

Welcome to Music at CPHS

With Ms. Price (Intermediate) and Mrs. Yuschyshyn (Secondary)

BAND CAMP: Saturday, September 13th

All new and experienced Intermediate students are invited to attend the Annual CPHS Band Camp, located south of Smiths Falls at Camp Otterdale. A bus will pick up students from school to have a day of learning e.g. how to take out your instrument, reading music, fun and games, and most importantly, working with a **professional musician**. Lunch will be provided and parents are asked to arrive at Camp Otterdale at 4:00 pm to hear a performance by our musicians. We cannot stress enough how important this experience is for students. They are receiving one-to-one teaching with experienced musicians. It is also a fun and relaxed atmosphere to learn. The cost for the day is \$25. Permission forms will be sent home the first week of school. We hope to see you all there!

INSTRUMENT/ITEM	MOUTH-PIECE	REEDS	NECK STRAP
Clarinet	\$12.00	\$2.00	
Bass Clarinet	\$.00	\$4.00	\$20 (optional)
Alto Sax	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$25 (padded)
Tenor Sax	\$35.00	\$4.00	\$25 (padded)
Trumpet/Trombone	\$25.00		
French Horn	\$25.00		
Trombone/Euphonium	\$35.00		
Tuba	\$70.00		
Essential Elements exercise book	\$11		

INSTRUMENTS AND PURCHASES

The intermediate grades share the instruments with the high school students. We do provide instruments for the students to use during music class; however, if your child is interested enough and wants to practise regularly, parents may want to consider renting from a music store.

- 1) Musicare in Carlsbad Springs (which can be arranged through the store & the school)
- 2) Long & McQuade in Kanata
- 3) St. John's Music on Merviale Rd. in Ottawa

REEDS: In order to play a clarinet or a saxophone, students will require reeds. The school donates one free reed, thereafter, the student must purchase from the school or on his/her own.

Students may wish to purchase their own mouthpiece and exercise book. An order form will be sent home within the first 2 weeks of school.

We look forward to meeting you in September.

Sincerely,

Ms. Price and Mrs. Yuschyshyn

"Music expresses that which cannot be put into words and that which cannot remain silent"

— Victor Hugo