

MIDDLE COUNTRY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
AT CENTEREACH



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February 2024

Dear Parents/Guardians of a Centereach High School Music Student,

**On Monday, February 12, 2024 at 7pm**, your child will be a participant in the Middle Country Friends of Music/District Music Department 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual POPS Concert. The proceeds of this concert are used to fund the Friends of Music scholarships for graduating seniors at both Centereach and Newfield High Schools, along with many other music student programs sponsored by the Friends of Music. If needed, the snow date is Wednesday, February 14, 2024.

**Please note: In order to accommodate parents of performing students, students may purchase up to THREE tickets per student in this concert in advanced by Wednesday, February 7.** On Thursday additional tickets can be purchased at no limit and three seats will no longer be reserved per student (until the concert is sold out). Tickets are \$7 each. All tickets are for General Admission seating.

You may order your tickets by filling out the form below and returning it, along with cash/check/money order (made payable to Middle Country Friends of Music), to your child's music teacher. **Please be aware – If you fail to bring your tickets on Monday evening, you will not be admitted.** Once tickets are purchased there can be **NO** refunds. It is highly recommended that you purchase your pre-sale tickets now to ensure you have a seat at the concert. We will sell tickets at the door as long as seating is available

Thank you for supporting the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual POPS Concerts!

Sincerely,

Dr. Diana Cook  
Director of Music & Fine Arts

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**PLEASE RETURN THIS PORTION WITH YOUR PAYMENT**

I request \_\_\_\_\_ tickets @ \$7.00 each per ticket for the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual James Truscello/ Alfred Longo/Marc Greene Friends of Music Annual POPS Concert.

I am enclosing \$\_\_\_\_\_ in (circle one) cash / check donation payable to:

**Middle Country Friends of Music**

**Please Print:** Name of Student \_\_\_\_\_

Performing Ensemble(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Roberta A Gerold, Ed. D.  
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Deputy Superintendent for Instruction

Beth Rella, Ed.D.  
Assistant Superintendent for Business

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