TRABUCO HILLS HIGH SCHOOL — INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

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Hello Everyone,

As I'm sure you have heard, I have moved our concert to <u>Saturday</u>, <u>12/15/18 from 6-8pm at the RSM Lake</u>, <u>Las Flores</u> side amphitheater.

We originally needed to move the concert out of the theater because we are simply too large to fit on stage and in the house; the theater has been inadequate for some time, but the fall concert illustrated that basic safety was now an issue due to the number of students participating in our ensembles. As such, I requested that our concert be moved to the gym on campus, and everything that is needed in support of that. Unfortunately, **as of this morning I have not been given official approval to use the gymnasium**. The theater is far too small (ensembles will be as large as our 100 person wind ensemble and our 130 person orchestra, with chairs, stands, and equipment); the gym is not definite. After some contemplation and weighing the pros and cons, I moved the concert to RSM's "Carols at the Lake" event.

The performance is from **6-8pm**; a more detailed itinerary will be sent out as soon as I have it nailed down. This is a great opportunity for us to perform out in our community, deliver the spirit of the season, and show the City of RSM how great our ensembles truly are.

Since this concert is outdoors and it will be chilly, I am foregoing the traditional concert attire so that the students may dress warmly and festively. This event will be a lot of fun and more casual than our traditional concerts, with vendors and hot cocoa stands nearby. Audiences are invited to bring their lawn chairs, blankets, thermoses of hot cider, bags of popcorn and enjoy the show, or the can wander around the lake while they enjoy the ambiance our music-making will bring.

-- Please note: this concert will have our Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble, and Symphony Orchestra performing and <u>will</u> <u>replace the 12/19/18 concert on campus</u>. The 12/18/18 Jazz Concert in our theater will occur as planned —

Thank you for your patience, flexibility, and support of your child's music education. I look forward to seeing you on Saturday, 12/15/18 at RSM Lake!

Sincerely,

Andy Julian

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Trabuco Hills High School

Thundering Mustangs Marching Unit * Color Guard * Percussion Ensemble * Jazz Ensemble Symphony Orchestra * String Orchestra * Wind Ensemble * Symphonic Band * Pep Band

TRABUCO HILLS HIGH SCHOOL INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC PROGRAM PROUDLY INVITE YOU TO THE

2018 CAROLS 'ROUND THE LAKE

(replacing the previously scheduled 2018 Holiday Concert II)

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2018

from 6:00pm until 8:00pm at Lago Santa Margarita Lakeshore

This is your chance to see and listen to your favorite holiday pieces from the great concert ensembles, so make sure you are in attendance!!

SYMPHONIC BAND WIND ENSEMBLE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Admission is FREE

Don't miss out!!! Invite your friends, family, and neighbors, to enjoy the music from these ensembles for the holiday season!