



## OJR JAZZ ENSEMBLE AUDITION INFORMATION

### OPEN POSITION: Trombone Apprentice

- Auditions are by appointment with Mr. Mengel and should be done sometime before Friday, Jan. 26<sup>TH</sup>. (Just see me to set up a date and time prior to the 26<sup>th</sup>.)

Attached is a copy of the audition music. Below are links to the recordings of the songs. For your audition, you will play along with the recordings below:

Blues Brothers Revue: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4xKMh7IRJ6g>

September: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g88rmDyQ1po>

Take the 'A' Train:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zYbGUGutld4&list=RDzYbGUGutld4&start\\_radio=1](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zYbGUGutld4&list=RDzYbGUGutld4&start_radio=1)

If you are accepted into the jazz band, you must understand that a total commitment to attend all rehearsals is required. Unlike other organizations, your part is covered only by YOU. A "three strikes and your out" policy will be in effect for missed practices for any reason. Rehearsals will be on most Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2:30pm to 3:30pm. If you can't make Tuesday / Thursday rehearsals, then unfortunately you can't be in the jazz band. It is your responsibility to arrange for a ride home and/or take the activity bus. The jazz band performs at two yearly concerts and several community performances throughout the year, including our end-of-the-year annual performance at Knoebels Amusement Park in Elysburg, PA.

Please see me if you have any questions or if you would like help with your music. GOOD LUCK TO ALL!!!!!!!!!!!!

- Mr. Mengel