**2016-2017 St. Hilary School Music Program**

**Ensembles and Lessons**

September 6, 2016

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) **Handbell choir** (Grades 6-8)

**2. PRIVATE LESSONS**

Piano, Drum setfor Grades 1-8, and all other instruments for Grades 3-8.

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

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 for private and group lessons:** | | |  |
|  | **Woodwinds** | **Brass** | **Strings** |
| Piano | Flute | Trumpet | Violin |
| Guitar | Clarinet | French Horn | Viola |
| Bass guitar | Saxophone | Trombone |  |
| Drum set/Percussion |  | Euphonium |  |
|  |  | Tuba |  |

Sincerely,

Mr. Justin Jue

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General Lesson Information

**Scheduling**

Private lessons are held before, after school, or during the day. Group lessons are held only during school day. Please note that Mr. Jue’s schedule changes sometimes and lessons may be rescheduled or cancelled.

It is important that students remember to bring both instrument and books to school on their lesson day so that the lesson can be held as scheduled. There is no lesson when there is no school. If a lesson is scheduled in the afternoon, there is no lesson on a half day.

**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” (Please mark the lesson date on the check)

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 made 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.

**St. Hilary School Music Program**

**Permission Slip**

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

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

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

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

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

Please indicate activities of interest: (You can select more than one activities on the same form.)

**Ensembles**

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

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

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

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 8:00-8:30\_\_\_\_\_

Fr 8:00-8:30\_\_\_\_\_

+ After School

Mo 4:30-5:00\_\_\_\_\_ 5:00-5:30\_\_\_\_\_

Tu 3:30-4:00\_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

\*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\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_