



# L.A. ANGER COUGAR BAND

## Winter Concert

### For Intermediate Band, Advanced Band, and Selected Percussion Ensemble Students

- **Transportation and Concert Location:**
  - Parents are asked to deliver their child to the concert. The concert will take place at the Lemon Bay High School Auditorium. There is plenty of parking in front of LBHS and around the side and back of the auditorium. LBHS is located at 2201 Placida Rd, Englewood, FL 34224 and is 9 minutes from L.A. Ainger Middle.
- **When:**
  - Tuesday, December 7<sup>th</sup>
  - Students are asked to report to Lemon Bay High School by 6:30pm.
    - Enter through the front of the auditorium lobby.
      - Parents may continue to their seats.
      - Students will be directed to the black box theater.
    - The concert will begin promptly at 7pm. Sponsors may find labels on the seats near the front.
- **To Bring:**
  - Your instruments and music! Percussionists should bring their sticks. Mallets and percussion instruments will be on the stage.
  - School tubas, euphoniums, and horns will be behind the stage curtain. Students MUST bring their own mouthpieces.
- **Attire:**
  - Students are asked to wear their band polos with all black on the bottom.
    - All students are encouraged to wear holiday accessories such as Santa hats, holiday-themed headbands and necklaces/lights.
- **Rehearsals:**
  - IB and 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Percussion Ensemble members will have a rehearsal directly after school on Monday, December 6<sup>th</sup> with selected jazz band members (to fill our instrumentation needs).
  - AB and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Percussion Ensemble members will have two rehearsals during period 2. Mr. Ostrow will e-mail specific teachers and ask for the 8<sup>th</sup> grade PE students to attend on Friday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> and Monday, December 6<sup>th</sup>.
    - There is not enough time between the concerts on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and the 7<sup>th</sup> to have an after-school rehearsal for both IB and AB.
- **Do I Have to Do This?**
  - Per the Band Handbook; this is a graded co-curricular performance and is worth two letter grades for each ensemble. Students are asked to stay for the full duration of the concert.
  - If there is a conflict, please complete the excuse form found in the Band Handbook (Scan the QR Code) and have your child turn it into Mr. Ostrow as soon as possible.



