**St. Hilary School Music Program**

**Ensembles and Lessons**

September 2, 2014

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

St. Hilary students are invited to participate in the comprehensive music program at the school. The following activities are available to your child:

**1. SCHOOL ENSEMBLES**

**Choir** (grades 3-8) **Hand bell choir** (grades 6-8)

**2. PRIVATE LESSONS** for Piano, Drum set(grades 1-8), any other instruments (grades 3-8)

Private lessons occur once a week for a half-hour before, during or after the school day.

Private lesson times are limited so please sign up early to get your desired time slot. If you choose pullout lessons, the lessons will be held during the school time and I’ll work with your child’s teacher to find the best time for lessons.

Please note: Requests for private lessons will be filled on a first-come first-serve basis. Once all times have been taken, additional students will be placed on a waiting list.

**3. GROUP LESSONS** ($15 per lesson + cost of books)(grades 3-8)

Group lessons occur once a week for a half-hour during the school day.

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| **Instruments offered:** |  |  |  |
|  | **Woodwinds** | **Brass** | **Strings** |
| Piano | Flute | Trumpet | Violin |
| Guitar | Clarinet | French Horn | Viola |
| Bass guitar | Saxophone | Trombone |  |
| Drum set |  | Euphonium/Baritone |  |
| Percussion |  | Tuba |  |

In addition to instruments, Composition, Songwriting and Music Theory lessons will be offered. The students will need to have a keyboard that can be connected to a computer and music sequencing software such as Garageband, Logic, Pro Tools, Cubase, or Digital Performer at home.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

Mr. Justin Jue

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c. 215-390-3168

General Lessons Information

**Scheduling**

Private lessons are taught before, during or after school day, accommodating the students’ regular class schedules. Unfortunately, Mr. Jue’s schedule changes sometimes and lessons may be postponed or cancelled. It is important that students remember to bring both instrument and books to school so that the lesson can be held as scheduled.

**Payment**

Private lessons are $25 per lesson, plus the cost of books.

Group lessons are $15 per lesson, plus the cost of books.

Payment options:

1. Cash (It is best to mark student’s name and date on envelope)

2. Personal Check, made payable to “Justin Jue”

Payment can be made in the first week for the month whether there are four weeks or five. (Example: $100 for 4 weeks or $125 for 5 weeks for private lessons paid in the first week)

If any lesson is cancelled for any reason, the credit will be applied to tuition for the next month.

Payment can also be made for each lesson. Payment must be paid in advance.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me in any way. E-mail is the best way to contact me.

Thank you very much.

Justin Jue

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**Permission Slip**

Please return this completed permission slip to Mr. Jue as soon as possible.

Student name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Grade\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s E-mail \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s Phone number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate activities of interest:

**Ensembles**

\_\_\_\_\_ Choir (grades 3-8)

\_\_\_\_\_ Hand bell choir (grades 6-8)

**Private Lessons** (Grades 1-8 for piano, drum set, Grades 3-8 for any other instruments) Desired instrument\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Select all possible days you are available: (Please indicate your preference with the numbers 1 being the time you most prefer and can go up to any number)

+ During the day (Pullout lessons) \_\_\_\_\_

+ Before School

Mo 7:45-8:15\_\_\_\_\_, 8:15-8:45\_\_\_\_\_ Tu 7:45-8:15\_\_\_\_\_, 8:15-8:45\_\_\_\_\_

We 7:45-8:15\_\_\_\_\_, 8:15-8:45\_\_\_\_\_ Th 7:45-8:15\_\_\_\_\_, 8:15-8:45\_\_\_\_\_

Fr 7:45-8:15\_\_\_\_\_, 8:15-8:45\_\_\_\_\_

+ After School

Mo 3:00-3:30\_\_\_\_\_

Tu 3:00-3:30\_\_\_\_\_

We 3:00-3:30\_\_\_\_\_, 3:30-4:00\_\_\_\_\_, 4:00-4:30\_\_\_\_\_, 4:30-5:00\_\_\_\_\_, 5:00-5:30\_\_\_\_\_

Th 3:00-3:30\_\_\_\_\_

Fr 3:00-3:30\_\_\_\_\_, 3:30-4:00\_\_\_\_\_, 4:00-4:30\_\_\_\_\_, 4:30-5:00 \_\_\_\_\_, 5:00-5:30\_\_\_\_\_

\*Please note: private lessons are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. More lesson times may be added based on scheduling and availability.

**Group Lessons** (grades 3-8)

Desired instrument\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_