

CCA's Noteworthy News November 2009

Mark your calendars! CCA's Christmas Program is scheduled for Friday, December 11th @ 6:30. It will be held at Weld Central Junior High School. Parking and entrance is at the back of the school.

We have been working very diligently on our songs so we will have a nice selection of Christmas carols to present to you on this evening. There is no real theme for the program. My goal is to blend sacred and secular Christmas music which consists of **traditional carols** that you will recognize. Our 4th and 5th graders will play a selection on the recorder, and the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade band students, under the direction of Mr. Johnson, will have a few numbers for us as well. Mrs. Johnson will be leading the drama students in a play as well. It is sure to be an enjoyable evening.

We will head to Weld Central the morning of December 11th for a dress rehearsal.

All grades will continue to work on their songs for the performance during the month of November.

The Junior High music students will not be singing at the program. In music class during the month of November they will continue their study of the Baroque Era (1600-1750), specifically *George Frederick Handel*, who is most famous for his "Hallelujah Chorus" from *The Messiah*. Then we will move into the Classical Era (1750-1825), and they will study *Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart*, *Franz Joseph Haydn*, and *Ludwig van Beethoven*.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Warmly,
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