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TO: **CAMERATA SINGERS PARENTS**

RE: **Georgia Music Educators Association Choral Performance Evaluations**

Harrison High School

DATE: **Monday, March 16**

*The goals of the GMEA Choral Performance Evaluations are:*

* *To promote through evaluation, advice, and suggestion, the development of musical knowledge as expressed in performance*
* *To raise the standards of musicianship, technical knowledge, and literature selection of performers*
* *To offer students and teachers the opportunity of extended listening to the best work of peer groups from other schools.*

***The GMEA Choral Evaluations are an important part of our curriculum and are considered to be our end of course test.***

**Wear formal concert attire to school. Be sure to have eaten a substantial breakfast.**

**You are dismissed after first period. Leave book bags and personal belongings in the theater and report to the buses in the bus lane.**

**9:15 a.m., come to bus lane. (Students are excused with incentive 9:14 am – 2 pm)**

**9:30 a.m. - Buses depart from Walton HS**

**10:30 a.m. – Arrive at Harrison High School – Listen to choirs.**

**11:40 a.m. – Warm-up**

**Noon – Performance – *Parents are encouraged to come and watch the performance!***

**12:20 p.m. – Sight-reading**

**12:40 p.m. – Depart Harrison HS**

**1:30 pm – Arrive at Walton HS. Change clothes and eat celebration Chick-fil-A lunch provided by Walton Chorus Boosters. (If you do not eat Chick-fil-A, please bring your own lunch.)**

**2 pm – back to class and finish the school day.**