EAST SIDE UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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News Release

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East Side Union High School District holds Annual Band and Choir Festival

On *Tuesday, March 21, at 6:30 p.m. at the Evergreen Valley High School Theater*, the "*Annual District Band and Choir Festival*" begins. Over five nights (*March 21 through March 23; March 29 and March 30*), all eleven of our comprehensive high schools will be performing. There will be approximately 2,000 students show-casing the hard work and talents that they and their instructors have achieved during the 2005-2006 school year. This event has been a great tradition in the district for many years.

Mark your calendars and plan to attend and lend your support to the fine young men and women and their instructors who have done an excellent job in organizing this event.

The Band Festival is March 21, 22 and 23 at the Evergreen Valley High School Theater. All of the performances will start at 6:30 p.m. The Choir Festival will be held on Wednesday, March 29 and Thursday, March 30 at the Independence High School Theater at 6:30 p.m. All events at the Festival are open to the public and admission is Free!

For additional information contact: Steve Barnhill, ESUHSD Performing Arts Subject Area Coordinator, at 408.347.5962

Listed are the dates each school will be performing:

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Tuesday, March 21

Andrew Hill High School Oak Grove High School Santa Teresa High School Independence High School

Wednesday, March 22

Yerba Buena High School Independence High School Piedmont Hills High School Mt. Pleasant High School Piedmont Hills High School

Thursday, March 23

Evergreen Valley High School James Lick High School Silver Creek High School W.C. Overfelt High School

Wednesday, March 29

Evergreen Valley High School Santa Teresa High School Yerba Buena High School Independence High School Piedmont Hills High School

Thursday, March 30

Independence High School Silver Creek High School Andrew Hill High School Oak Grove High School Mt. Pleasant High School James Lick High School

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