Music Department Report
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From Mrs. Trescavage

"Spongebob the Musical: Youth Edition" has been cast, materials have been distributed, and rehearsals have begun. The learners are very excited to put this show together!

From Mr. Apgar and Mr. Ackerman

After a wonderful Holiday Program, all of the elementary groups have begun preparations for our May performances. The newest group, 4th Grade Band, will be starting their first rehearsals before the end of January. They are extremely excited to get together as a full band and continue their growth as musicians.

From Mr. Bankert

Nine PVHS singers participated in the LLMEA County Chorus festival on Saturday January 4. The singers sang under the direction Dr. Amy Vorhees, director of choral activities at Susquehanna University. It was a wonderful day of music making, fellowship, and beautiful singing!

The Concert Choir and Chamber Singers showcased their hard work and preparation at the Winter Choral Concert Sunday January 12. The growth from the beginning of the year to this point was evident as the singers sang with precision, nuance, and had excellent posture. They carried themselves like true professionals! This director is PV Proud for sure!

On Tuesday January 14, Mr. Eckersley directed the PVIS choir and Brave Sounds in the PVIS Choral Winter Concert. The High School Concert Choir also participated. All 200 singers in grades 7-12 combined for the final number titled Ad Astra "To The Stars". It was a wonderful concert.

The Chamber Singers are headed to Heinz Chapel in Pittsburgh on Sunday February 16 to perform in a chamber choir festival.





