



The PAN

Performing Arts Newsletter

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ON THE CALENDAR

The AHS jazz band is excited to announce that Jeff Coffin, saxophonist with the Dave Matthews Band and Professor of Jazz Saxophone at Vanderbilt University will be visiting and giving a clinic in October!

October 3 - Tri-M Initiation, 7 p.m., AHS Auditorium

October 6 - Choir Concert, 7 p.m., AHS Auditorium

October 8 - Band & Orchestra Concert, 7 p.m., AHS Auditorium

October 23 - All-County/City Choir Event, 5:30 p.m., CHS

DIAPER DRIVE

The Band, Choir, and Orchestras will be collecting diapers to support Loaves & Fishes. Please bring packs of diapers to one of our concerts or to the band or choir room by Friday, Oct. 10.

AUDITION RESULTS

Many of our band and orchestra students auditioned for the Senior Regional Orchestra this weekend. Students that were earned placement in this prestigious ensemble are:

Minami Furukawa, principal oboe

Amy Wang, principal cello

Alex Chen, violin

Jacob Haubert, French horn

Bryan Ke, cello

Joanna Kim, violin

Alyssa Lee, viola

Lia Liu, violin



MARCHING TO THE TOP



The marching band performed in their first competition of the year on Saturday in Salem, VA at the VMBC Blue Ridge Regional. The band won 1st Place in Group 4, winning 1st Place in the categories of Music, General Effect, Visual, and Percussion. The band was 2nd Place overall out of bands in all classes and won 1st Place percussion of the day.



STUDENT OF THE MONTH



Alyssa Lee

Alyssa is a junior violist in the AHS String Ensemble. She is responsible for the vision behind the new Music Mentor Club which pairs high school musicians with their middle school peers, offering free tutoring and mentorship. Alyssa has been selected as a member of the Junior and Senior Regional Orchestra each year of eligibility, and just placed in the SRO by competitive audition again this past weekend. Congrats Alyssa and thank you for your leadership at AHS!

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