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BUCYRUS ELEMENTARY TO HOST STUDENT MUSIC PERFORMANCES

BUCYRUS, OH (Nov. 8, 2010) – The Bucyrus Elementary Music Department will be hosting several music programs this 2010-2011 school year. All programs will be held at the Bucyrus Elementary School in the auditorium and are free and open to the public. Performances will begin promptly at 7 p.m. Each presentation will feature a specific grade and theme for the evening.

Performance dates and themes are as follows:

- Thursday, Nov. 11: Third Grade Veteran's Day Program
- Thursday, Dec. 2: Second Grade Holiday Program
- Thursday, March 31: First Grade "Getting' Down With Mother Goose" Program
- Tuesday, April 19: Fourth Grade "Dancing Through The Decades" Program
- Tuesday, May 10: Fifth Grade, TBA
- Thursday, May 12: Kindergarten "Sing For Spring" Program

Elementary Music Specialists and Event Coordinators Nickie Wonsetler and Sarah Martin are excited for the upcoming performances. "It is great to have the community support the arts in public education," said Wonsetler. "The students always get so excited to perform for an audience after they've practiced for such a long time on the songs for the program. It is their opportunity to showcase what they've learned not only about music, but also about disciplines outside of the arts." Martin agreed, "We spend a great deal of time working with students, practicing the songs, and teaching them correct performance behavior. It's always nice to have the community come see what the students have learned and, in return, the students get to see a real live audience that is enthusiastic and enjoys what



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they see. The kids love to have people watch them and can't wait until performance day, so we hope many will come support them in their efforts.”

If you have questions about the upcoming music recitals, contact Nickie Wonsetler at nwonsetler@bucyrusschools.org or Sarah Martin at smartin@bucyrusschools.org. Please mark your calendars and support the music and children of Bucyrus Elementary.

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