122-AR-1. PLEASANT VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
STUDENT-MUSICIAN/STUDENT-PERFORMER AGREEMENT

All participants in Pleasant Valley School District (PVSD) marching band and/or other music-related or performing arts co-curricular/extracurricular activities shall be required to sign this code prior to being allowed to try out, practice or participate. It is the responsibility of the director/advisor to ensure that no PVSD student-musician/student-performer tries out, practices or participates that has not read and signed the following code.

Student-Musician/Student-Performer

As a student-musician/student-performer, I agree to abide by the following rules of habit and conduct, and as parent(s)/guardian(s) of a student-musician/student-performer we support the following. As a student-musician/student-performer:

- I will always conduct myself as a lady/gentleman representing my school, my parent(s)/guardian(s), my community, and my country. I will treat other student-musicians, other student-performers, students, adjudicators, officials, advisors, directors, staff members, volunteers and spectators with respect and will address all adults with respect at all times.

- I will comply with the rules and regulations approved and set forth by the league/conference and/or any other governing organization.

- I will not participate or be involved in any form of hazing activity and understand that hazing is strictly prohibited as per PVSD Board Policy No. 247.

- I will abide by all of the rules and regulations required of a student-musician/student-performer.

- I will control the activities of my daily routine consistent with the good health habits of proper nutrition, exercise, and rest.

- I will not indulge in the use of alcohol, tobacco products, steroids, or drugs in any form, other than those prescribed by a physician, and will abide by PVSD Board Policy Nos. 210, 222, 227 and any other policy, regulation, rule or procedure relevant to such.

- I will attend all required practices and meetings and will diligently work to improve myself while following the advice and instruction of directors, advisors, staff members and volunteers. If, at any time, I cannot attend a required practice or meeting for any reason, I will make every effort to notify the director/advisor in advance, who will determine whether or not the absence will be excused. I understand that unexcused absences could affect participation in performances.

- I realize that my primary responsibility in school is to receive an education that will help prepare me for future success once I have graduated; therefore, I will strive to maintain the highest academic average that I am capable of in all of my courses in school and realize that, if I do not meet at least the minimum academic requirements, I shall immediately be ineligible to participate until my grades allow for such participation. If I am deemed academically ineligible, I may not participate in any practice, in skill work, in performances, or in competition during the period of ineligibility. My eligibility will be cumulative and will be reported on a weekly basis. If, at the conclusion of any marking period, I am not meeting the minimum academic requirements, I shall be ineligible for the first fifteen (15) school days following the distribution of report cards. At the end of that fifteen (15) day period, I may return if it is determined that I am meeting the minimum academic requirements.

- I will confer with my parent(s)/guardian(s), teachers and directors/advisors on any problems which may interfere with my mental or physical health.

- I will immediately report all injuries to the director/advisor.
• I know that I am held responsible for all uniforms, parts of uniforms, costumes or other band-related and/or performance-related apparel, sheet music, script and any equipment or theatre prop that has been assigned to me. I know that failure to return such items at the end of the season or period of performance will result in my not being allowed to participate in any other extracurricular/co-curricular activity until the articles are returned or paid for, and the case may be referred to the District Magistrate for resolution of the issue.

• I will not remove any equipment or theatre prop from the practice or playing/performance facilities without the permission of the director/advisor.

• I will not use any equipment or theatre prop outside of the approved equipment provided by the director/advisor without the approval of the director/advisor.

• I know that, in the course of participation, I may be traveling off-campus to events and recognize that, at such times, I am responsible to, at all times, act within the guidelines set forth in Board Policy No. 121 and any and all other Board policies, administrative regulations, school rules, procedures and regulations.

Student-Musician/Student-Performer and Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

As a student-musician/student-performer and parent(s)/guardian(s), we acknowledge that:

• Under some circumstances, involvement in marching band and/or other music-related and/or performance-related co-curricular/extracurricular activity may put student-musicians/student-performers in situations where risk of injury is present and whereby serious, catastrophic and even fatal accidents may occur. The use of equipment may result in accident and/or injury and strenuous physical exertion and other exposures may also result in injury to the student-musician/student-performer.

• We must assess the risk involved when participating in marching band and/or other music-related and/or performance-related co-curricular/extracurricular activity and make our own choice whether to participate in spite of those risks. No amount of instruction, precaution, or supervision will totally eliminate all risk of injury. The obligation of student-musicians/student-performers and their parent(s)/guardian(s) in making the choice to participate in such activities cannot be overstated. As a result of granting permission for a student-musician/student-performer to participate in such, the parent(s)/guardian(s) acknowledge(s) that such risks exist. By making a choice to participate, the student-musician/student-performer acknowledges that such risks exist.

• School insurance coverage has limitations, and that the school is not liable beyond these limitations.

• Home education student-musicians/student-performers or student-musicians/student-performers who attend a charter school are responsible to have their weekly and marking period grades sent directly to the PVSD Athletics/Activities Office each week and are responsible for arranging such submission. Delays in submission could affect participation.

• Failure to follow the rules outlined herein and/or any other rules could result in disciplinary consequences, which could include elimination from participation on a temporary or permanent basis.

Date: ____________________________

Signature of Student-Musician/Student-Performer: ____________________________________________

Printed Name of Student-Musician/Student-Performer: ____________________________________________

Signature(s) of Parent(s)/Guardian(s): ____________________________________________

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