**NORTH READING MASQUERS’ MUSICAL *BEAUTY AND THE BEAST* SCHEDULE**

**September & October**

While this will not change, there may be additional days off. Please refer to the Masquers web site at Masquers.weebly.com where the schedule is updated daily.

**Tuesdays Sept 26, Oct 3, Oct 10, Oct 17, Oct 24** – All elementary students cast as villagers start at 3:45 – 5:15

Whomever is cast as CHIP will have a much larger commitment. CHIP can be male/female. CHIP’s rehearsal schedule will be posted weekly and updated daily on the Masquers web site along with the high school students.

*All students will be done at approx 5:15pm. However, if we are in the middle of a song or scene, we will finish it before we release students. We also do quick reminders at the end of every rehearsal so parents please be patient with us. We kindly ask that you wait in the main hallway and do not come into the theatre. Our rehearsals are closed to the public.*

**November**

October 31 – no elementary students are called Happy Halloween kiddos!

November 7 – no elementary students

November 13 - costume parade and head shots. Please look nice!

November 14 – rehearsal times TBD based on orchestra

November 17 – full run of show and potluck dinner for cast and crew afterwards 3-7pm

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**Mandatory -** Sunday, November 19 **–** orchestra rehearsal 8:45am (end time TBD, but will before lunch)

**Mandatory -** Saturday, November 25 - orchestra rehearsal 8:45am (end time TBD, but will before lunch)

**“SHOW WEEKS”**

**\*\***Elementary students arrive right after school\*\*

November 27 - full cast until 6:00pm – full costumes

November 28 - full cast until 6:00pm – full costumes

November 29 – Full cast orchestra rehearsal – 5:30-9:30

*This is our one try at running the entire show with the professional orchestra before we open. Elementary students should arrive at 5:30 with their makeup and hair done. Then get into costume. Run through starts at 6:30pm. The show is approx 2 ½ hours long and we will have an intermission. There is built in time for mistakes. As soon as we are done, students need to hang up their costumes and clean their areas. Then elementary students are able to leave. We understand it is a late night and we thank you for your understanding.*

November 30 - Full cast until 6:30pm – full costumes (Elementary students arrive right after school their school is done)

December 1 – SHOW! **6:00pm call time for Elementary students** – hair and makeup done at home - 7:30pm show.

December 2 – SHOW! **2:30pm call time for Elementary students** - hair and makeup done at home – 4:00pm show

December 3 – (OFF) Brunch with the Beast fund raiser

December 4 – rehearsal 3:45 until 5:15 to prepare for daytime shows tomorrow – no costume/makeup etc. Just wear clothing to move in and your character’s shoes.

December 5 – DAY TIME performances for the district. *Elementary students should be dropped off at the HS at 7:30am. They will not attend classes today but they will also not be marked absent. It’s a field trip. Mrs Kane and her staff will be with the students all day. Students need to be picked up at 3pm. More info to come.*

December 6 –Brush up rehearsal until 5:15pm

December 7 –Brush up rehearsal until 5:15pm

December 8 – SHOW! **6:00pm call time for Elementary students** – hair and makeup done at home - 7:30pm show.

December 9 – SHOW! **2:30pm call time for Elementary students** - hair and makeup done at ho,e – 4:00pm show

+++Students take costumes home to wash after the last show and they are due back by **Monday, December 18**!+++