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**SPRING PROJECT FOR SENIORS CONCERT IS MAY 15<sup>th</sup>!**

As part of your final exam, you will present senior a send-off performance as part of our end of year pops concert. You get to choose anything you want! Your favorite solo work, your favorite composer, or your favorite song from a movie or the radio- you really do get to choose. There are some criteria for grading as follows.

**TASK ONE:** Choose a project and have it approved by Mrs. Goff. Ideas include the following.

**Pick something that you know and love from your past as a musician.**

**Compose an original piece** for your instrument. It must be written out as it is played.

**Perform a piece you already know** with a back up part created by you that changes the “flavor” of the piece. This would be something similar to what we did with Christian Howes. You will need friends for this, but that does not count as their grade.

**Learn the melodic line of a song from the radio** and perform it. This last is the only one that would work as a group project but each person must play the melody for part of the performance and all parts should be memorized.

**DEADLINE TO CHOOSE A PROJECT IS MARCH 30<sup>TH</sup> 100 pts.** Every Senior must be the feature person in at least one project. You must present something that is your own work!

My project is : \_\_\_\_\_

**TASK TWO:** As part of the Senior Send Off, we have a slide show. Mr. Rayburn will make the slide show but you must turn in pictures that tell your story. Pictures of you playing (especially when young) would be great but anything that represents you is fine. Please bring these in on a flash drive.  
**DUE APRIL 20 100 pts.**

**TASK THREE:** You must also turn in a two page reflection of your life with music and what playing your instrument has given you. Parts of some essays may be read at the concert, but not without your permission. **DUE MAY 4<sup>TH</sup> 100 pts.**

**TASK FOUR:** BEFORE the performance, you will need to do a performance for Mrs. Goff or Mrs. Stoner after school. One of the two of us will be available from 3:30-4:00 every day of the week but Wednesday. This is the time to get input before the project is graded and the earlier you do this, the better. **DEADLINE TO SIGN UP FOR A TIME IS APRIL 24<sup>th</sup>. DEADLINE TO COMPLETE THE TASK IS MAY 8. 100 pts.**

**TASK FIVE:** Perform your work at the Senior Send Off. 100 pts. Your dress should match your performance. You will receive 10 extra credit points for helping in an ensemble that is not part of your own grade.