

*Depoali Middle School Band*

# **Nevada Music Educators Association**

## **Solo & Ensemble Festival 2020 - Information**

**Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

- The festival will take place at North Valleys High School. Enter via the front entrance please.
- Your performance time can be found posted in the band room (also sent by email). Please arrive at least 30 minutes prior to your performance time to check in and get warmed up.
- You must dress nicely for your performance (*no jeans, t-shirts or tennis shoes*).
- When you go in the performance room, **make sure to bring the original musical score of your music to give to the judge** (*you get this from Mr. B*). **You will not receive a rating without this! Do not go into the room until you have it.**
- Your family/friends are welcome (and encouraged) to watch your performance. It is free to watch.
- Before/after your performance, you are encouraged to go around and listen to other performances. There will be a lot of choices!
- Plan to stay about 30 minutes after your performance so you can get your score and pick up your medal (if you earned one).
- Please observe the following etiquette rules:
  - No walking or loitering in the area reserved for adjudicators
  - No entering or leaving adjudication rooms during performances
  - No eating or drinking in the performance rooms
  - No talking or making noise during performances
  - No playing or singing in the performance hallways at any time.
  - No communication with adjudicators concerning your performance (students and adults)
- ~~For those of you who are playing a solo and are using the accompanist I've set up: rehearsals with our accompanist will take place on the afternoon of Friday February 24. Students will sign up for specific rehearsal times with Mr. B but everyone should be done by 3:15pm. You will pay your \$20 accompanist fee to Melissa Lewis at the Solo & Ensemble Event. (crossed out because it's not applicable this year)~~

*\*\*Let Mr. B know if you have any questions [dbarthel@washoeschools.net](mailto:dbarthel@washoeschools.net) \*\**