

**New Ulm Suzuki School of Music
Newsletter
December 2017**

Christmas Concert Information

Rehearsal – All School!!! (that means everyone comes at 4:30)

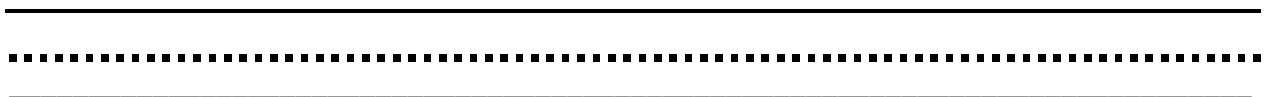
Monday – December 4 – 4:30-7:00

AT Christ the King Lutheran – 1515 North Garden

- We will begin with the pieces that include everyone. When your child has played all the pieces they are involved in they are free to go. We will try to get everyone going as quickly as possible but please be patient and understanding. Large rehearsals like this always take extra work on everyones part and we know this is truly the only way to have the students prepared for the Sunday concert.

Concert Information

- Date – Sunday – December 10
- Time – 3:00PM –
- Students arrive at 2:30 – bring instruments and music if needed
- **LOCATION CHANGE – Christ the King Lutheran – 1515 North Garden Street – New Ulm**
- Dress code
 - wear your Christmas best – festive
 - Allegro Strings – wear your black dresses/black pants, shirts and ties
- Dessert Potluck to follow – bring your favorite holiday dessert. We look forward to a wonderful array of goodies.



Mankato Symphony Orchestra tickets

We have tickets available for concerts – check out the dates that are available at the table with the payment box. Sign up today for the December concert – we have 4 tickets available. Two adult and two child.

Christmas Break

Please check the Suzuki calendars for when your Christmas break begins. Each teacher is allowed to make their own schedule so please also check with your individual teacher as well. Enjoy the time off – but keep practicing. A month is a long time to let your instrument lay quiet. Sit down every day and play – that way we can pick up from where you left off when we begin again in January!! **January start date is January 8th.**

Practice Incentive Program

Over the Christmas break we will be starting a new online practice program that we hope to continue throughout the year. We will be sending more information about it soon so watch your emails. This should be a good way to keep that practicing going through regular lessons and any breaks that happen. We are hoping for it to be a great way to keep everyone on their instrument throughout the year. Keep watching for more information!!

Winter recitals!

Mark your calendars. Our winter recitals are set for February 11, 2018! 3:00, 4:30 and 6:00 times will be available. Choose what works best for your family. Sign ups will come out in the new year.