

October 22, 2015

Dear Third Grade Parents,

As part of the third grade music curriculum, all third grade students will learn to play the recorder (a seven-holed song flute). We will play the recorder during almost every music class beginning the second week of November through the second week of February.

We will show you what we have learned during the Third Grade Recorder Concert on Tuesday, February 9 at 6:30 pm. Please make sure you save the date!

A set of classroom recorders and recorder method books is available for in class use. However, it is recommended that you purchase a recorder package for your child’s own personal use in music class and for practice at home. Each package comes with a recorder, case, cleaning rod, fingering chart, and *Recorder Express* method book. If your child already has a recorder; then you may purchase the method book only.

Please return the order form below with a check for $6.00 (for recorder + book) or $5.00 (book only) made payable to SBCE. Cash also will be accepted. Please don’t forget to label the cash envelope or the check memo with your child’s name. *We will accept orders now through Friday, October 30.* Students should give their money and order form to their homeroom teacher.

Thank you very much for your support of the music program.

Sincerely,

*Alecia Gibson*

*Bowen Newman*

General Music Teachers

State Bridge Crossing Elementary

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**Recorder Order Form**

**Student’s Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Homeroom Teacher \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**\_\_\_\_\_ method book + recorder package**

\_\_\_\_\_ $ 6.00 cash \_\_\_\_\_ $ 6.00 check payable to SBCE

**\_\_\_\_\_ method book only**

\_\_\_\_\_ $5.00 cash \_\_\_\_\_ $5.00 check payable to SBCE

**\_\_\_\_\_ My child already has a recorder/book.**

**\_\_\_\_\_ I do not wish to purchase a recorder package or book.** My child will use a school recorder and method book during music class.