

ERHS Pit Orchestra

2013 ERHS Fall Musical - Aida



Dear Raptor Musicians,

You have the opportunity of a lifetime to be a part of our production of Elton John & Tom Rice's Aida. The pit brings the music to the musical. We perform live music and accompany the actors on stage. Being part of the pit is a lot of hard work, but also a ton of fun!

Instrumentation

This year's musical includes a more contemporary set of instruments in the pit. After interest forms are returned, if there are many interested musicians for the same part, auditions will be held specifically for that part/instrument. Some of these parts may include doublings (example: up to 6 pianists).

Violin	Electric/Acoustic Guitar x2	Flutes
Viola	Keyboard (Piano/Synth) x3	Oboe/English Horn
Cello	Drum Set	French Horn
Electric Bass	Percussion x2	

Fees

The only cost to members is a \$65 activity fee and \$15 t-shirt. Scholarships are available on a need basis.

Commitment

The pit orchestra is an extremely talented and dedicated group of musicians. The music we play is advanced, to say the least. We play exactly the same notes the professionals see on Broadway. Our pit orchestra has been regionally recognized with a Spotlight Award for the quality of their performance. In order to create an experience of the absolute highest quality, we ask that all musicians be committed to attending every rehearsal and performance. (see schedule on back)

2013-14 Pit Orchestra Interest Form

After reviewing the schedule (on the back of this page) and confirming your availability for all rehearsals and performances, please fill out the following information and return to Mr. Comeau in the ERHS Band Office on or before Monday 9/16.

Name (First & Last):	Instrument(s):
Home Phone #:	Cell Phone #
Student E-mail Address:	Parent E-mail Address:

Student Signature

Parent Signature

2013 ERHS Fall Musical - Pit Orchestra Schedule

September

9/16/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
9/18/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
9/19/13	Parent Meeting	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM
9/23/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
9/25/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
9/30/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

October

10/2/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
10/7/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
10/9/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
10/14/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
10/16/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
10/21/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
10/23/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
10/28/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 6:00 PM
10/29/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 6:00 PM
10/30/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 6:00 PM
10/31/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 6:00 PM

November

11/1/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 6:00 PM
11/2/13	Rehearsal	7:00 AM - 1:30 PM
11/4/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 10:30 PM
11/5/13	Rehearsal	5:00 PM - 10:30 PM
11/6/13	Rehearsal	5:00 PM - 10:30 PM
11/7/13	Rehearsal	5:00 PM - 10:30 PM
11/8/13	Musical Performance	5:00 PM - 10:30 PM
11/9/13	Musical Performance	5:00 PM - 10:30 PM
11/10/13	Musical Performance	1:00 PM - 5:30 PM
11/14/13	Rehearsal	3:30 PM - 6:00 PM
11/15/13	Musical Performance	5:00 PM - 10:30 PM
11/16/13	Musical Performance	5:00 PM - 10:30 PM
11/17/13	Musical Performance	1:00 PM - 5:30 PM
11/17/13	Pit/Set Strike	5:30 PM - 9:00 PM