

Mountlake Terrace Bands

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NEWSLETTER

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Important Information

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SnoKing Large Group Festival

All band students are attending the SnoKing Festival on Wednesday at Edmonds Center for the Arts. Students have been excused but still need to work with their teachers to make up missed work. Nearly all permission slips have been turned in with a few exceptions - if you are one of those, please turn it in ASAP. More are available in the band room wall pocket. We are departing at 7:30 and will return to school by 2:00. Students should wear Concert Band Attire for the whole day. We are hosting the event (at ECA) and want to look nice and professional for whatever job we have.

CWU Festival Recap

Chamber Winds went to the Central Washington University Band Festival this past Friday. We had a great time listening to bands and seeing former MTHS students like Jesse Anderson, Skyler Floe, Kandin Neri, and Taylor Griffin. All are doing well. Chamber Winds performed Fantasie and Give Us This Day and did an outstanding job.

Last Disneyland Trip Payment

The last Disney payment is due March 20th. Everyone has paid \$700 to this date to the school. If you haven't, make sure you have paid \$700 made out to ESD #15. Please bring your total to \$800 by writing a check for \$100 to "MTHS Music Boosters". This amount does NOT include money for meals other than breakfast. Our original estimate for the trip was \$950, not including food money. Because of fundraising efforts we are able to significantly subsidize this trip. Thanks to everyone who has helped fundraise over the past couple of years for the purpose of travel. Remember to write your check to MTHS Music Boosters for the last \$100! (If you have already paid more than this please contact Sherrill Leppich to discuss your situation as there are a couple of options.)

Jazz 1 at Newport HS Jazz Festival

Jazz 1 is attending the Newport HS Jazz Festival on March 15th. Our division begins at 1:00 and it would be great if you can be there to listen to the bands who we are competing against. I am including the full schedule at the end of this newsletter. I have an obligation in the morning but will get there as close to 1:00 as possible. Our warm-up time is 4:00 and we perform at 4:20. Bass and

guitar amps are provided as is the drum kit. Drummer can bring their own cymbals if they desire. Bass players need to bring their own bass and anyone needing a patch cord (guitar and bass) need to bring their own. Please wear our standard jazz band concert attire (all black with red neck tie for boys). This is a competition and we are competing with against all other AAA and AAAA bands at the festival. There are some good bands there, many we have not yet heard this year. Also, Newport (who is also going to Savannah) will be playing at 5:00 so we are able to hear them! Scott Brown from Roosevelt will be doing our clinic. Finalists are announced at 5:15 and the evening concert starts at 7:00. The scoring judges are Lewis Norfleet and Adam Rupert. The clinicians are Scott Brown and Jenny Kellogg.

The daytime performances are free but the evening concert is \$10/person or \$20 for a family. If we make the finals, at least one of the selections must be new. Performing school band members obviously get in for free.

If we make the finals, you will be on your own for dinner before the concert at 7:00. There are several restaurants nearby.

KEEP READING!!

There is lots of important information on the following pages!

MTHS MUSIC BOOSTERS NEWS

MARCH 10th, 2014

Greetings to all~!

We have a small schedule change for the SKMEA trip this week. Both Chamber Winds and Symphonic Band will be attending on Wednesday, March 12th. If there are any parents who would like to chaperone the trip to SKMEA in Edmonds on Wednesday, March 12th, we could still use a few more adults. If you are interested, please contact Sherrill Leppich at mthsmusicboosters@gmail.com or Kara Oberstadt at mikeober@frontier.com as soon as possible. Also, be sure that you have filled out and turned in the forms at the school front office that need to be completed before you are eligible to chaperone any trips.

The Chamber Winds group traveled to Central Washington University on Friday, March 7th. **A big Thank You** to Kara Oberstadt, Karin Gates, Mara Sparks and Paulina Neri for chaperoning this trip. Though this is a great day of music and learning, this is also a long day for the students and Mr. Faul and we appreciate the helping hands of the chaperones to help make the day go smoothly!! Thank you so very much!

One more quick reminder, students need to turn in their permission slips ASAP for the event we are traveling to on Wednesday, to SKMEA. We still have a handful of students who have not turned permission slips in and need this done in order to be able to attend:

Wednesday, March 12th – Chamber Winds AND Symphonic Band to SKMEA in Edmonds

***** Plans have changed and the Chamber Winds & Symphonic Band are now traveling and attending SKMEA together on Wednesday, March 12th**

*** Be sure to bring a sack lunch or money to purchase a lunch.

** If you are unsure if your have filled out and turned in a permission slip for these trips, please contact Kara Oberstadt at mikeober@frontier.com and see if you still need one turned in.

**** UPDATE ** MTHS Band Silent Auction – Parent Meeting**

The meeting for the MTHS Band Silent Auction has been temporarily postponed. In the last newsletter I had mentioned it would be Monday, March 10th. Please stay tuned as we are going to reschedule this meeting so that more parents can attend.

We have planned another Dinner Night Out Fundraiser for the band program. The next event will be Monday, April 14th at the Old Spaghetti Factory in Lynnwood. Watch for flyers that will be emailed out for you to copy and hand out to family and friends. The band program will receive 15% of the sales for those who bring in a flyer on this designated night. Please mark your calendars and come and be a part of this fun night!!! Have dinner out and help the band program all at the same time!! Our goal is to try and have at least 60 band families attend this fundraiser! We CAN do it!! Hope to see you all there!

We also will have another fundraiser coming up in April we want to give you a heads up now, so you can start thinking about those you can ask to help us out. We have an annual Spring Basket Fundraiser that has always been a great way to help raise funds for the band program. These are 12" or 14" baskets with spring flowers that last and last through the summer. They have always been a BIG hit and many come back each year to order these through our fundraiser. The order forms and more information will follow soon!! You will be able to order and receive these beautiful baskets in time for mother's day!! Start making your list now for those you would love to get these baskets for!!!

March 12th – Chamber Winds *AND* Symphonic Band to SKMEA (All day event)

March 15th – Jazz 1 to attend the Newport High Jazz Festival

March 17th – Jazz 1 Rehearsal – 7:00 p.m.-9:00p.m.

March 20th – Jazz 1 Rehearsal – 7:00 p.m.-9:00p.m.

March 21st – Jazz 1 Rehearsal – Time to be determined

March 24th – Jazz 1 leaves for Swing Central Jazz Festival in Savannah, GA

“Research has shown that people who volunteer often live longer.”

~Allen Klein

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Newport Jazz Festival Performance Schedule

School	Director	Division	Warm-up (A)	Perform	Clinic (B)	Clinician
Bellevue 2	Brazitas	A/AA	8:40	9:00	9:20	Norfleet
Interlake 2	Gillespie	A/AA	9:00	9:20	9:40	Rupert
Stadium 2	Buller	A/AA	9:20	9:40	10:00	Norfleet
Sammamish	Edwards	A/AA	9:40	10:00	10:20	Rupert
<i>BREAK</i>				10:20		
Mt. Baker	Sutton	A/AA	10:20	10:40	11:00	Norfleet
Orting	Ruff	A/AA	10:40	11:00	11:20	Rupert
Hockinson	McEnry	A/AA	11:00	11:20	11:40	Norfleet
Newport 2	Mangum	none	11:20	11:40	12:00	Rupert
<i>Announce</i>	<i>Finalists</i>	<i>A/AA</i>		<i>12:00</i>		
<i>BREAK</i>						
Monroe	White	AAA/AAAA	12:40	1:00	1:20	Kellogg
Everett	Vinther	AAA/AAAA	1:00	1:20	1:40	Brown
Lake Stevens	Proff	AAA/AAAA	1:20	1:40	2:00	Kellogg
Wilson	Herb	AAA/AAAA	1:40	2:00	2:20	Brown
Snohomish	Wilson	AAA/AAAA	2:00	2:20	2:40	Kellogg
<i>BREAK</i>				2:40		
Inglemoor	Rice	AAA/AAAA	2:40	3:00	3:20	Brown
Stadium 1	Morrell	AAA/AAAA	3:00	3:20	3:40	Kellogg
Meadowdale	Hawke	AAA/AAAA	3:20	3:40	4:00	Brown
Shorecrest	Caruso	AAA/AAAA	3:40	4:00	4:20	Kellogg
Mountlake Terrace	Faul	AAA/AAAA	4:00	4:20	4:40	Brown
Interlake 1	Kim	AAA/AAAA	4:20	4:40	5:00	Kellogg
Newport 1	Mahaffey	none	4:40	5:00	5:20	Brown
<i>Announce</i>	<i>Finalists</i>	<i>AAA/AAAA</i>		<i>5:15</i>		
Finalist 1		A/AA	6:40 (A)	7:00		
Finalist 2		A/AA	6:55 (B)	7:15		
Finalist 3		A/AA	7:10 (A)	7:30		
Finalist 1		AAA/AAAA	7:25 (B)	7:45		
Finalist 2		AAA/AAAA	7:40 (A)	8:00		
Finalist 3		AAA/AAAA	8:55 (B)	8:15		
Newport 1				8:30		
<i>Awards</i>				<i>8:45</i>		