

## NORTH BANDS SUCCESSFUL AT MEYERSON

Congratulations to the Coppell Middle School North Band on another state record breaking year. The North bands have been the reigning Texas State Honor Band for this year and have re-set the standard of excellence for middle school and high school bands across the state.

The North Cougars competed this past weekend at the Dallas Wind Symphony battle of Champions at the Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Hall in Dallas. The Concert Band placed first in sub-non varsity competition, the Symphonic Band was scored the highest in non-varsity competition, and the North Honor Winds was the Grand Champion runner –up.

The North Honor Winds percussion section was selected as the most Outstanding Percussion section of the contest scoring higher than any other group in class.

The North Bands placed higher than over twelve high school 5-A bands and orchestras receiving higher scores in woodwinds, brass and percussion.

A special congratulations and mention to North 8<sup>th</sup> grade clarinetist **Richard Song** on being selected the most Outstanding Woodwind soloist of the entire competition in all sizes and classifications of performing groups. For this prestigious honor, Richard will be invited to perform with the Dallas Wind Symphony at their annual spring concert in May.

The North Honor Winds will be competing in the high school solo contest on Saturday, May 12. Individual times will be assigned for each solo performance.

The North Bands will be presented in a final Spring Concert on Friday, May 18. Concert time is 7:00 at Coppell High School.

The North Bands and directors would like to thank Coppell ISD, the community of Coppell and the incredible North band parents for your tremendous support this and every year!

For more information on the North Band Program please visit our website at:

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