



SCITECH BAND PERFORMS AT SCITECH OPEN HOUSE & FALL FESTIVAL

**Wednesday, October 14th, 2026 @ 5:00pm @ High School of Science and
Technology (1250 State Street, Springfield, MA 01109)**

**Open House located inside the school – Fall Festival located at Amphitheater & Rear Parking Lot
RAIN DATE: Thursday, October 15th**

Concert & Event Description

It's time to connect our school community through music, art, and fun! This may be our final opportunity to perform in the amphitheater before the weather gets cold. After Open House takes place inside of the school, there will be a Fall Festival outside at the amphitheater/parking lot. The festival will feature carnival games, popcorn and caramel apples, arts and crafts, prizes, a raffle, and musical entertainment. That is where you come in! Let's bring the energy and show some love to our school community by giving them a night to remember.

Expectations

- 1) THIS IS A MANDATORY PERFORMANCE FOR ALL ADVANCED BAND MEMBERS**
(see scitechband.org events page for digital version)
- 2) MEET IN THE BAND ROOM ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14th @**

4:00pm

- 3) CONCERT UNIFORM:** Wear your SciTech Band uniform shirt (and black pants if possible). If you don't have a uniform shirt, one will be provided, but you need to return it at the end of the performance or you will owe \$20.
- 4) PLAN AHEAD, BE ON TIME, BE READY TO FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS**
- 5) USE THE BATHROOM BEFORE OR AFTER THE PERFORMANCE**
- 6) BRING YOUR INSTRUMENT AND BINDER OUTSIDE**
- 7) MUSIC:** (1) Tempest, (2) Billie Jean, (3) C Minor Groove, (4) Latin Groove, and (5) 12 Bar Blues.
- 8) NO TALKING OR PLAYING DURING PERFORMANCE OR IN BETWEEN PIECES**
- 9) STAND TALL & PROUD AT ALL TIMES**
- 10) DO NOT LEAVE THE BAND AT ANYTIME WITHOUT PERMISSION**
- 11) USE APPROPRIATE & ENCOURAGING LANGUAGE AT ALL TIMES**
- 12) SEEK TO SERVE & HELP PACK UP AT THE END OF THE EVENT**
- 14) BE GREAT ROLE MODELS, BE THE PRIDE OF SPRINGFIELD**

Schedule

Tuesday, October 13th

-Road Crew and Select Leaders prepare all equipment in band room/hallway

Wednesday, October 14th

- a) Directors & select leaders set up equipment at the amphitheater during the day
- 1) 4:00: Arrive at band room, get a band shirts, change, set up instruments, & USE THE BATHROOM if needed.
 - 2) 4:30: Everyone meets in the band room; talk through performance plan and expectations.
 - 3) 4:50: Go to cafeteria to welcome families to Open House.
 - 4) 5:00-5:30: Administrators welcome families in the cafeteria
 - 5) 5:30-6:00: Students and families walk throughout building to meet teachers and visit classrooms; select band members help families navigate the building / serve as student ambassadors; everyone else goes outside to prep for performance and/or help with festival.
 - 6) 6:00: Fall Festival begins (go outside and get ready to perform)
 - 7) 6:15: Band gets set to perform.
 - 8) 6:30-6:50: Band performs while carnival continues.
 - 9) 6:50: Announce raffle winners.
 - 10) 6:55: Band ends with 12 Bar Blues.
 - 11) 7:00: Festival Ends, Help Return all Instruments and Equipment to the Band Room. Return shirts.
 - 12) 7:30: **If EVERYONE helps to clean up**, we will be finished. Go home and enjoy the rest of your evening!

Performance Order & Notes

(1) Tempest, (2) Billie Jean, (3) C Minor Groove, (4) Latin Groove, (5) 12 Bar Blues, and (6) Benediction.

LATIN GROOVE NOTES

1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5

C - D - Eb - F - G (Flute, Trombone, Euphonium, Guitar, Piano)

D - E - F - G - A (Clarinet, Trumpet, Tenor Sax)

A - B - C - D - E (Alto Sax, Bari Sax)

TEMPEST LIGHTNING NOTE

G (Flute, Trombone, Euphonium, Guitar, Piano)

A (Clarinet, Trumpet, Tenor Sax)

E (Alto Sax, Bari Sax)

12 BAR BLUES NOTES

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Flute, Trombone, Baritone: **1 1 4 1 5 4 1**
Bb Bb Eb Bb F Eb Bb

Clarinet, Trumpet, Tenor Sax: **C C F C G F C**

Alto Sax: **G G C G D C G**

BENEDICTION

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How are your feet?: **TOGETHER!**

Stomach: **IN!**

Chest: **OUT!**

Elbows: **FROZEN!**

Shoulders: **BACK!**

Chin: **UP!**

Eyes: **WITH PRIDE!**

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Who's got the best elementary school anywhere? **DORMAN!**

And who's got the best high school band anywhere? **SCI-TECH!**

DON'T PLAY ANY INSTRUMENTS FOLLOWING BENEDICTION

BE THE PRIDE OF SPRINGFIE