

RIPON

UNIFIED MUSIC



2024 Ripon Unified Music Challenge



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Save the Date! Concerts and Events

***December 4th, 2024.....High School Winter Concert at Ripon High School at 6 pm (Concert Orchestra, High School Choir and High School Band)**

Elementary Winter Concerts -

Colony Oak (Beginning and Intermediate Band and Strings)-Monday, Dec 9, 2024 9:15 AM in the Colony Oak MUB

Ripona (Beginning and Intermediate Band and Strings)-Dec 10, 2024 9:15 AM in the Ripona MUB

Ripon El (Beginning and Intermediate Band and Strings)-Dec 11, 2024 9:15 AM in the Ripon El Cafeteria

Weston (Beginning and Intermediate Band and Strings)-Dec 12, 2024 9:15 AM in the Weston MUB

Park View (Beginning and Intermediate Band and Strings)-Dec 13, 2024 9:15 AM in the Park View MUB

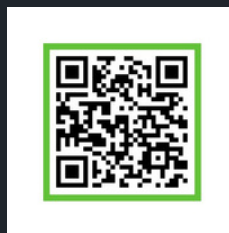
***December 16th, 2024.....Elementary Winter Concert at Park View Elementary at 6 pm (Concert Band, Choir, Mariachi, and Drumline)**

Upcoming Music Booster Meetings

- WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2ND AT 6 PM
- WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH AT 6 PM
- WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11TH AT 6 PM
- WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8TH AT 6 PM

ALL LOCATED IN THE RHS BAND ROOM

Join our BAND APP



High School (and Concert Orchestra)



Elementary

New Music Teachers to Ripon!

Mr. Philip Fiorio

I GREW UP IN PLEASANTON AND LEARNED TO PLAY THE TRUMPET AS A KID IN THE SCHOOL BAND AND WAS HOOKED. I WAS LUCKY TO HAVE AN AMAZING MUSIC EDUCATION FIRST AT CSU NORTHRIDGE, THEN GETTING MY MASTERS FROM THE EASTMAN SCHOOL OF MUSIC IN ROCHESTER, NY. I'VE PERFORMED AND RECORDED MUSIC AROUND THE WORLD WITH AMAZING MUSICIANS. AS FUN AS THAT WAS, I'VE FOUND TEACHING TO BE MY CALLING. PRIOR TO RIPON, I'VE TAUGHT MUSIC LOCALLY FOR OVER TEN YEARS IN K-8 AND HIGH SCHOOL SETTINGS. I AM MARRIED TO A WONDERFUL WIFE NAMED CHRISTINA AND WE HAVE TWO LOVELY DAUGHTERS CATALINA, 7, AND SOPHIA, 5. THEY BOTH WERE BORN IN RIPON AND ATTEND COLONY OAK. IN ADDITION TO MUSIC AND FAMILY, I ENJOY WOODWORKING, NATURE, HIKING, AND PHOTOGRAPHY.



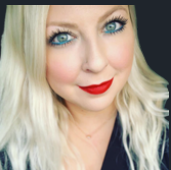
Mr. Michael Regalo

I GREW UP IN RIPON. I WENT TO WESTON AND WENT TO RIPON HIGH (CLASS OF 2014). AFTER I GRADUATED I WENT TO COLLEGE AT THE ACADEMY OF ART UNIVERSITY IN SAN FRANCISCO WHERE I STUDIED MUSIC PRODUCTION AND SOUND DESIGN FOR VISUAL MEDIA, I GRADUATED IN 2019. MUSIC IS MY PASSION, I PLAY GUITAR, SING AND WRITE SONGS. I ALSO DO FREELANCE PRODUCTION WORK FOR BANDS AND PODCASTS. I PLAY GUITAR AND SING IN A BAND. I ALSO LOVE TO COOK, I COLLECT RECORDS, MOVIES, AND BOOKS, AND I LOVE TO RIDE MY BIKE OR MY SKATEBOARD. I'M ALSO GETTING MARRIED IN A FEW WEEKS TO MY FIANCÉ, YESENIA.



Welcome to Ripon Unified Music!

Meet the Directors!



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