednesdays
- ___ **Oak Hill Players** for grades 6 through 8, Tuesdays

Child's name _____ Grade _____

Classroom/homeroom teacher _____

Parent Signature _____ Phone number _____

Parent email address _____

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