Rotolo Middle School



1501 and Vocal Gold 2019-2020

What is Show Choir?

1501 and Vocal Gold Show Choirs are extracurricular choirs for exceptional choral students who wish to further their choral education as well as sing a different style of repertoire. Both Ensembles perform Jazz, Broadway, and Pop tunes set to choreography at our jazz/show choir concerts as well as other out of school gigs that they may receive throughout the year (similar to BHS Sing Singers). These groups are audition only groups and are open to all 6th, 7th, and 8th grade music performance members (chorus, band, and orchestra). *We meet every Tuesday morning from 7AM – 7:50 AM for 1501 (mixed ensemble) and Wednesday morning from 7AM – 7:50 AM for Vocal Gold. (All treble ensemble)* There is an activity fee for all participating members (upon being selected). It is a challenge but also a lot of fun! So grab your dancing shoes and come out for auditions!

How do I Audition?

There are 3 audition dates for Show Choir

*Tuesday, October 15th - 7:00 am -7:50am OR 3:00 - 6:00pm -

Vocal Audition – sign up for a 2 minute time slot Sign up sheets will be up Mon. 9/23 on the RMS choir door Students should prepare one verse/chorus of a pop/Broadway Show song that features their voice. Songs **Do NOT** have to be memorized and can be sung a cappella or with a karaoke accompaniment on ipod or chrome book.

*Wednesday, October 16th - 7:00 am -7:50am OR 3:00 - 5:000pm (student choice)-

Dance Learning Session - Students will learn choreography set to Music that they will audition in small groups on Thursday.

*Thursday, October 17th -

Group Dance Audition - Attend only one session

Students will perform the choreography from the learning Session in small groups. I am looking to see how quickly students can pick up movement as well as how they work in a rehearsal type setting.

Students <u>MUST</u> attend all 3 days to be selected for a show choir!
Results for both show choirs will be posted Friday October 18th outside the choir room

*If your student is unable to attend a session for any reason please contact me as soon as possible so we can work together to make accommodations for your child. Contact info: email — Kathleen.hillman@bps101.net