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Dear 7<sup>th</sup> 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 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and HS Allegro Orchestras will rehearse in the morning and finish with a concert at 11:00 am. The 6<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 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" 7<sup>th</sup> grade SCHEDULE Saturday, February 4, 2017

7:40am 7<sup>th</sup> Grade students arrive

8:00 – 10:40 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Orchestra rehearsals and small group classes

11:00am Gala Concert in N.F.H.S. Gym (admission is free)

7<sup>th</sup> grade Day for Strings ends by 11:45AM

	"Day fo	Farmington Public or Strings" REGISTI Due by December 2	RATION FORM	
Please Print				
Student Name		School		Grade
Instrument	Telephone_	F	arent email	
	ncouragement to participate in the Farmington High School.	Farmington Public S	chools' "Day for String	gs XXV" on Saturday,
		Parent or Guardian Signature		
Please circle correct Ad	lult t-shirt size for student:	S M L XL XX	L	
Please enclose \$15 regis	stration fee. Cash or Check,	payable to <u>FHS MU</u>	SIC PATRONS	
We need many parent	volunteers to make this event	t possible! Please com	uplete the information b	elow if parent can volunteer to help
I can help at Day for Stri	ngs in the: (circle one)	morning	afternoon	
Parent Volunteer No	ame			
Parent email		Phone number		