

*Greetings from the River Valley Music Boosters!*

We have many items happening right now that we wanted to share with you.

### **RVMS Heads to the Overture Center for the Arts!**

On Thursday, February 15th the RVMS Choir Students went to the Overture Center to watch Les Misérables. They had a wonderful time!

### **Annual Calendar Raffle**

Follow along in March to see if your name was drawn! Winners will be posted here:

<https://www.rvschools.org/community/musicboosterclub.cfm>

### **Solo & Ensemble**

On Saturday, February 24th River Valley hosted District Solo & Ensemble at RVHS. Many middle and high school students participated. It was a wonderful event!

### **Dorian Band Festival**

This festival takes place Sunday and Monday, February 25th and 26th at Luther College in Decorah, IA. Good luck to participating River Valley students.

### **POPS Concert**

On Monday, March 4th RVHS will be hosting their annual POPS Concert. The show will be in the Old Gym, at 7:00 p.m. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. and tickets are \$5.00 at the door. Make plans to attend, it's always a great event!

### **Wisconsin Singers**

Wisconsin Singers to come to Spring Green, WI for their 56th season tour March 9th!

Wisconsin Singers, the University of Wisconsin-Madison's premier Broadway-caliber touring production, is taking the stage at River Valley High School on the Old Gym Stage for its 56th season show When Opposites Attract on Saturday, March 9th at 7:00 pm.

The new original 90-minute show, performed by unpaid full-time UW students collectively studying more than 24 majors, features captivating vocals, stunning choreography, and the electrifying 10-piece Wisconsin Singers student band.

Audiences will hear over 40 songs in this fast-paced show, including top hits from artists like Tina Turner, Queen, Dolly Parton, Michael Bublé, and more. Numbers from Hamilton, Wicked, Some Like It Hot and other award-winning Broadway musicals. The Wisconsin Singers' band will showcase its special blend of jazz, funk, and classic rock.

The event will open with performances from The River Valley High School Choirs and features RVHS Choir alum Nicholas Daniel!

Tickets range from \$10 (senior/students) to \$15 (adults) and are available at <https://gofan.co/event/1365348?schoolId=WI19218> or can be purchased at the door. Doors open at 6:30 pm, performance at 7:00 pm.

Learn more about the Wisconsin Singers at <https://www.wisconsinsingers.com/>

### **Wisconsin Singers Sponsorship Opportunity**

Many have asked what they can do to help us bring this event to the school. We, River Valley Music Boosters, are covering the cost to host this event, and will be hosting a dinner for the performers prior to the show. Therefore, we've decided to offer additional sponsorships of this event. Businesses who have already donated to our program portfolio will be displayed and recognized. In addition, we are giving businesses and individuals the opportunity to sponsor this event specifically. Those who donate to this event will be displayed and recognized as well.

If interested:

- Please fill out this form: <https://forms.gle/ryRyFwGQkDCwNCEX7>
- Send payment electronically via PayPal or by check:
  - [paypal.me/rivervalleymusic](https://www.paypal.com/mec/rivervalleymusic)
  - Check made payable to "River Valley Music Boosters" and mailed to PO Box 303, Spring Green, WI 53588

The deadline to contribute is Friday, March 1st. We greatly appreciate your consideration.

### **Band-O-Rama**

Our annual Band-o-Rama Concert will be held on Thursday, March 14th at 7:00pm in the RVHS Gym. A variety of band music will be performed by our RVMS Cadet Band, RVMS Concert Band, and RVHS Concert Band. The concert will culminate with a performance by our combined band of over 200 students!

### **Driftless Jazz Concert at Slowpoke**

Friday, March 15th the River Valley High School Jazz Band and Vocal/Jazz Chamber Ensemble perform a night of jazz at the coolest jazz club in town. All ticket proceeds benefit River Valley High School Music Department. Tickets \$10 in advance/\$15 at the door. Link to purchase tickets:

<https://my-site-100147-109631.square.site/s/order?item=412#items>

### **More About Us**

Funds raised by the RV Music Boosters support the music trip, summer music camp scholarships, senior scholarships, music educational events, etc. Music Boosters exist to fill in the gaps and provide additional music activities that benefit all music students of River Valley.

Please “Like” our Facebook Page at <https://www.facebook.com/RVMusicBooster> to stay informed.

We’d also like to thank everyone that supports our organization, as we give everything back to Rivery Valley Music students. We couldn’t do this without all your help.

**March is Music In Our Schools Month! We’ll be celebrating all month long!**