WOW! © I cannot believe how quickly 2017 is going by, and the Holiday season is here in full force! I am SO proud of how hard the 'Jammin Jaguar Advanced Band has been working since school began! I have listed below the remaining rehearsals for November and December, along with the Holiday performances for December. Please note, the Advanced Band will be combined with Beginning Band beginning in January on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 7:30 − 8:15 A.M. beginning on Tuesday, January 9th. Please complete the attached permission slips, and please have your child return them, and \$5.00 in a labeled baggie/envelope by next Monday's rehearsal, November 13th. No e-mailed permission slips will be accepted. The \$5.00 is for the school bus for the River Garden Hebrew Home performance with a pizza lunch to follow. If your child is not able to eat pizza, please have him/her bring a labeled bagged lunch that day to school.

Thank You VERY much for all your kindness and support of JCE's band program! It is greatly appreciated! ©

Rehearsals:

- 1) Fri., Nov. 10th = Normal
- 2) Mon., Nov. 13th and Fri., Nov.17th = Normal
- 3) Mon.., Nov. 20th = Normal Fri., Nov. 24th Thanksgiving vacation! © Enjoy!
- 4) Mon., Nov., 27th and Fri., Dec. 1st = Normal
- 5) Mon., Dec. 4th = Normal and Fri., Dec. 8th = NO rehearsal (River Garden Performance)
- 6) Mon., Dec. 11th = Normal and Fri., Dec 15 = NO rehearsal
- 7) *** Week of December 18th NO Rehearsals
- 8) *** Tuesday, January 9th = Next rehearsal 7:30 8:15 A.M. in the Jaguar Den ©

Performances:

- 1) Friday, December 8^{th} = River Garden Hebrew Home 10:30 A.M. performance on the stage in the retirement home.
 - The school bus leaves JCE at 9:30 A.M., and will arrive back at approximately 11:30 A.M. The children will have a pizza/chips/drink lunch in the Jaguar Den upon returning to school. *** I will need 5 chaperones PLEASE for this performance to please ride the bus to/from the performance, and help with lunch. If you are able to help, please let me know on the permission slips or via e-mail.
 - <u>Uniform</u>: Yellow, Collared Uniform Shirt from LAST year, Navy Blue Slacks, Black Shoes, Black Socks
- 2) Thursday, December 14th Holiday Concerts at JCE 9:30 A.M for students, faculty/staff 7:00 P.M. for family/friends with refreshments to follow. I am asking the children to share their favorite sweet treat for the refreshments. (Ex. cookies, brownies, rice krispy treats, cake) Coffee, lemonade, and water will be provided.
 - The children need to meet in the music room at 6:30 P.M. for the evening performance, and wear the following uniform to BOTH performances please. Yellow, Collared Uniform Shirt from LAST year, Navy Blue Slacks, Black Shoes, Black Socks.
 - *** The children need to be sure they have their instrument, music, and 2 good reeds (clarinets/saxophones) for every performance please! © Each performance should last between 25-30 minutes.