

Northwest Suburban Integration School District

Invites you to an Interactive Inter-District Partnership (IDP) Meeting

Wednesday, November 1, 2017, 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

WEDDING BAND



Take a field trip to the Penumbra Theatre with NWSISD and attend Alice Childress's play *Wedding Band*, directed by Lou Bellamy.

"In a small South Carolina town by the sea, Julia keeps to herself. Her love, Herman, arrives after dark with a wedding cake—a symbol of their decade long commitment and secret vows to one another. Unable to legally marry, these star-crossed lovers—one black, one white—live in constant fear of arrest or worse. The rules that govern society don't govern the heart, and Julia and Herman risk safety and security for love. Will the price be more than they can bear? Written in 1962, this passionate classic stirs the heart and proves searingly relevant as race takes center stage in American politics." www.penumbrateatre.org

Join us for a riveting production brought to you by the nationally known and critically acclaimed creative team at Penumbra Theatre.

Event Details:

- * **Admission to the Penumbra and the bus ride are provided by NWSISD.** Lunch will be on your own at Midtown Global Market
- * Arrive at NWSISD at 8:30. Bus will depart promptly at 9:00 a.m. from NWSISD for the Penumbra
- * **RSVP for this event at this link:** <https://idp110117penumbrateatreweddingband.eventbrite.com> **Registration due October 31, 2017**
- * **Reserve your seat now - there are only 50 tickets!**
- * CEUs will be available

Participants will have a

- Deeper understanding around the historical complexities of inter-racial marriages
- Deeper understanding of race relations in American politics
- The opportunity to experience and made aware of Black theater in our communities

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