

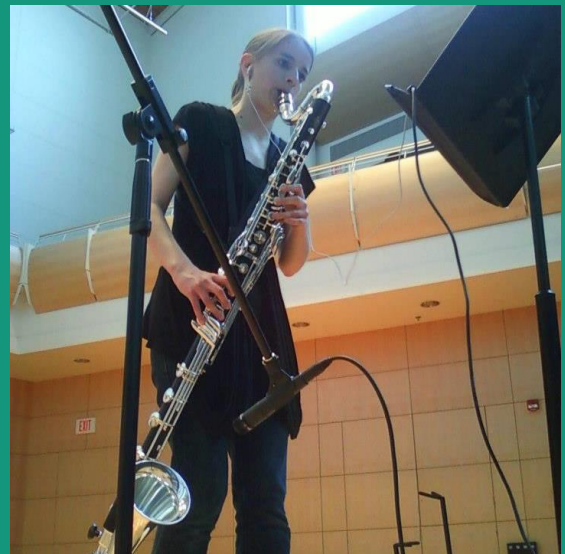
# Music Class!



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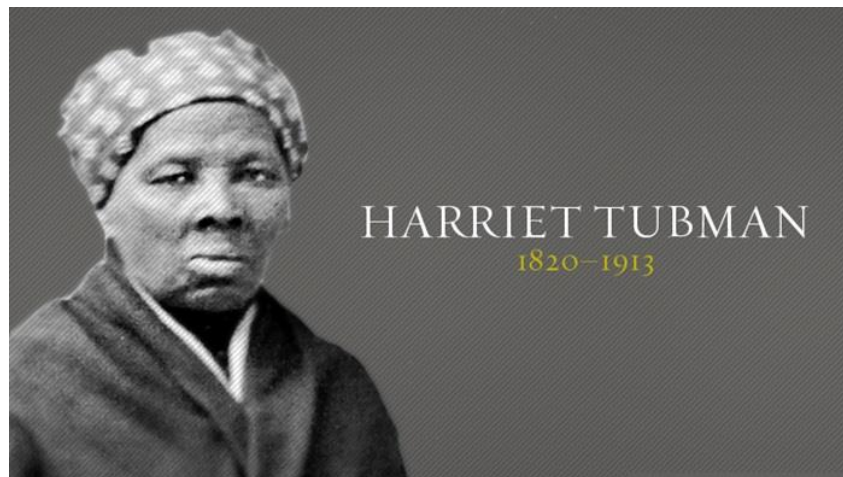


# January Events



## **Second and Third Grade - Programs!**

Second and third grade will be having their programs in March! More information about dates and times to come. While the theme of the third grade program is still being determined, second grade's program will contain folk songs and dances from different regions that we started learning about in second quarter.



## **Fourth Grade Lyric Opera Visit**

On March 9, New Stanley's fourth graders will perform the opera *She Never Lost a Passenger* with members of the Kansas City Lyric Opera. The opera tells the story of Harriet Tubman and the Underground Railroad. Students will have the opportunity to sing, play instruments and act, with support from members and staff of the Lyric Opera. The performance will be during the school day and students will perform for others in the school. As we get closer to March, friends and family should look for a note home should they wish to attend!



### **Fifth Grade**

This quarter, fifth grade will begin learning to sing and accompany two-songs, building on the canons we learned earlier in the year. Students will also begin learning about different genres of music and how to tell them apart.

### **First Grade**

First grade students will move on from our echo songs to singing short songs in unison. Students will also have the opportunity to accompany their singing on different percussion instruments.

### **Kindergarten**

Kindergarten students will start learning about contrast in music! Students will continue learning about high and low, loud and soft and fast and slow. Additionally, students will use their voices and bodies to represent different musical shapes!



### **Harp Choir Performance**

On December 16, 2016, New Stanley fifth grader, Gabriel Hernandez performed as part of KCKPS Harp Choir at Crown Center Plaza. The performance featured choral and string students from across the district along with the Harp Choir. Students have the opportunity to join Harp Choir beginning in fourth grade and can continue through high school.