

## 6th Grade Band

For the 2018-2019 school year, 6<sup>th</sup> grade band classes are not only for experienced musicians—but for all students who want to learn to play a band instrument. That's right...**you do not need to know ANYTHING about playing an instrument to enroll in the beginning band classes at Rosemont Ridge Middle School!** You WILL need to think about which instrument you would like to play. For band, your options include: **Trombone, Trumpet, Flute, Clarinet, Baritone, Oboe, Bassoon, French horn, Percussion**



Your band teacher will help you in making a decision on which instrument will suit your best for the most successful experience.

**\*Band instruments are available through music stores as rentals.**

The district owns a few instruments and are available on a “first come, first serve” basis. Please contact the band director—as there is a way for **EVERY CHILD** to take band!

***BAND IS FUN!!!***

## WHAT ARE THE ROSEMONT RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL BANDS?



The RRMS Bands consist of 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade bands, and the Rosemont Jazz Bands. There is a spot in our program available for anyone attending our middle school.

Over the past decade, our middle school instrumental music program has shown growth in member numbers, quality, and musicianship.



Our students perform at concerts, assemblies, community events, competitions, and festivals throughout the Northwest. Again—anyone is eligible to be in one of our exciting band classes.

**THAT'S RIGHT! YOU TOO CAN JOIN  
RIGHT NOW!!**

All you need is the willingness to work and be excellent!



*Check out our website---  
COMING SOON!*

***MUSIC IS AWESOME!!!***

# Rosemont Ridge Middle School



## BAND



## INFORMATION

**INSTRUMENT PETTING ZOO  
MONDAY, JUNE 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**5pm at the Rosemont Ridge  
Middle School Cafeteria**

## WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN BAND

\*to make new friends at your new school and belong to an exciting group

\*to learn a musical instrument...and play many styles of music

\*to choose an instrument that is right for you and your personality

\*to express yourself musically

\*to play in concerts for your parents, family, friends, and more

\*to march in a parade!

\*to play solos, play in duets, trios, quartets, and more

***\*to travel*** to music festivals and competitions, where you will see, meet, and play with other kids from other schools just like you. Band students go on many fieldtrips!



It's not too late to join! Contact the front office at Rosemont Middle School or Mr. LaGrone NOW and tell them that you would like to be enrolled in **BAND or ORCHESTRA CLASS!**

If you need help with making this decision, please contact the school at the following number:

20001 Salamo Road  
West Linn, OR 97068  
503-673-7550  
fax: 503-657-8720



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**Did you know the following popular personalities performed with their school bands?**

Before the big screen, actresses **Halle Berry and Julia Roberts** played the flute.

Comedian/talk show host **Jimmy Kimmel** played the clarinet.

Famous movie director **Steven Spielberg** is a clarinetist.

Before landing on the moon, astronaut **Neil Armstrong** played the baritone.

Before the Star Wars movies, actors **Ewan McGregor and Samuel L. Jackson** played the French Horn with their school bands.

NASCAR great **Tony Stewart** played the trombone in school band.

