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BAND AND CHOIR ENSEMBLES AT LAKE COMPOUNCE

Concert Band, Jazz Band, Concert Choir and our Select Choral ensembles made their way to the High Note Music Festival at Lake Compounce in Bristol, CT on May 19th 2023. Students performed for a panel of judges to review comments and ratings before entering the park for a day of fun, laughter, and memory making activities. The judges commented on the professional performances of our students and all ensembles scored either in the "excellent" or "superior" range. Students were able to spend time together as ensembles and as friends during this activity designed to provide students with a high-caliber performance opportunity as well as a fun event



that enabled students to celebrate their independent and collaborative work in their ensemble. Now that this competition is over band students are preparing for the Memorial Day Parade event and choral students are gearing up for singing the anthem at the Yard Goat Baseball Game on June 9th at 7:05pm. Ensembles are also completing work for their graduation portfolios, beginning study on the Southern Region 2023-2024 audition materials, and rehearsing selections for our graduation ceremony.