

# *GBN Express Auditions*

May, 2019

Thank you for your interest in becoming a member of Express. I am very excited by the level of talent that we have here at GBN and know that next year's group will be wonderful. As you know, Express has a very busy rehearsal and concert schedule. Attendance at all rehearsals and concerts is critical to the success of the ensemble.

For membership, the following rehearsals and concert dates are required. Please check and compare dates with your family, school, sport and activity calendar. Be sure to include conflicts such as Theatre, Debate, Athletics, Marching Band, Work, Kairos, Snowball, etc. List all conflicts with rehearsals and concerts on the attached sheet.

## **1. REHEARSALS**

We rehearse Monday nights from 7:00-8:30 p.m.

We rehearse after school from 3:10-5:30 from November 1 – 26.

## **2. CONCERTS**

### **December**

1. Thursday, December 5	NB Women's Club	11:30-1:30
2. Friday, December 6	Evanston Golf Club	6:00-9:30
3. Saturday, December 7	Carol Downtown (tent.)	11:00-5:00
4. Sunday, December 8	Family and Friends at GBN	1:30-4:30
5. Monday, December 9	Covenant Village	6:30-7:30
6. Friday, December 13	Brandell Christmas Tea	4:30-6:30
7. Saturday, December 14	Rolling Green CC	6:00-9:30
8. Tuesday, December 17	Winter Concert	6:00-9:00
9. Wednesday, December 18	Winter Assembly	7:40-11:00
10. Thursday, December 19	Skokie Country Club	6:00-10:00
11. Friday, December 20	HP Hospital	1:00-3:30
12. Friday, December 20	Skokie Country Club	6:00-10:00
13. Saturday, December 21	Skokie Country Club	6:00-10:00
14. Sunday, December 22	Skokie Country Club	6:00-10:00
15. Monday, December 23	Skokie Country Club	6:00-10:00

Additional concerts will be added as requests come in. Your schedule must be flexible to attend extra rehearsals and concerts. This includes performances during the school day.

NOTE: Express will participate in the 2020 GBN Variety Show. All members are expected to perform.

**TO:** Express Auditionees and Parents  
**FROM:** Chad Davidson  
**RE:** Commitment Sheet  
**DATE:** May, 2019

Please fill this out carefully and return at audition time to Mr. Davidson

On the attached form please list the involvements that you have during these months. Include athletic practices and games, GBN activities such as Theatre, IE, Snowball, tutoring, Poms, Orchesis, Kairos, and work and family obligations, etc. This should include after school and evening activities.

Attached is a tentative rehearsal and concert schedule for November and December.

\_\_\_\_ I/We understand the commitment for membership in Express.

\_\_\_\_ I/We understand the November and December attendance policy and will be available through Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup>.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student

**PLEASE NOTE: School gets out for the Winter break on Friday, December 20. However, our final concert is Monday, December 23. All Express members are required to perform up to, and including, December 23.**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>DAY(S) PER WEEK</b>	<b>TIME (INCLUDE GAMES &amp; PRACTICES)</b>
<b>SEPTEMBER 2019</b>			
<b>OCTOBER 2019</b>			
<b>NOVEMBER 2019</b>			
<b>DECEMBER 2019</b>			

Run to You

60

S. run, I'll run, I'll run, run, to you.

A. run, I'll run, I'll run, run, to you, whoa.

T. run, I'll run, I'll run, run, to you.

B. run, I'll run, I'll run, run, to you, whoa.

B. run, I'll run, I'll run, run, to you, whoa.

**D** START

68

S. mm oo oh

A. I will break down the gates of hea - ven. A thou-sand an-gels standwait-ing for me. Oh,

T. mm oo oh

B. I will break down the gates of hea - ven. A thou-sand an-gels standwait-ing for me. Oh,

B. I will break down the gates of hea - ven. A thou-sand an-gels standwait-ing for me. Oh,

Run to You

6

76

S. take my heart\_ take my heart, lay them down, lay them down, break my shack-les,

S. take my heart\_ take my heart, lay them down, lay them down, break my shack-les,

A. take my heart\_ and I'll lay down my wea - pons. Break my

T. take my heart\_ take my heart, lay them down, lay them down, break my shack-les,

B. take my heart\_ and I'll lay down my wea - pons. Break my

B. take my heart\_ and I'll lay down my wea - pons. Break my

81

S. break my shack-les to set me free. I'll

S. break my shack-les to set me free. I'll

A. shack - les to set me free. I'll

T. break my shack-les to set me free. I'll

B. shack - les to set me free. I'll

B. shack - les to set me free. I'll

END

18

*mf*



star of



START



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Hand Claps



END

