



WJUSD | December 2022



VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS NEWSLETTER

Welcome to our first VAPA newsletter for WJUSD! This monthly newsletter will highlight upcoming performances and events, provide updates on district visual and performing arts programs, as well as share links to programs in the community.

DID YOU KNOW?

- Music instruction helps kids stay engaged in school.
- Music builds imagination and intellectual curiosity.
- Musical training helps develop language and reasoning.
- Students playing a musical instrument develop pride and confidence.

source: National Association for Music Education

Donations received from the community:

- two trumpets from Eric Grabert, a community member
- keyboard, electric violin, guitar, ukulele from UC Davis



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF OUR VAPA PROGRAMS!

UPCOMING PERFORMANCES



December 2 - 4 & 9 - 11: Fall Play at Woodland HS [tickets](#)



December 3: Festival en la Colmena, 12 - 8 pm (at the Hive) [tickets](#)



December 6: Elementary Strings Concerts at Gibson Elementary:

- 5 pm Beamer, Spring Lake, Whitehead
- 5:45 Maxwell, Gibson, Sci Tech
- 6:30 Plainfield, Freeman, Zamora, Dingle



December 8: Prairie and Tafoya Band and Strings Students Concert at Tafoya, 5 pm



December 8: Santa's Shorts (drama) at Douglass, 3:30 and 6 pm



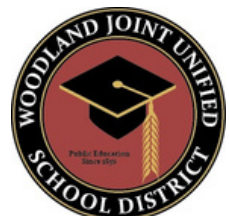
December 8: Pioneer HS Choir, 7 pm



December 12: Pioneer HS Winter Concert, 7 pm



December 13: Woodland HS All Bands and Choirs Winter Concert, 7 pm



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WJUSD music teachers at a mariachi workshop this year.



VAPA COMMITTEE CORNER

Committee Goals

1. Raise awareness of the value of arts, music, and theater for all students in Woodland.
2. Provide opportunities for collaboration among teachers and the community.
3. Help inform the community of upcoming arts, music, and theater events.

For more info, visit the [VAPA Committee webpage](#).

Participating Organizations

Folklorico Latino de Woodland
TANA
Woodland Community College
Woodland Opera House
Woodland Public Library
Yolo Arts

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