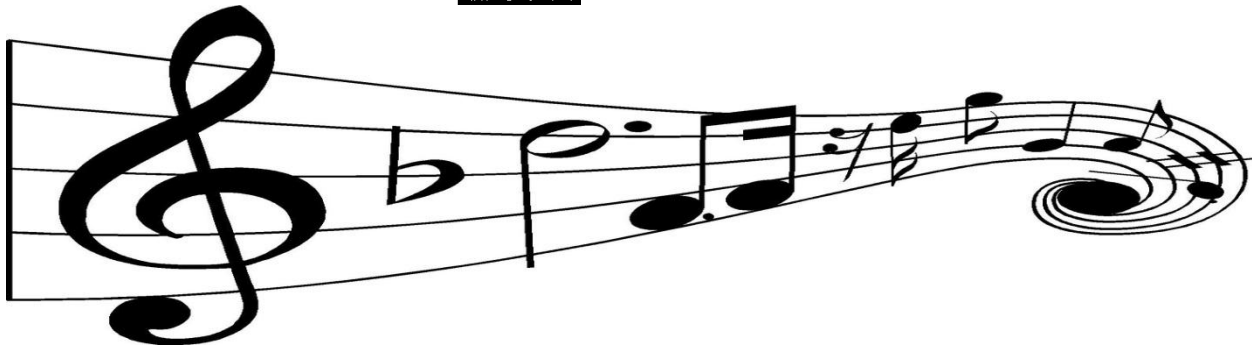


Caring for your Baritone Horn/Euphonium



Here are a few simple things that you should do to keep your baritone in good working condition throughout the school year.



1. Oil your valves each time you play or practice your baritone.
2. Press the valves straight down (good hand position) to avoid wear.
3. Keep the main tuning slide lubricated with petroleum jelly or slide grease.
4. Empty water keys before putting your trumpet in the case.
5. **Never** put anything in on top of your baritone before closing the case, especially your lesson book!!!
6. Be sure that your case is properly latched before picking it up.
7. **Never** leave your baritone unattended.
8. **Never** let other students play or handle your baritone.
9. **Never** hit the mouthpiece into the receptor with your hand.
10. Have an I.D. tag on your case that has your name and school clearly written.
11. Practice your minimum 100 minutes per week so your baritone won't get lonely.