

SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE

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Twelve DCPS Students Earn Places in All-Shore Band

Twelve students from four Dorchester County Public Schools were awarded places in the 2019 All-Shore Band, with two earning first chair in their instruments.

Logan Dukes, an 8th grader from North Dorchester Middle School, will take 1st chair in the trombone section of the Junior All-Shore Band which includes students in 6th through 8th grade. The other successful musicians from NDMS are all clarinetists: 8th grader Sydney Weir, 7th graders Kaitlyn Anthony and Julia Creighton, and 6th grader Mykola Horbenko.

North Dorchester High School sophomore Lily McDonald will be taking 1st chair among bass clarinets in the Senior All-Shore Band comprising 9th through 12th grades. Also gaining seats in the Band are Hannah Piasecki, 10th grade, and 12th grader Seth Talley. Both students play the clarinet.

Two students from Cambridge-South Dorchester High School earned places in the Senior Band. Senior Kate Dixon was one of only two players chosen for the mallets in the percussion section. She is joined by sophomore Amanda Bair, a clarinet player.

Maces Lane Middle School will also be sending two students to the Junior Band. Eighth graders Destinee Edmonds and Ariel Montgomery will be joining the clarinet section.

All-Shore Band is comprised of music students from eight Eastern Shore counties, selected by audition. The youngsters will participate in a two-day festival on Friday, April 5th and Saturday, April 6th at Queen Anne's County High School. There will be a banquet for students participating in the band and a concert open to the public on Saturday night at 7:30 p.m.



NDMS All-Shore Band students Mykola Horbenko, Sydney Weir, Julia Creighton, Kaitlyn Anthony, and Logan Dukes



NDHS All-Shore Band students Hannah Piasecki, Seth Talley, and Lily McDonald



C-SDHS All-Shore Band students Amanda Bair and Kate Dixon



MLMS All Shore Band students Destinee Edmonds and Ariel Montgomery