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Open Letter to West Seneca Community regarding West Senior Fall Concert

Dear West Seneca Community,

It has been an exciting fall season in our schools and we are very blessed to have amazing students who are so successful in what they do in so many venues! Our vocal jazz chorus performed for the state school board convention in New York City, our Six Time State Champion marching band performed in the State Championships in Syracuse, a number of Cross Country student athletes have been named ECIC All Stars and our Defending State Champion football team will be playing in their second straight section VI championship against West Seneca East. It is a wonderful time to be in West Seneca!

With our students involved in so many places in our community, conflicts can often arise. The West Senior Autumn Colors Concert and the Section VI Football championship game both fall on the evening of Thursday, November 1st. We want our students, parents and families to be able to support each other as often and as much as possible. In order to best serve our community we will be changing the time and format for this year's Autumn Colors concert.

A traditional evening concert would be preferable. Due to our students' work schedules and commitments and the need for continued progress of our music ensemble classes we cannot delay the concert further or reschedule for another evening. Instead, we will be holding an in-school concert on Monday, November 5th at 9:15AM. The concert is free and open to parents and families of our students. We hope that you will be able to attend, but we realize that not everyone will not be available. We are working on a plan to record and possibly stream the concert for parents and families to view the performances. Details will be shared once the final plan is set.

The concert will include Orchestra, Sinfonia, String Ensemble, Jazz Ensemble, Concert Band, Wind Ensemble and a special version of the Fight Song performed by the Wind Ensemble, String Ensemble and special guests the Bel Canto Singers in tribute to our outstanding community of student athletes and performers!

Thank you for your continued support of our schools, our programs and our students!

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