

# IMEA District I Junior & Senior Jazz Festival

*Saturday, November 14, 2009*

## **West Leyden High School**

1000 N. Wolf Road  
Northlake, IL 60164

Below you will find suggested directions from our transportation department, but you can also follow directions provided by [www.randmcnally.com](http://www.randmcnally.com).

**Please use ENTRANCE 1**

<b>Directions Suggested By Our Transportation Department</b>	
From the East	I-290 West to the Lake Street (East) Exit, continue to Wolf Road, left on Wolf Road to the school. OR I-90 West to the I-90 exit at Mannheim Road South, continue south to Grand, right on Grand to Wolf Road, left on Wolf to the school on the right side of the street.
From the West	I-88 East to the I-294 North exit to the I-290 exit to Rockford, to exit at Lake Street East, continue to Wolf Road, left on Wolf to the school on the left side of the street.
From the South	I-294 North to the I-290 exit to Rockford, to exit at Lake Street East, continue to Wolf Road, left on Wolf to the school on the left side of the street.
From the North	I-294 South to the Irving Park West exit, make an immediate left onto Mannheim Road, continue on Mannheim to Grand, right on Grand to Wolf, left on Wolf to the school on the right side of the street.
From the Northwest	I-90 East to the I-290 East exit to North Ave. (East), continue on North Ave. to Wolf Road, left on Wolf Road to the school on the left side of the street.

All students must check in at **ENTRANCE 1** before reporting to their assigned rooms.

At check in,  
**directors & students must purchase lunch,**  
if they so desire.

## Schedule For the Day

7:00-7:30 A.M. Plan to arrive at West Leyden High School. **Please use Entrance 1.** All students must check in upon arrival.

At check in:

Students **MUST** purchase lunch if they didn't bring their own.

Students will receive a Name Badge that must be worn at all times.

8:00 A.M. REHEARSALS BEGIN – Signs will be posted to assist you with locating these areas:

<b>Ensemble</b>	<b>Location</b>
Senior Jazz Band 1	Band Room
Senior Jazz Band 2	Study Hall Rm. 220
Senior Jazz Band 3	Rm. 161
Senior Jazz Band 4	Rm. 0-63
Senior Combo	Rm. 0-78
Balicki Jr. Jazz Band	Eagle's Wing
Bettcher Jr. Jazz Band	Rm. 271
Vocal Jazz	Choir Room

9:45 A.M. Directors Meeting in the Library

11:00 – 11:50 Lunch for Vocal Jazz Ensemble, Junior Jazz Ensembles & Senior Jazz Band 4

12:00-12:50 Lunch for Senior Jazz Bands 1, 2, 3 & Senior Jazz Combo

1:00 P.M. Vocal Jazz Ensemble rehearsal with professional combo begins

2:00 P.M. \$5.00 admission sales begin (see locations below)

2:15 P.M. All rehearsals end and students proceed to washroom areas to change etc.

2:30 P.M. Doors open to both concert venues  
(parents and students will be able to attend any portion of either venue).

3:00 P.M. Simultaneous concerts begin as follows:

<b>Auditorium</b>	<b>Field House</b>	<b>Eagles Wing</b>
Senior Jazz IV	Senior Jazz III	Junior Jazz II
Vocal Jazz	Senior Jazz II	Junior Jazz I
Senior Jazz I	Jazz Combo	

## **Festival Information**

### **Lunch Menu**

Directors and students will be able to purchase lunch when they arrive at Entrance 1. Students may not leave the campus at anytime during the event. Directors may leave the campus, however, an adult chaperone from your school must always be present in the event of an emergency. The Lunch menu is as follows:

<b>Item</b>	<b>Cost</b>
Subway sandwich w/drink	\$5
2 pieces of pizza w/drink	\$5
Can of Soda	\$1
Water	\$1
Chips	\$1
Various bake sale items	\$1

### **Concert Dress**

All students are expected to wear conservative semi-formal attire including coats & ties for men, and dresses or skirt/blouse combinations for the women. Gym shoes, of any type, and jeans are unacceptable.

### **Music & Music Stands**

All students should receive music with this packet of information. *Please bring your copies with you to the festival.* Students should bring music stands.

### **Equipment**

Pianos will be provided. Guitar and Bass players must bring their own gear (amps, guitars, etc.) Drummers should bring their own set for rehearsal, but will use a house set for the concert. . Accessories (including Latin percussion instruments) will need to be provided by the drummers, including; cymbals, sticks, brushes, mallets, etc.

### **Sale Items**

T-shirts and personalized plaques will be on sale before and after the concerts from the Music T's Company.

### **Admission**

The doors to the performance areas will open at 2:30 P.M. Admission fee payment will begin at 2:00 P.M at a cost of \$5 per person. Children in the eighth grade and under will be charged \$3 per person. Once the fee is paid and their hand is stamped, parents and students will be able to move back and forth between the three concert venues.

**If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the District I President:**

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