PMEA ALL- STATE Wind Ensemble SCHEDULE

April 9-12,2025

Pocono Mountain East CO- HOSTS- Mr. William Bock and Ms. Sarah Williams 231 Pocono School Road Swiftwater, PA 18370

Wednesday April 9, 2025

4:00 pm-6:00 pm- Hotel Registration Check-In KALAHARI RESORTS (250 Kalahari Blvd. Pocono Manor, PA 18349). PMEA is NOT responsible for any student meals on Wednesday.

6:45 pm- Loading Large Instruments onto truck from Kalahari for transportation to Rehearsal site.

9:00 pm – 2025 PMEA All States Ensemble Welcome meeting- Kilimanjaro Ballroom, PMEA EXCOM, chaperone rules, **Every All State student must attend!**

TBD immediately following- All-State Chair Announcements

Thursday Apr 10, 2025

7:00 am-8:30 am BREAKFAST at hotel

8:45 am- Buses arrive for Wind Ensemble

9:00 am- Buses depart for POCONO MOUNTAIN EAST JHS

9:20 am- Busses arrive at PM EJHS student attendance is verified on arrival

9:45 am- Host welcomes students and conductor is introduced.

10:00 am- 11:15 am- REHEARSAL for Winds on Stage- PERCUSSION SECTIONAL in Band Room

11:15 am- 11:30 am- SNACK

11:30 am- 12:30 pm- REHEARSAL for Winds on Stage- PERCUSSION SECTIONAL in Band Room

12:30 pm- 1:15 pm - LUNCH

1:15 pm- 3:00 pm- REHEARSAL Winds and Percussion on Stage (breaks at discretion of Conductor)

3:00 pm- 3:15 pm- Snack Break

3:15 pm- 5:30 pm - REHEARSAL Winds and Percussion on Stage (breaks at discretion of Conductor)

5:30 pm - 6:30 pm - DINNER in EJHS Cafeteria

6:45 pm- Students board buses and depart to KALAHARI RESORTS

7:30 pm- 9:30 pm- THUD and Six String Soldiers (US Army Field Band) CONCERT as part of the 2025 PMEA Annual In-Service Conference- Kalahari Resort.

10:00 pm- - Chaperones start room check with instructions.

Friday April 11, 2025

7:00 am-8:30 am - BREAKFAST at hotel

8:00 am- PMEA EXHIBIT HALL OPENS- Students are welcome to visit

8:45 am- Bus arrives for Wind Ensemble

9:00 am- Buses depart for POCONO MOUNTAIN EAST JHS

9:20 am- Busses arrive at PM EJHS student attendance is verified on arrival

9:30 am- 11:15 am- REHEARSAL on Stage

11:15 am- 11:30 am- SNACK

11:30 am- 12:30 pm- REHEARSAL on Stage

12:30 pm- 1:15 pm - LUNCH

1:15 pm- 3:00 pm- REHEARSAL on Stage (breaks at discretion of Conductor)

3:00 pm- 3:15 pm- Snack Break

3:15 pm- 4:30 pm - REHEARSAL on Stage (breaks at discretion of Conductor)

4:30 pm- Students pack and load equipment on Truck

4:45 pm- 5:30 pm – DINNER in EJHS Cafeteria

5:40 pm- Students walk to EHS auditorium for State Jazz and Contemporary A Cappella Concert.

6:00 pm-8:00 pm All-State Jazz and Contemporary A Cappella Concert.

8:15 pm Students return to Kalahari Resort and help unload instruments and equipment (The All-State Orchestra Concert will start at 8:00 pm. at Kalahari)

10:00 pm- - Chaperones start room check with instructions.

Saturday April 12, 2025

8:00 am-9:30 am - Breakfast for Instrumental Ensembles

10:00 am -Chorus Concert (students are welcome to attend but must check out of hotel room first).

10:30 am Wind Ensemble checks out of Hotel Rooms and place luggage/ instrument cases in designated Holding Room.

11:45 am- 12:20 pm- Concert Band Final Soundcheck

Noon- Wind Ensemble Lunch

12:45 pm- 1:20 pm- Wind Ensemble- Final Sound Check- Kilimanjaro Ballroom

2:00 pm - Wind Ensemble/ Concert Band Concert