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Dear 6th grade Orchestra Parents,

We are pleased to announce an exciting opportunity for all string instrument students in the Farmington Public Schools. "Day for Strings XXV" will be held on Saturday, February 4, 2017 at North Farmington High School. Students will participate in one of six string orchestras. The 5th, 7th, and HS Allegro Orchestras will rehearse in the morning and finish with a concert at 11:00 am. The 6th, 8th, and HS Vivace Orchestras will rehearse in the afternoon and finish with a concert at 3:30 pm. Each orchestra will have an outstanding guest conductor. In addition, students will have the opportunity to work with members of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra and other professional musicians. We ask all students to bring folding music stands to "Day for Strings".

Please fill out the registration form below, detach and send it to school with cash or a check for \$15.00 by December 20. The registration fee includes a souvenir T-Shirt to be worn during the "Day for Strings". Checks should be made payable to FHS Music Patrons. Late registrations cannot be accepted.

"DAY FOR STRINGS XXV" 6th grade SCHEDULE
Saturday, February 4, 2017
12:50pm 6th Grade students arrive
1:15 - 3:05 6th Grade Orchestra rehearsals and small group classes
3:30pm Gala Concert in N.F.H.S. Gym (admission is free)
6th grade Day for Strings ends by 4:15PM

Farmington Public Schools
"Day for Strings" REGISTRATION FORM
Due by December 20, 2016
Please Print
Student Name School Grade 6
Instrument Telephone Parent email
has my permission and encouragement to participate in Farmington Public Schools' "Day for Strings XXV" on Saturday, February 4, 2017, at North Farmington High School.
Parent or Guardian Signature
Please circle correct Adult t-shirt size for student: S M L XL XXL
Please enclose \$15 registration fee. Cash or Check, payable to FHS MUSIC PATRONS
We need many parent volunteers to make this event possible! Please complete the information below if parent can volunteer to help.
I can help at Day for Strings in the: (circle one) morning afternoon
Parent Volunteer Name
Parent email Phone number