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*Pearce Area Band Club*

# *Mighty Mustang Band*

*Winter Newsletter 2002-2003*

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January 2003

J.J. Pearce High School

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## Important Dates

- Mid-Winter Concert  
March 6
- New York City trip  
(Sym I, II & Concert Band)  
April 17-20
- Meyerson Concert  
May 15
- Percussion Concert  
May 19

## *Message from Mr. Hames*

On the eve of a much-needed winter break, I want to recap the year and the achievements of our wonderful students. The Mighty Mustang Band continued it's tradition of excellence with First Division ratings at UIL Marching Contest; The Mustangs returned to the finals arena at the Birdville Marching Contest after a four year absence; the Pearce Marching Band also won Best Music in 4A at the Birdville contest. Congratulations to the students and staff for their outstanding achievements!

118 J. J. Pearce band students competed in individual competition at the All-Region Band auditions in early December. Let me tell you how I feel about the All-Region process. When a student dedicates himself or herself to the process of learning three extremely difficult pieces, works on those pieces for four months (!), and follows through with the rigorous audition process, that student is not only a better player for their efforts, but I believe, a better person as well. Anytime anyone makes a commitment to a difficult process and follows it through to completion, that person is building character. And I believe that a positive band program is as much about building character as it is about learning music.

The following J. J. Pearce students were awarded positions in the 4A All-Region Band (some as alternates): Sara Adams, James Aton, Neda Barhamnejad, John Barr, Austin Bond, Laura Carter, Sara Henderson, Kyle Henson, James Hogan, Corey Hutchins, Mark Jackson, Matthew Johnson, James Kimmel, Melissa Lent, Steven Levy, Rebecca Loewenstein, Adria Molotsky, Evan Murphy, Matthew Stacey, Natasha Stevenson, William Thoreson, Kimberly Tran, Benjamin Williams, and Ming Zhi.

These students were awarded positions in the 5A Concert Band: Paul Levine, Jay Schweikert, and Shea Sinclair. These students were awarded positions in the 5A Symphonic Band: Bonnie Beathard, Patrick Landis, Chris Rupley, and Erica Silverman. The following students were awarded positions in the 5A Wind Ensemble: Albert Alexander, Anna Lee, Kira Lowe, and Benjamin Stein.

Ten students were awarded positions in the All-Area Band, and will compete in January for a position in the Texas All-Stand Band. We wish these students luck as they continue on in the process. 4A Area: Albert Alexander, Bonnie Beathard, Patrick Landis, Anna Lee, Chris Rupley, Jay Schweikert, Shea Sinclair and Erica Silverman. 5A Area: Kira Lowe and Benjamin Stein.

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## *[www.pearceband.org](http://www.pearceband.org)*

**It's hard keeping up with teenagers and their schedules.** The band directors work hard to make sure the kids know when and where they are supposed to be, but sometimes those details don't get relayed until 10 minutes before time to go! PABC sponsors a website ([www.pearceband.org](http://www.pearceband.org)) that includes the schedules so you know these details sometimes even before the kids do. Maps and directions are listed on the site too - one stop shopping for locations and directions. To view the maps, you can click on the event from the schedule to get driving directions and visual maps. Visit <http://www.pearceband.org/BandLife/BandLife.asp>.

**It's a big trip year.** Who in band doesn't know this? But what parent knows everything they need to about this trip? We've created a special trip section so you can browse through the trip schedule, look up the chaperone requirements, and print out airline details. This information and much more can be found at <http://www.pearceband.org/BandLife/Trip.asp>.

**..and how do I pay for it????** Assessments and how they work are confusing to new parents, and to many returning parents. We've created a section just for you to become familiar with how your fundraising and auction activities are applied to your assessments. Visit <http://www.pearceband.org/BandInfo/Assessments.asp> for details.

**I volunteer, but don't record my hours.** Lots of people spend a lot of time helping out with band, but most of these activities occur after school or on weekends. The school's PTA keeps volunteer records and our volunteer coordinators help them by turning in the band volunteer hours. Once again, to make it easy to record those hours, you can log them at <http://www.pearceband.org/PABC/Volunteers.asp>. These are recorded by Donna Daniels and submitted to the PTA for their records. Help us help them while you're helping the band.

Take a look around the website and let us know what you think. We're open to ideas and suggestions. Email [webmaster@pearceband.org](mailto:webmaster@pearceband.org) with comments.

### Future Performances of the Pearce Bands

Saturday, February 8<sup>th</sup> – RISD Chamber Music Festival at Berkner HS

Thursday, March 6<sup>th</sup> – Symphonic II and Concert Bands Mid-Winter Concert

April 17<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> – Symphonic I, II and Concert Bands travel to New York City

Thursday, May 15<sup>th</sup> – J. J. Pearce In Concert, Meyerson Symphony Center

Monday, May 19<sup>th</sup> – Percussion Concert

## FROM THE PABC PRESIDENTS

Dear Mighty Mustang Band Parents,

WOW! What a terrific Fall Semester for our bands! We had a great marching season, with tremendous success at our competitions, as well as a lot of fun at the football games. Quickly switching modes, the kids transitioned into the concert season, with terrific concerts in December. Bands at North, Parkhill and Pearce have done an awesome job, as seen and heard at the early winter concerts. The Pearce Jazz Band, under the direction of Mark Nichols, thoroughly engaged the audience, when they performed after the concert and symphonic bands. If you haven't had a chance to hear the jazz band, check their performance schedule this semester for a real treat!

The auction was a huge success, and we are so appreciative of all the volunteers who helped Linda Thoreson make it a great evening. The raffle was also successful, under the direction of Gay Kimmel.

We are so very fortunate to have the many dedicated parents who volunteer hundreds of hours each month on behalf of this band program. It is because of our parent-support-group that the PABC is successful in its efforts to support the band programs at our elementary, junior high and high schools.

Final plans are now underway for the big New York trip this spring. Playing at Carnegie Hall will be a most memorable experience for our Pearce students. All board members are working closely with the band directors and students to assure a successful trip. If you have any questions, feel free to contact us, or any of the following people with your concerns: Pervez Mehta and James Stevenson (travel coordinators); Donna Daniels and Martha Lammers (chaperones); Keith Livingston (scholarships); Sharon Kuhr (religious needs); John Lowe (assessments).

As we prepare for an exciting spring semester for all our bands, we thank you for your continued support as parents. We know that without the commitment of parents, our kids wouldn't be able to excel as well as they do in our Pearce cluster-area bands!

If you ever have any concerns related to PABC, please don't hesitate to contact us. We hope to see you at upcoming performances, competitions, and at Carnegie Hall in April!

**Karen and Alan Hoffman**

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### *Remember the Band Scrapbook!*

If anyone has any pictures they would like to see in the 2002-2003 Band Scrapbook, please give them to Donna McIlroy (972-907-9732) or Chris Little (972-690-6315).

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## GET TO KNOW THE PEARCE BAND OFFICERS

### **Colin Robins, Band President**

Colin plays the tuba in Symphonic I. He is captain of the Academic Decathlon, a member of the Loading Crew and is involved in theatre. Outside of school, he enjoys racquetball, playing the drums and JJP Ultimate Frisbee. He plans to attend A&M and major in Political Science.

### **Marcus Walters, Vice President**

Marcus plays the bass trombone in the Jazz and Symphonic I bands and MOB. He plays football and runs track at Pearce as well as involvement with Student Athletic Council, NHS, Asian Leadership Club and the German Club. Outside of school, he enjoys racquetball, scouts, sports and girls. He plans to attend the United States Naval Academy.

### **Kira Lowe, Secretary**

Kira plays the french horn in Symphonic I. She is the head french horn section leader, a member of NHS, TAC, and runs Helping Others Through Service (HOTS). She plans to attend Texas Christian University.

### **Nina Mehta, Treasurer**

Nina plays the alto saxophone in the Symphonic I and Jazz bands. She is involved in NHS, Peer Helpers, HOTS, SADD and TOPS. She is a volunteer at Baylor Medical Center during the summers. She plans to attend UT Austin and major in International Business.

### **Blake Seidler, Sr. Class Representative**

Blake plays percussion in the Symphonic and Soccer bands and is in the Drumline. He is involved in HOTS, SADD and the Teen Advisory Council. He enjoys Ultimate Frisbee and anything with drumming! He plans to attend TCU and have a blast!

### **Ben Stein, Jr. Class Representative**

Ben plays the oboe, English horn and the alto saxophone. He is in Symphonic I and the Jazz Band. He is a member of NHS, Mu Alpha Theta and runs Cross Country. He is involved in scouts and has achieved Order of the Arrow. After graduation, he plans to attend Stanford and study Biotechnology and Business.

## 2002 Band Sweetheart

### Kira Lowe

Our warmest congratulations go to Kira Lowe, voted Band Sweetheart for 2002. Kira is a Pearce Senior, active in the school and community and is the Mighty Mustang Band Secretary.



### PABC NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT!

*Do you want to get involved with the PABC?  
Do you want to support your child's band?*

If so, this is the perfect opportunity! The PABC Nominating Committee will be meeting early in the new year. We are looking for people to fill a variety of interesting and important positions. Our band's success depends not only on the efforts of the directors and the kids, but also on the parents who volunteer their time and skills to help the Mighty Mustang Band be a truly great musical organization. Let us know what you would like to do and I'm sure we can find the perfect PABC spot for you!

Call Beth Spivey at 972-644-7346 or email her at [e.spivey@attbi.com](mailto:e.spivey@attbi.com) as soon as possible if you would like to help. You can also send your name and interest to any of the other Nominating Committee members. (They are listed on our website, [www.pearceband.org](http://www.pearceband.org) under "PABC" and then "Committees.") Help us to support the Mighty Mustang Band in their quest to be all that they can be!

# Spring 2003 Band Trip - New York City

## Symphonic I , Symphonic II and Concert Bands

April 17 - trip begins at Pearce HS - transportation provided to DFW

April 17 - fly via American Airlines from DFW to New York (LGA)

April 18 - morning rehearsals, then group sightseeing and Broadway!

April 19 - performances at Carnegie Hall - more group activities

April 20 - return via American Airlines from LGA to DFW

April 20 - trip ends at Pearce HS - transportation provided from DFW

## General Trip Information

We are planning a parents' meeting in the next few weeks. The date and time will be announced via phone tree. The purpose of this meeting will be to answer parents' specific questions and present a detailed itinerary. Due to the Seder ceremony on Thursday night and Church services on Sunday morning, students may be in different groups departing to NY and arriving in Dallas. Official Chaperones for the trip are: Margaret Wilkerson, Kim Robins, Sheryl Stevenson, Monti Stacey, Dave Lammers, Chris Little, Bill Little, Donna McIlroy, Bruce Smith, Wayne Hibbs, Don Rupley and Jane Ramberg. We also have 16 rooms reserved for parents on a first-come first-served basis. The cost of the room will be \$155 per night double occupancy plus all applicable taxes. Parents must call Pervez Mehta at (972) 238-0481 to get these rooms.

The Roosevelt Hotel  
Madison Avenue at 45<sup>th</sup> Street  
Phone: (212) 661-9600

### Air Itinerary

#### Departure on April 17 from Dallas

Flight # 708 at 8:46am - arrival in NY at 1:14pm

Flight # 710 at 9:46am - arrival in NY at 2:18pm

Flight # 712 at 10:46am – arrival in NY at 3:03pm

#### Return on April 20 from New York

Flight # 769 at 4:04pm – arrival in Dallas at 6:52pm

Flight # 785 at 6:05pm – arrival in Dallas at 9:02pm

Flight # 791 at 7:30pm – arrival in Dallas at 10:20pm



### Broadway Shows

*The Phantom of the Opera*

*Beauty and the Beast*

42<sup>nd</sup> Street

## *Group Travel Costs*

As of January 4, 2003, we have reduced our fixed costs by \$22,273. This equates to a savings of \$153.61 per student. We will continue to work to reduce expenses even more.

We will still have additional expenses, such as:

- Transportation from the school to the airport and back.
- Transportation from the airport in New York to the hotel and back.
- Transportation from the hotel to the rehearsal facility and back.
- Transportation to any and all sightseeing areas (mostly by subway).
- Cost of the rehearsal facility (hotel is not able to accommodate us)
- Cost of excess luggage. Tubas, etc. exceed the size limitation and the airline will charge excess luggage fees. NO EXCEPTIONS.
- Police officer for three nights.
- Band Directors stipend of \$25 per director (Pearce only) per day.
- ID tags for each student.
- Snack Bag for each kid (on plane)
- Religious needs.
- Bus drivers and luggage handlers group tips.

### *Upcoming By-laws Revisions!*

The by-laws committee is getting ready to take a good, hard look at our current by-laws. If you have suggestions for modifications to existing by-laws and standing rules, or for new by-laws or standing rules that we may need, we welcome your input!

All comments and suggestions should be submitted to Joy Jackson (By-laws Committee Chairperson) or any other By-laws Committee **member no later than Friday, January 31, 2003**. You can reach Joy at 972-690-8020, or you can email her at [joylily514@attbi.com](mailto:joylily514@attbi.com).

You can access our current by-laws by going to our website, [www.pearceband.org](http://www.pearceband.org). (Then go to "PABC" and then to "Bylaws.") By-laws Committee members are listed under "PABC" and then "Committees" on the website.



## Donate to the PABC Trip Scholarship Fund And Receive an 8 x 10 Photo of your child's Section

Yes, with a minimum donation to the trip scholarship fund of at least \$25, we will give you an 8 x 10 of your child's section in marching band! These are the same pictures that were auctioned off during the band silent auction (not framed or autographed though) and ready to be framed. Help us send more students to New York with your generous donation. You can view the section pictures by going to the web page. The following pictures are available:

Trumpet  
Flute  
Saxophone  
Horn  
Trombone

Drumline/Pit  
Clarinet  
Guard  
Tuba  
Euphonium

MOB  
Loading Crew  
Drum Majors  
Band Officers  
Seniors

If you would like to order, please e-mail your order to: [mcilroyfam@juno.com](mailto:mcilroyfam@juno.com). Please give ***your name, child's name, phone number, section desired, and the amount of the donation to be expected.*** In the subject line of the e-mail, please put "scholarship donation". Please make checks payable to **PABC**. Thanks!



## Spring Trip Scholarships

The bands are going to New York City. Our band students will shine under the stage lights at Carnegie Hall. The challenge is getting all who can go a place on the plane, a seat on the bus, and their name in lights. Well, maybe not their name in lights, but they all deserve to be there and one way to help pay the cost of the trip, if money is the concern, is to apply for a PABC Spring Trip Travel Scholarship. In considering applications the Scholarship Committee will review, the family's financial/personal situation, volunteer efforts to support PABC fund raising and band activities, student commitment toward the trip, and the number of applications received. Funding is limited. Applications are available from any band director and must be mailed (postmarked on due date is acceptable) to Keith Livingston, Scholarship Chairman by January 24, 2003. If you have any question - feel free to contact Keith Livingston, by calling 972-713-9148 or by sending e-mail to [kmliving@flash.net](mailto:kmliving@flash.net).

Please note, if your band assessment status balance is more than what you request for trip fees, you must speak with John Lowe, Assessments Director before you submit this application.

## Assessments

The next assessments statement will be mailed to you in the middle of January. This statement will show any Service Recognition (SR) you have received for this school year, including auction/raffle SR. The PABC wants to be sure every parent understands the complex issue of auction SR. Please read the article in this newsletter explaining how auction SR is calculated.

### Refunds

Overpayment of your assessment can be refunded or carried forward to the following year. Refunds, up to the limit of the cash paid in, can be given in the event:

- A student does not go on a trip but has made trip payments, up to the recoverable amount
- The trip comes in under estimated amounts
- Overpayment of the assessment amount
- Auction credit over assessment balance due

Only the cash amount paid in can be refunded. Cash refund amounts for returning students (or with a sibling entering the following year) can be carried forward or refunded. No amount of excess SR can be refunded (but it can be carried forward to the following years assessment). Refunds are not given for registration, operation, or unrecoverable trip fees.

### *Refund examples:*

**Max Million** had an assessment this year of \$1600 and paid it all in cash. He also received \$200 in auction SR. Max can receive a \$200 refund since he paid at least \$200 in cash.

**Alice Auction** had an assessment of \$1600 this year. She worked hard and raised \$1900 in auction SR but only paid \$50 in cash toward the assessments. Alice can only receive a refund of \$50 this year because that is all the cash she actually paid in. The remaining \$250 can be carried over to her (or siblings) next year's assessment.

The final assessments payments for the 2002-2003 school year will be due on March 1, 2003. All assessments must be paid before a student may go on the spring band trip. If you have questions about assessments please email John Lowe at [pabc.assessments@attbi.com](mailto:pabc.assessments@attbi.com).

## Auction Service Recognition

The auction/raffle is now a memory and the final figures are now being completed. Individual auction/raffle credits will be included in your next assessment statement. For your reference an explanation of how individual auction/raffle credits are calculated is included below.

In order to determine auction/raffle credits there are three numbers that need to be known. They are:

- the profit from the auction
- the total of all shares earned by individuals
- the value of each share

### The Auction/Raffle Profit

The profit from the auction/raffle is the total gross amount collected by the auction/raffle minus expenses.

### The Shares Earned

There are two values used to determine individual shares from the auction/raffle:

1. Dollar values that include:
  - the dollar amount of raffle tickets you sold as an individual (not in group sales)
  - the dollar amount your solicited items actually sold for at the auction
  - the dollar portion of items you donated to the bake sale (see example below)
2. Hour values that include:
  - the hours you/your student worked at the group raffle ticket sales
  - the hours you worked setting up the night before the auction
  - the hours you/your student worked the day of the auction

Dollar values receive  $\frac{1}{2}$  share each.

Hour values receive 2 shares each.

### The Share Value

The overall total number of shares earned by all individuals in the auction/raffle are added up. To arrive at the value of one share divide the auction profit by the total number of shares.

#### **Example - Jane Bandparent**

- Sold \$50 in individual raffle tickets.
- Had items that sold for \$100.
- Donated items to the bake sale which earned a value of \$10.

Jane earned 160 dollar values and is credited with 80 shares of the auction.

- Worked 4 hours at the group raffle sales
- Worked 6 hours the night before and day of the auction.

Jane earned 10 hour values and is credited with 20 shares of the auction.

Jane has earned a total of 100 shares (80 + 20) from the auction. Those 100 shares are then multiplied by the share value of the auction. The resulting number is Jane's service credit earned from the auction.

## Cash donations

Donations can be made in two different ways: as a donation to the PABC general fund or as a donation to the benefit of a student's service recognition. All donations of any kind are credited as service recognition and are not refundable.

## General fund donation

When a business or individual makes a donation to benefit the PABC at large the donation is treated as a dollar value in the auction. It would receive the same service credit as an item you solicited and was sold at the auction (IE. one dollar value equals ½ share).

## Student designated donation

Many companies make donations to their employees for time they spend volunteering in worthwhile organizations. Friends and/or family members often wish to help individuals with the expensive incurred in worthwhile endeavors, such as band.

If a parent/student received a cash donation of this type from a business or individual the amount of the donation is added to the service credit earned from the auction. It is a straight service credit donation and has no share value. A \$100 donation receives \$100 in service credit.

## The Bake Sale

A separate formula must be used to determine the dollar value of items you donated to the bake sale. It is based upon the amount your items were priced at as a percentage of the total profit from the bake sale.

### **Example - Joe Bandparent**

The bake sale made a total profit of \$500

The total amount of items priced was \$750 ( $500/750=0.66666$ )

The percentage of items sold to item value is 0.67

Joe Bandparent brought in bake sale items that when priced had a total value of \$5.00. ( $5.00 \times .67 = 3.35$ )  
Joe Bandparent will have 3.35 added as a dollar value to his auction earnings.

## MAGAZINE SALES GO ON AND ON AND ON.....

We are happy, ney thrilled, to accept your magazine orders year-round! This is an excellent way to earn service recognition towards your child's band account for spring trips. Catalogs and order forms are available in the band hall. Orders should be deposited in the red milk crate, also located in the band hall. This crate is checked periodically and the orders are submitted to the magazine company.

In order to have your sales be considered as service recognition towards THIS year's spring trip to New York, you will need to have your orders deposited in the milk crate no later than **Thursday, January 30, 2003**. That will allow us time to process the orders and get your service recognition accounted for on the final assessment statements that will be sent in February.

But don't stop selling then! Any orders we receive after this deadline will generate service recognition for your account for next year!

If you have any questions, contact Monti Stacey at 972-392-0460 or at [monti.stacey@risd.org](mailto:monti.stacey@risd.org).

# **Another World-Class Event!**

**Thursday  
May 15, 2002**

**The J.J. Pearce  
Bands at the  
Morton H. Meyerson  
Symphony Center**

***Look for ticket order  
information soon!***

# Parkhill Raider Band

## Winter Newsletter

Dear Parents and Students,

We are looking forward to a busy Spring Semester in 2003. There are still some TBA dates that we will try to fill in for you as soon as we get back from the Winter Break. We are still working on a Baylor Trip for the Symphonic I Band as well, but do not have a confirmation on that. Our Lock-In might be changed to the month of March as well. The band officers have been working on the planning of this event, but depending on the venue, the date might change.

### Spring Calendar 2003

<b>January</b>	09	Band Parent Meeting	TBA	PJH
	13	Express Industries Kick-Off (6 <sup>th</sup> Grade)	All Day	PJH
	16	All-District Sectionals (Sym I & II)	6-8:30 pm	FMJH
	17	All-District Clinic/Concert (Sym I & II)	6-8:30	LHJH
	18	All-District Clinic/Concert (Sym I & II)	8:30-4 pm 7:30 pm Concert	LHJH
<b>February</b>	21	Raider Lock-In (All Bands)	11-7 am	TBA
	28	Raider Talent Show (Jazz Ensemble)	School Day	PJH
<b>March</b>	01	Chamber Music Festival (All Bands)	All Day	LHHS
	04	Pre-UIL Concert (Sym I & II)	6-8pm	PHS
	TBA	TCU Jazz Festival (Jazz Ensemble I & II)	TBA	TCU
<b>April</b>	15	UIL C&SR Contest (Sym I & II)	All Day	LHHS
<b>May</b>	02	Sandy Lake Contest (Int)	All Day	SLP
	06	Spring Concert (Jazz Ens I/II and Int)	7 pm	PJH
	09	UNT Windspear Festival (Sym I & II)	12:45-6:45 pm	Denton
	10	Six Flags Spring Trip (All Bands)	All Day	SFTexas
	19	Percussion Concert (All Schools)	7 pm	PHS
	21	Spring Concert (Sym I & II)	7 pm	SMU
	22	Spring Concert (Beginner Band)	7 pm	PJH

We very much appreciate the support that you have shown us in the Fall Semester and look forward to BIGGER AND BETTER things in the Spring semester! We are about to enter Contest Season, and I know that you will be proud of the work that your kids will do! Give us a call at 469-593-5506, if you have any questions.

Mike Davis

Scott Roberts

# Junior High All-District Band Members

## From Parkhill Junior High:

Xander Aulson  
Kendra Woodall  
Livia Kessler  
Becky Piroga  
Carson Marston  
Austin Drake  
Hideyuki Nagasako  
Pete Stacey  
Lauryn Yarn

Sierra Hayden  
Susie Loewenstein  
Yang Lu  
Merick Yamada  
Garrett Nauschutz  
Jonathan Sloan  
Elena Dufner  
Daniel Silverman

Mizuki Okada  
Ana Bachmann  
Jamie Pelletier  
Daniel Blake  
Jonathan Richardson  
Nate Diamond  
Brooke Garvey  
Matt Whitehurst

## From North Junior High:

Sarah Jenevein – Flute  
Lindsay Fyffe – Flute  
Elizabeth Coy – Flute  
Patti Suen – Flute  
Kimberly Henson – Flute  
Allen Walton – Oboe  
Spencer Norwick – Oboe  
Marilyn Jaimes – Clarinet  
Stefani Butler – Clarinet  
Wendy Hornal – Clarinet  
Gayle Ann Williams – Alto Sax  
Marc Bajaj – Alto Sax  
Billy Dolan – Tenor Sax  
Austen Brown – Bari Sax  
Corey Lowe – Trumpet  
Beau Woodbury – Trumpet

Will Hughes - Trumpet  
Clint Kimmel - Trumpet  
Alex Sabzkooh - Trumpet  
Kevin Ford - Trumpet  
Everett Burns –French Horn  
Steven Loh – French Horn  
Stephanie Kooiman – French Horn  
Tim Sekiguchi – French Horn  
Erin Grove – French Horn  
James Alewine – Bass Trombone  
Zac Fleming - Euphonium  
Steven Milner - Tuba  
Jakín Vela - Percussion  
Jon Tomasello - Percussion  
Catherine Lee - Percussion  
Clay Harley – Percussion

More congratulations to **Jon Tomasello, Marilyn Jaimes** and **Catherine Lee**: 9<sup>th</sup> grade All-Region Band Members.

Also, congratulations to **Catherine Lee, Steven Loh** and **Zac Fleming**: 4A High School Region Band members.

**And, to all of the Parkhill and North Band Students - thanks for a terrific semester!**

## North Junior High Band 2003 Events Calendar

### Symphonic Band

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
HS Area Band Auditions.....	Jan. 11.....	all day.....	Tyler Junior College
Parent Meeting.....	Jan. 14.....	7:00 PM.....	North Band Hall
Spring Fundraiser.....	TBA.....	N/A.....	N/A
All-District Band Sectionals.....	Jan. 16.....	6 PM - 8:30 PM.....	Forest Meadow JH
All-District Band Clinic & Concert.....	Jan. 17-18.....	TBA.....	Lake Highlands Junior High
HS All-Region Clinic & Concert.....	Jan. 24-25.....	TBA.....	Namaan Forest High School
Tux Fitting and Checkout.....	Jan. 27 & 28.....	3:30 PM.....	North Stage
Chamber Music Festival Recital.....	Feb. 27.....	evening.....	North Junior High
Richardson Chamber Music Festival.....	Mar. 1.....	all day.....	Berkner High School
Multicultural Dinner Performance.....	Mar. 3.....	evening.....	North Junior High
Pre-UIL Performance.....	Mar. 4.....	5-8 PM.....	Pearce High School
Junior High UIL Contest.....	Apr. 15.....	TBA.....	TBA
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Band to Sandy Lake.....	Mar-Apr.....	all day.....	Sandy Lake Park
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Band to Sandy Lake.....	Mar-Apr.....	all day.....	Sandy Lake Park
Symphonic Band Meyerson Concert.....	May 9.....	TBA.....	Meyerson Symphony Center
North Bands Spring Concert.....	May 20.....	7:30.....	Pearce High School
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Spring Concert.....	May 13or 14.....	7:30 PM.....	TBA
Pearce Meyerson Concert.....	May 15.....	8:00 PM.....	Meyerson Symphony Center
Pearce Area Percussion Recital.....	May 19.....	TBA.....	TBA
Caruth Concert.....	TBA.....	TBA.....	Caruth Auditorium, SMU

### Concert Band

HS Area Band Auditions.....	Jan. 11.....	all day.....	Tyler Junior College
Parent Meeting.....	Jan. 14.....	7:00 PM.....	North Band Hall
Spring Fundraiser.....	TBA.....	N/A.....	N/A
All-District Band Sectionals.....	Jan. 16.....	6 PM - 8:30 PM.....	Forest Meadow JH
All-District Band Clinic & Concert.....	Jan. 17-18.....	TBA.....	Lake Highlands Junior High
HS All-Region Clinic & Concert.....	Jan. 24-25.....	TBA.....	Namaan Forest High School
Tux Fitting and Checkout.....	Jan. 27 & 28.....	3:30 PM.....	North Stage
Chamber Music Festival Recital.....	Feb. 27.....	evening.....	North Junior High
Richardson Chamber Music Festival.....	Mar. 1.....	all day.....	Berkner High School
Multicultural Dinner Performance.....	Mar. 3.....	evening.....	North Junior High
Pre-UIL Performance.....	Mar. 4.....	5-8 PM.....	Pearce High School
Junior High UIL Contest.....	Apr. 15.....	TBA.....	TBA
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Band to Sandy Lake.....	Mar-Apr.....	all day.....	Sandy Lake Park
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Band to Sandy Lake.....	Mar-Apr.....	all day.....	Sandy Lake Park
Concert Band Winspear Concert.....	April 26.....	all day.....	University of North Texas
North Bands Spring Concert.....	May 20.....	7:30 PM.....	Pearce High School
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Spring Concert.....	May 13or 14.....	7:30 PM.....	TBA
Pearce Meyerson Concert.....	May 15.....	8:00 PM.....	Meyerson Symphony Center
Pearce Area Percussion Recital.....	May 19.....	TBA.....	TBA
Caruth Concert.....	TBA.....	TBA.....	Caruth Auditorium, SMU

### Intermediate Bands

Parent Meeting.....	Jan. 14.....	7:00 PM.....	North Band Hall
Spring Fundraiser.....	TBA.....	N/A.....	N/A
Chamber Music Festival Recital.....	Feb. 27.....	evening.....	North Junior High
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