DAY FOR STRINGS – 5th grade info

Saturday, February 4th – 8:15 AM to 11:45 AM

North Farmington High School 32900 W. 13 Mile Road

8:15AM Entrance location: NFHS Front entrance (see building map on back)

**Coat Room, first rehearsal, and pick-up location:

Violins: Cafeteria

<u>Violas, Cellos, Bass</u>: Drop off and pick up will be in the AUXILLARY GYM, Students will leave their cases and coats in this room then proceed to the MAIN GYM for their rehearsal.

5th grade schedule:

- 8:15 5th Grade Students arrive (see above for entrance location), go to coat/case room, rehearsal
- 8:45 Small group rehearsals
- 9:35 Snack Break (pretzels and water provided)
- 9:50 All students go to MAIN GYM for Large Group Rehearsal
- 10:35 Rehearsal ends and audience arrives
- 11:00 "Informance" Program in the NFHS Gym (Everyone is welcome. Admission is free.)

 Guests will not be allowed in the gym before 10:40 because of fifth grade rehearsals.
- 11:45 Parents meet their students at their coat room (see above) and exit from there.

Students should bring:

MUSIC STAND, instrument, Day for Strings music and accessories: pencil, shoulder pad for violin/viola, "rock stop" for cello/bass.

Please make sure everything is labeled with your first and last name and School Name.

DRESS CODE: Day for Strings t-shirt, Dark jeans or pants. You may wear a long-sleeve shirt under the t-shirt. Shirts will be delivered the week of the performance!

"Day for Strings" is a wonderful opportunity to share your music with others and to develop good audience and listening habits as well. Remember to always be a polite listener while others are sharing their music (just as you want them to when you are performing). All students and parents are requested and expected to remain in their seats until the entire program concludes. Parents – please wait until all students are out of the gymnasium before leaving your seats. We will dismiss the 5th grade students to their coat rooms where you can pick them up. We're looking forward to a wonderful day! Best, Ms. Campbell, Ms. Vargo, Ms. Mihalko, Ms. Thomas, and Mr. Button