

MCS Rehearsal Notes
September 17, 2018

Nutcracker Overture - Mvt. I

- 4 bar phrases throughout
- Basses - sing with a brighter and more brilliant tone when your part sits higher, like in measure 43.
- B2 - add Cam, Tom B, Peter L.

Jingle Bells

- 3 part tenor and bass split: top - all tenors, middle - all baritones, bottom - Darrell S., Dennis M., Bob J., Peter L.
- 3 part soprano and alto split: top - S1, middle - S2, bottom -all Altos

Deck The Halls

- decrescendo in final two measures

The Christmas Song

- Soprano 2's sing middle note throughout
- breath in measure 11 after "carols", then no breath until "Eskimos"
- No breath in measure 15 between "knows" and "a"
- No breath in measure 32 and 52

Oh Holy Night

- "devine" should be sung as dIH-vine [I]