

Park Street School Orchestra

practiCe-A-Thon

Information Sheet

Your Practice Earns Money for the Park Street School Orchestra Program!

Find sponsors or pledges

Start by contacting your friends and family: your parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, and anyone else you can think of. Ask them to pledge a certain amount for every minute practiced (ex: \$0.10/minute) or a pledge a flat donation (ex: \$25). Use the Sponsor Sheet attached to track your pledges.

Keep track of your practice time

From February 5th through March 2nd, keep track of your hours practiced on the Practice Log attached.

Collect Money

At the end of the Practice-a-thon, you will need to collect your donations. Turn in to Mrs. Benson your Sponsor Sheet, Practice Log, and total money collected by March 16th.

Win Prizes

There will be prizes for the most minutes practiced and the most money collected. The section with the most minutes of practice time (averaged, so the larger ensembles do not have an automatic advantage) will win a pizza party!

The sections are:

Woodwinds

Beginner Violin A

Beginner Violin D

Intermediate Violin B

Brass

Beginner Violin B

Senior Violin and Cello

Percussion

Beginner Violin C

Intermediate Violin A

What counts as practice time?

What counts as practice? Any time you are playing your instrument outside of school, without Mrs. Benson or Mrs. Moller.

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Information Sheet for Sponsors

I am a member of the Park Street School Orchestra and we are holding a Practice-A-Thon during the months of February and March to raise money for our music program. Orchestra members will obtain sponsors who are willing to pledge a certain amount of money per minute for every minute the member practices their instrument from February 5th – March 2nd, 2018. For example if I practice 30 minutes daily on 10 days that's 300 minutes, so a pledge of \$0.10 per minute could be \$30. At the end of the Practice-A-Thon, I will let you know how many minutes I practiced and the total amount due for your pledge. A flat donation independent of hours practiced is also welcome.

I would greatly appreciate it if you would consider sponsoring me in the Practice-A-Thon. I will keep track of my hours practiced and let you know at the end of the month how many hours I practiced and how much your pledge will be.

Thank you for your support!

Member Name: _____

Instrument: _____