

TAKE NOTE

JOHN HERSEY HIGH SCHOOL BANDS NEWSLETTER



HOLIDAY CONCERTS

The Holiday season is upon us and, of course, it isn't the Holidays without our Annual Holiday Band Collage Concert (not the "college" concert....) There will be TWO identical concerts on Sunday, December 8 at **1 and 3pm** in the JHHS Theatre. The order form has been distributed in class and also sent out via the newsletter and Remind. Do not hesitate to get your ticket orders in – these events both sell out quickly and the best seats go to the first ticket orders. The seating is reserved for both concerts. River Trails and Mac will perform at the 1pm concert, with Thomas and parochial school students performing at the 3pm concert. In addition, we will resume our tradition of gift giving in the band between the concerts. More information will be distributed to students regarding the gift exchange. Of course, COOKIES BY THE POUND, is an annual highlight of the day – be sure to support this very important HIA fundraiser! See page 18 of this newsletter for printable ticket order form.

Amazing Food Drive Success!

61 families contributed donations, 38 students contributed their valuable time on a Sunday afternoon shopping for food and over \$5000 was collected. **40 needy Hersey families received a nice Thanksgiving Dinner thanks to our Band Family!!!**

Thanks to everyone that contributed. Congratulations to Luke Podvrsan on a job well-done in organizing this important fundraiser! I am SO proud of the generosity of our organization.





Todd Niemiec

Hia.boardpresident@gmail.com

I hope that you and your families had an enjoyable and relaxing Thanksgiving!

This year's Thanksgiving Food Drive achieved a new record for donations, and the student-led preparations went off without a hitch thanks to Luke Podvrsan's leadership and the support of his parents Maureen & Bojan. I would like to express our gratitude to the parent chaperones and the many students who made this event a resounding success. Thank you – you all make the Hersey Band Family proud!

The Holiday Collage Concerts are just around the corner on Sunday December 8! Do not forget to take home some delicious homemade holiday cookies that will be available for sale. Also available at the concert will be tickets to the "In Good Taste" event and fundraiser that will be held at the Metropolis Ballroom in Arlington Heights on Saturday February 8. This adult-only event will feature wine and craft beer tasting, a silent auction, snacks & sweets, and live music by Hersey Alumni. The event will feature a raffle for three amazing prizes, there is something for everyone and it is a lot of fun! The committee is still looking for shadows to assist in planning the event, the next committee meeting will be held on Thursday December 12 at 7pm in the Teacher's Lounge. Please join us!

CICBF, our largest fundraiser that Hersey will host in April had its kick-off meeting on Tuesday November 19, we are looking for more shadows and chair persons to assist with planning this event – the next committee meeting will be held on January 7 – please join us, all help is appreciated and no special skills are required!

We wish you and your families a happy, healthy & safe holiday season and new year and we look forward to seeing you at the General HIA meeting on Tuesday January 14 at 7:30pm, the meeting will feature performances from the Jazz combos.

Please keep up to date with email blasts, Reminds, newsletters, and the Google Calendar for updates. Please let Jen Schmidt, HIA Corresponding Secretary know if you're having trouble with communications, Jen can be reached at hia.correspondingsecretary20@gmail.com

Symphonic Band chosen to perform in the marquee performance slot at the Illinois Music Education Conference, January 30

We look forward to the Symphonic Band's featured performance at the upcoming Illinois Music Education Conference on **Thursday, January 30 at 7:30pm** in the Peoria Civic Center Theatre. We are honored to be chosen as the premiere concert of the convention (not including the all-state ensembles) that we are sharing with the Illinois State University Wind Symphony. I anticipate 500-600 music educators (judges?) will be in attendance at our concert. Guest conductors will include Dr. Michael Fansler (WIU), Dr. Tony Marinello (ISU), as well as featured trombone soloist Elliot Chasanov (U of IL trombone professor) Enjoy this teaser of the convention: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9vN3hmJzx20&feature=youtu.be>

Kennedy Center Trip Update

The **Fan Tour** was able to obtain enough people to participate, so it will definitely run in March. If anyone is interested in joining, please contact Mr. C ASAP.

CONCERT TICKETS were made available in mid-November and are due on DEC 2.

Complete this Google form to reserve tickets:

<https://forms.gle/sHKwkXtDLVpkqZsz9>

Students should have \$850 in their accounts with the final payment of \$125 due on January 27. We anticipate a large crowd, so if you have not responded to the ticket email yet please do so by Dec. 2nd.

You do not want to miss your child sitting and performing on of the world's most prestigious concert stages,

parents..... We encourage you to make the trip and attend! Student rooming requests will also be posted very soon.

JOHN HERSEY HIGH SCHOOL

Chicagoland Invitational



Concert Band Festival

Chicagoland Band Festival Update

On Thursday, November 14, invitations to area bands were emailed.. **In 10 minutes and 20 seconds, the festival was filled with 48 bands responding.** All 44 performance spots are now filled with a waiting list of four bands. *WE REALLY NEED EVERY BIT OF HELP FROM OUR FAMILIES TO MAKE THIS A SUCCESSFUL ENDEAVOR!!* Bands and band directors continue to value our music education experience and organization. Very exciting stuff! Congrats to all!

Advertisement Fundraising Packets Distributed

In early January, in class, students will be given materials to assist in the selling of advertisements in our Chicagoland Invitational Concert Band Festival Program Book. The packet will tentatively include 2 advertising brochures, 3 pledge forms, a sample script and a contact worksheet. This is our biggest and most important fundraiser of the year. Students receive **20%** of the ad profit for their student accounts (this money can be used for trip funds, band fees, uniform needs, etc) in addition, students will receive **40%** of the ad profit if they can get an ad from a previous year's sponsor that was previously pledged to a student that has left the program. **Every** student is asked to generate at least **one advertisement** for the program book. These items will be due at the end of January. This is the best fundraiser of our year and the best opportunity of the year to put funds in students accounts for our upcoming trip to the Kennedy Center and Washington DC.

12th Annual In Good Taste Fundraiser in early February at Metropolis Ballroom

We look forward to a fun adult night out at our wine tasting fundraiser that will take place on **Saturday, February 8. (changed to this date recently)** This fundraiser in this beautiful facility is a huge success every year and our committee has been working hard since September to insure the success of this year's venture. We are putting much planning and effort into this fundraiser in the hopes to make it bigger and better than ever before. Last year we sold out! Plans include alumni jazz performances, a silent auction, raffle, more artisan beer availability, a whiskey tasting and many other fun items/offerings. Please look for more information at the upcoming Holiday Concert and in this newsletter on page 9. Checks and reservations will be due at the end of January.

Jazz Bands to Purdue University Jazz Festival On January 17-18

Once again the JHHS Jazz Ensembles and Jazz Combos will travel to West Lafayette, IN to participate in this fantastic event. Over 90 bands will be competing this day and our students will again have the opportunity to hear a world-class jazz concert on Friday (ARTEMIS!) as well as feedback from outstanding educators and clinics with fantastic musicians. Of course, we will again have our progressive dinner through student rooms and each room (they're suites with kitchenettes) will be responsible for a dinner course. Cost of the weekend will be **\$180**. Parents should look for a flyer and more details before the Holiday Break. At least one Hersey band has been named an Honor Band in their respective classification since 2005, consecutively.

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES	
DECEMBER	JANUARY
3rd: 6:30pm: Small Ensemble Holiday Concert Dress Rehearsal	8th: First Wednesday PM Symphonic Rehearsal 6:30-8:30pm
6th: 3:30pm: All Holiday Concert Rehearsal 8th Graders visit during the school day	14th: HIA General Meeting/Jazz Combo performances 7:30 pm
8th: 1pm and 3pm: Holiday Collage Concerts	17th-18th: Jazz I & II to Purdue University
13th: School Holiday Assembly	20th: Symphonic Band All-State Perf. Dress Rehearsal. 1-5pm
21st-Jan. 5th: No School Winter Break	29th-Feb 1st: IMEA All-State at Peoria (select)
	30th: Symphonic Band to Peoria for premiere All-State Music Conference performance ALL DAY 30th: Symphonic Band performance in Peoria Civic Center Theatre 7:30pm

Fundraising

Thank you to all who supported our fall fundraisers including the magazine and popcorn sale, cheesecake sale, and spirit wear.

Holiday spirit wear orders can be picked up at the Holiday Collage concert. If you missed the sale, limited items will be available for sale at the concert.

We will also be accepting donations at the Holiday Collage Concert for the Opportunity Fund which provides funding for band expenses to our own band students who are in need. Cash or checks to HIA.

Special thanks to Reeta Chhabria for her work in obtaining the Allstate grant of \$500 for our hardworking band!

thank you

Message from the Treasurer

Statements of the students accounts were emailed on Wednesday. Please check it over for missing payments/credits and contact the Treasurer (herseyband@gmail.com) if you did not get an emailed statement.

A Message from the
Vice President
Julie Siegel



Thank You & Happy Holidays Parent Volunteers!

HIA would like to acknowledge and thank the following volunteers:

Concert Uniform Fittings and Inventory:

Jennifer Faley, Moira Meninga, Jennifer Schmidt, and Jenny Stanhope,

Canned Food Drive:

A special thanks to Luke Podvrsan for organizing the food drive, Maureen and Bojan Podvrsan for overseeing the effort and working with Tony's Finer Foods, all student volunteers and parent chaperones, Todd Niemiec, Jen Schmidt, Bill Schroeder, and Julie Siegel.

Jazz Night Club Concert:

Holly Schafer, Aneta Orszulak, Carla Cunningham, Karrie Tansor-Graf, Maureen Podvrsan, Bojan Podvrsan, Nancy Jackson, Jenny Stanhope, Lisa Borrelli, Melissa Esposito, Jennifer Schmidt, Theresa Nishimura, Amy Grabowski, Heather Frankenberger, Cathy Waltz, Kim Fuller, James Derbick, John Weirich and special thanks to Marc and Nancy Jackson for videography and photography and to Debbie Popp for organizing the event.

Cheesecake Sales - Special thanks to Laurie Drake

Scrip - Reeta Chhabria and Theresa Nishimura

Dine N Share - Cathy Waltz

Spiritwear - Amy Grabowski

Holiday Concert Volunteers:

Jim Frankenberger, Heather Frankenberger, Justyna Weirich, John Weirich, Melissa Esposito, Michael Esposito, Heidi Sprague, Claudia Karigan, and special thanks to Shannon Kersemeier for organizing the tickets, and Abhi Dhore for videography and photography.

Cookies by the Pound:

Irene Gillespie, Justyna Weirich, Heather Frankenberger, Anita Schroeder, Bridget Piagari, Jennifer Faley, Aneta Orszulak, Kathy Nikolai, Cathy Waltz, Katarzyna Szymczak, Zuly Hahn, Theresa Nishimura, Karrie Tansor-Graf, Soha Barakat, Heather Klem, and special thanks to Lisa and Brian Borrelli

Holiday Concert Hospitality:

Anita Schroeder, Gail Madden, Aneta Orszulak, Caroline Kuhl, Irene Gillespie, Robert Szymczak, Julie Siegel, Shannon Kersemeier, and special thanks to Julie and Todd Niemiec

** Volunteers may have signed up to help after this newsletter was written. I'm very sorry if I inadvertently excluded any volunteers, or misspelled any names.

Upcoming Opportunities

We are looking for videographers for the Jazz season. Please check out the sign-up genius or email me if you can help.

HIA will have some open committee positions for next year: Band Camp Kits, Jazz Night/Marching Band Party, Event Tickets, Cheesecake Sales, Magazine Sales and Cookies by the Pound, and Hospitality. Please feel free to email me with questions or if you are interested in any of these positions.

Thank you, again, for your volunteer work for the band!

Julie Siegel

hia.vicepresident@gmail.com



Cookies by the Pound is Coming!



Come spread some holiday cheer and support our annual cookie bake sale which takes place during the **Holiday Collage Concerts on December 8th!** Get out your family's favorite recipes or stick with the tried-and-true. We ask that each family bake and donate 4-6 dozen homemade cookies. These delicious treats will be packaged into beautiful assortments by cheerful volunteers and sold during the holiday concerts. Cookies by the Pound earns around \$1500.00 each year and benefits the Hersey Bands and all of our students. We realize this is a very busy time of year for everyone and appreciate anything you can do to help make this fundraiser a success!

All cookies need to be dropped off in the Titre Room on **Saturday, December 7th between 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm.**

We will need volunteers to help package the cookies on **Saturday December 7th from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm.**

Volunteers will also be needed to help set-up and sell cookies the day of the event. All volunteers will have an opportunity to see one of the two holiday concerts. A link to Sign-Up-Genius will be coming out soon to sign up for volunteering.

If you have any questions, please contact: Lisa Borrelli @ brianborrelli@yahoo.com

HELP WANTED: Cookies by the Pound

We are looking for a shadow to coordinate the Cookies by the Pound fundraiser, a fun and festive volunteer opportunity. The Cookies by the Pound Coordinator will help organize and oversee the following: set-up, package the cookies, sell cookies, and clean-up. Every volunteer will get to see one of the concerts. This a great kick-off for the holiday season!

If you are interested in learning more about Cookies by the Pound, please send an email to hia.projectchair@gmail.com.



Attention Band Parents!

On February 8, 2020 Hersey Band will be holding the 12th annual **In Good Taste fundraiser**. This event is the second largest fundraiser of the year, so we hope you will support the band by purchasing a ticket and joining us!

Event Ticket Incentive

This year we are offering an exciting incentive to band parents to help sell more admission tickets. For each \$45 Early Bird event ticket you sell*, **your child will receive a \$10 credit in their band account!** Invite your extended family members, friends, co-workers, and neighbors!

In addition to fabulous global wines and artisan craft beers, we will have tasty appetizers, desserts, as well as games, raffles, and silent auction items. A cash/credit bar will also be available.

BRAND NEW THIS YEAR! Our first Whiskey tasting! This tasting is \$25.00 per person and is not included in the price of admission.

Grand Raffle Ticket Incentive

We are also offering an incentive on our Grand Raffle tickets. Grand raffle tickets are \$25 each or 5 for \$100. **20% of your Grand Raffle ticket sales will also be applied to your child's band account.**

More information will be sent home with your child mid-December. Please look for this information.

If you have any questions on the incentive program or the event, please contact Irene Gillespie at irenegillespie@yahoo.com or 224-735-3348.

Let's make this year our most successful yet!

*Note: Band parents are not eligible to receive the \$10 student credit on their own tickets. The \$10 credit applies to full price \$45 tickets only. Discounted non-alcoholic tickets, and alumni tickets do not qualify for the student credit. **The \$10 credit incentive program ends on January 15. Tickets purchased after January 15 will not be eligible for student credit.**

Fundraising WHILE YOU Shop[®]



Order due December 4th for delivery December 11th. Holiday shopping made easy! Get all your gift cards here and add money to your student account and raise money for the band!



Scrip Free Money!

Consider using this EASY and worthwhile fundraiser to put money into your student account. Free money that just requires a little organization and planning in your personal checkbook..... This is a great fundraiser for your student and you get 80% of all profit into your student's account this year because of the DC trip.



The Scrip Gift Card Fundraiser is a program where you can buy gift cards at face value from Scrip and a rebate from the gift card of 1.5% to 30%, depending on the retailer, goes directly to HIA. HIA then splits the fundraising rebates between your student account (80%) and HIA general fund (20%)! You can use \$\$\$ from your student account to pay for anything like band fees, private lesson fees, trip to Kennedy Center, etc. An easy way to earn money by purchasing gift cards for stores you shop everyday!

It is very simple to shop at Scrip. To find out how to sign up for Scrip and other details, click this link: <https://herseyband.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/Scrip-Gift-Card-Fundraiser-Program.pdf> or view the next page of the newsletter.

To view a list of retailers, types of cards they offer, denominations and the rebate percentage, click this link: <https://herseyband.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/ScripRetailersList.pdf>

The rebate percentage can vary sometimes as Scrip runs daily or weekly specials. You can find these specials when you login to your Scrip account.

Scrip offers 3 types of gift card options (depending on the retailer):

- 1) Physical - Once a month (see payment dates and delivery dates below). Physical gift cards are available one week after the order after school and before marching band rehearsal.
- 2) Scrip Now/eCard - You can purchase these anytime. You also have an option to send someone a gift (either now or future dated). Electronic gift cards (eCards) are delivered within minutes via email.
- 3) Reload - If you have purchased a gift card through your Scrip program within the last year, you can reload the card.

Scrip offers 2 types of payments:

- 1) You can link your Scrip account to your Bank Account (PrestoPay™). This is a very convenient option and Scrip only charges a flat fee of \$0.15 per transaction.
- 2) You can send a check to HIA. This option is only available once a month.

Note: Scrip is planning to announce that in mid to late August, in addition to linking a bank account (PrestoPay™), families that have access to online payments can choose to pay for gift cards with credit cards. Here are some important details about this new payment option:

- Credit card types: Visa and Mastercard will be accepted.
- Rebates: The rebate is not impacted—you, and HIA, still earn the same amount.
- Purchases: A 2.6% fee is added to your order total each time you pay with a credit card. HIA does not pay a fee. Credit card payments will be processed immediately.

If you have any questions, contact Reeta Chhabria at parents@dhore.com or (847) 372-6475. **Thank you!**

Scrip Gift Card Fundraiser Program

- Gift cards from hundreds of national and local merchants are available for purchase (see attached list)
- The gift cards are worth face value but are purchased from Scrip at discounted price ranging from 1.5 to 30%
- HIA splits the fundraising rebates between **student account (80%)** and **HIA general fund (20%)!**

How Do I place my order?

- Create an account - www.ShopWithScrip.com and select "How to Enroll"
- Select "Join Your Existing Program" and enter HIA Code: **4DE14D6956589**
- After creating your account, you can login and place orders using Shop Tab, Express Order or Shopping Lists

When Do I place my order?

- HIA completes an order for physical cards the first Wednesday of the month:

ORDER DUE DATE	DELIVERY DATE
September 4	September 11
October 2	October 9
November 6	November 13
December 4	December 11
January 8	January 15
February 5	February 12
March 4	March 11
April 1	April 8
May 6	May 13

- Orders for eCards can be placed at any time during the month and will be received in minutes

How do I pay for my gift card order?

- Write a check payable to "HIA" and place in **black Scrip mailbox** in band room by order date
- Enroll in Prestopay, the online payment method offered through ShopwithScrip and pay through electronic fund transfer

How and when will I receive my gift card order?

- Physical gift cards are available one week after the order after school and before marching band rehearsal
- Electronic gift cards (eCards) are delivered within minutes via email



Attention Hersey Band Families – Do you shop at Amazon? Do you know that you can designate a portion of your Amazon purchase price to benefit Hersey Instrumental Association by using AmazonSmile every time you shop?

What is AmazonSmile? AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for you to support Hersey Instrumental Association every time you shop, at no cost to you. When you shop at smile.amazon.com you'll find the exact same low prices, vast selection and convenient shopping experience as Amazon.com, with the added bonus that Amazon will donate a portion of the purchase price to Hersey Instrumental Association.

How do I shop at AmazonSmile? To shop at AmazonSmile simply go to smile.amazon.com from the web browser on your computer or mobile device. You may also want to add a bookmark to smile.amazon.com to make it even easier to return and start your shopping at AmazonSmile.

Which products on AmazonSmile are eligible for charitable donations? Tens of millions of products on AmazonSmile are eligible for donations. You will see eligible products marked "Eligible for AmazonSmile donation" on their product detail pages.

Can I use my existing Amazon.com account on AmazonSmile? Yes, you use the same account on Amazon.com and AmazonSmile. Your shopping cart, Wish List, wedding or baby registry, and other account settings are also the same.

How do I select Hersey Instrumental Association to support when shopping on AmazonSmile? On your first visit to AmazonSmile (smile.amazon.com), you need to select Hersey Instrumental Assn Inc. to receive donations from eligible purchases before you begin shopping. Amazon will remember your selection, and then every eligible purchase you make at smile.amazon.com will result in a donation.

How much of my purchase does Amazon donate? The AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases. From time to time, Amazon may offer special, limited time promotions that increase the donation amount on one or more products or services.



Fundraising Giveback Event

Hersey Instrumental Association

For Questions Please Contact
Cathy Waltz
(224) 388-3235
cathywaltz70@gmail.com

Date
Monday, December 2, 2019

Time
4:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Location
Lou Malnati's Mount Prospect
1504 N. Elmhurst Road
(847) 590-1900

Dine-in, Carryout, & Delivery (within zone)

Excludes Online Ordering

STOP & READ! STEPS TO FOLLOW:

- Must mention fundraiser at time of order to ensure credit towards fundraiser.
- Please check receipt for "fundraiser" item, if you do not see "fundraiser" on your receipt, please see or call a manager.
- For questions or concerns please email fundraising@loumalnatis.com

Order 132	
Server:	
Guest:	
Medium Cheese	\$14.55
Medium Thin Cheese	\$10.45
FUNDRAISER	\$0.00
Sub Total	\$25.00
Tax	\$1.94
Total	\$26.94

Lou Malnati's will donate 20% of total sales to your organization (20% based on pre-tax purchase, excluding alcohol) from every order received from Dine-in, Carryout or Delivery (within zone).

FUNDRAISER/FLYER MUST BE MENTIONED AT TIME OF ORDER.

Cannot be combined with any other promotional offers including but not limited to: Discounts, Rewards redemption or Malnati Mail welcome coupon.

ATTENTION CASHIERS: please be aware of daily fundraisers and key in fundraising item on orders, found in miscellaneous tab for each order.

HIA SPONSORSHIP

Jenny Stanhope and Margo Pasek: Project Co-Chairs

Thank you to the following families and friends who have sponsored the Hersey Band – your sponsorship along with your continued support of the fundraising activities contribute greatly to the growth and success of the band students and the program.

Now that marching season is over, we look forward to the upcoming concerts and performances by our Jazz, Concert and Symphonic Bands. If you are not a band sponsor yet, or if you are grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins or friends who frequently attend the performances, consider the benefit of free admissions to all the band concerts at Hersey!

For more details on the Hersey Band Sponsorship Program, please see the form on the following page of this newsletter. You can also download the form from the Hersey Band website at <http://www.herseyband.com>.

Naim & Soha Barakat
 The Waltz Family
 Brian and Lisa Borrelli
 The Browning Family
 The Church Family
 The Derbick Family
 Alex and Melissa Dimitrijevic
 The Downing Family
 The Drake Family
 The Esposito Family
 The Faley Family
 Jim and Heather Frankenberger
 The Fuller Family
 The Grabowski Family
 The Graf Family
 The Harb Family
 Lisa and Brent Johnson
 Gus Karigan
 The Klem Family
 The Kuhl Family
 The Celaya Family
 The DeAragon Family
 Holly Schafer

Moira and Richard Menninga
 The Niemiec Family
 The Nikolai Family
 The Pasek Family
 Marc Pittas
 Bojan and Maureen Podvrsan
 The Popp Family
 The Schmidt Family
 Mark and Kathy Schoeffmann
 The Asheim Settersten Family
 The Siegel Family
 The Sklivagos Family
 The Slowinske Family
 The Spire Family
 Frank and Jody Stanhope
 Joe and Jenny Stanhope
 Wilvin and Antonette Valera
 The Whalen Family
 Rebecca and Tony Wilhelm
 Bill and Anita Schroeder
 The Kaiser Family
 Paul and Theresa Nishimura

2019-2020 Hersey Band Sponsorship Program

Every year, the Hersey Instrumental Association raises funds to provide scholarships, sponsor learning opportunities, host family and student social events, purchase needed equipment, allow the Marching Band program to participate in competitions, and fund other band programs. This is your opportunity to become a sponsor and participate in the growth of the Hersey Band Program.

Sponsorship is open to the entire Hersey community, whether you have a student in the program or not. If you enjoy the half-time show, attend one of the concerts, or have pleasant memories of your own high school band days, please consider helping our band program.

The following levels of sponsorship are available:

Silver Level Sponsorship: \$20.00- \$49.00

Includes a listing in all band programs and one admission to all concerts including the Chicagoland Invitational Concert Band Festival (CICBF)

Gold Level Sponsorship: \$50.00 – \$199.00

Includes a listing in all band programs and admission for all immediate family members (parents and siblings) to all band concerts including the Chicagoland Invitational Concert Band Festival (CICBF)

Platinum Level Sponsorship: \$200 and up

Includes Gold Level Sponsorship benefits **plus** Platinum Level Sponsors will receive a ½ page ad in the 2019 CICBF program and will be contacted by the Festival Committee for their ad. Students who bring in Platinum Level Sponsorships will have their student account credited with 20% of the amount contributed and will fulfill their ad sale requirement for the CICBF.

Name: _____
(Please print as you would like it to appear in the band programs.)

Address: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone Number: _____

Student's Name: _____

Level of Sponsorship and amount: Silver \$ _____ Gold \$ _____ Platinum \$ _____

Please mail this form with a check made payable to HIA to either:

*HIA Sponsorship Drive
c/o John Hersey High School
1900 E. Thomas St.
Arlington Heights, IL 60004*

or

*Jenny Stanhope
1010 West Marion Rd.
Arlington Heights, IL 60004*

Forms and checks can also be dropped off in Mr. Casagrande's lock box. If you have any questions, please contact **Jenny Stanhope** at 847-788-9325 or **projectchair@herseyband.com**. Confirmation of your donation will be e-mailed to you unless otherwise indicated:

I would prefer to receive my confirmation in the mail



The John Hersey High School
English and Fine Arts Division
presents the
John Hersey High School
Bands and Ensembles
in the



2019 Holiday Band Collage Concert

Sunday, December 8, 2019

John Hersey High School Theatre

TWO IDENTICAL CONCERTS:

1PM – RIVER TRAILS AND MACARTHUR INVOLVED

3PM – PAROCHIAL STUDENTS AND THOMAS INVOLVED

Name _____ Phone/e-mail _____

ALL TICKETS THAT CAN NOT BE DISTRIBUTED BY A JHHS STUDENT WILL BE HELD AT THE BOX OFFICE.

Number of **Free** Tickets - band sponsors only:

_____ Individual Sponsor (1 ticket free of charge)

_____ Family Sponsor (Parents' and siblings' tickets free of charge)

Paid Tickets: _____ X \$5.00 = _____ Amount enclosed; Check to **“JHHS”**(Not HIA)

Total Tickets: _____

Please indicate: 1PM CONCERT _____ 3PM CONCERT _____

If the indicated concert time selected has been sold out:

_____ Do give me tickets for the other performance, and notify me by telephone or email if my tickets will be held at the box office

_____ Do not give me tickets for the other performance and return my payment

*Please return this form to the JHHS Band Room or Mr. Casagrande's mailbox
by **Wednesday, December 4***

--This event will sell out quickly - return this form ASAP!

2019-2020 Band Calendar*

Highlighted dates indicate new additions or changes to previous calendar

December

3(Tues)	Small Ensemble Holiday Concert Dress Rehearsal	6:30-7:30pm
6	ALL – Holiday Concert Dress Rehearsal	3:30-6pm
8(Sun)	Holiday Concert	1 and 3pm
13	Holiday School Assembly	9:00 am

January

7 (Tues)	Class resumes	
8	First Wednesday PM Symphonic Rehearsal	6:30-8:30pm
14	HIA General Meeting/Jazz Combo performances	7:30 pm
17-18	Jazz I & II to Purdue University	
20	Symphonic Band All-State Perf. Dress Rehearsal	1-5pm
29-Feb 1	IMEA All-State at Peoria (select)	
30	Symphonic Band to Peoria for premiere All-State Music Conference performance	
	ALL DAY	
30	Symphonic Band performance in Peoria Civic Center Theatre	7:30pm

February

8	Jazz Ensemble II to New Trier Festival	All Day
8	In Good Taste Adult Fundraiser	6:30-10:30pm
19	Symphonic Band Festival @ BGHS	7:30 pm
20	2 nd semester auditions begin	
29	Jazz I and POSSIBLY Combo 1 to Jazz in the Meadows	All Day/Early Evening

March

3	Dist 214 Honors Music Festival @ Forest View (select)	7:30 pm
4-8	KENNEDY CENTER TRIP TO WASHINGTON DC	
5	SYMPHONIC AND CONCERT BAND IN CONCERT WITH WT WOODSON HS	8-10 pm
10	Concert Band Festival @ BGHS	7:30 pm
14	Jazz 2 and combos ONLY to MUNDELEIN JAZZ FESTIVAL	ALL DAY
20	Spring Break begins	
30	Classes resume	

April

1	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6:30-8:30pm
2	Dress Rehearsal w/Mr. Floyd, Univ of TX	7-8:30pm
3	Chicagoland Band Festival Set-up	PM
4	Chicagoland Concert Band Festival	All Day/Evening
	All students AND parents (1 per student) help	
15	Solo and Ensemble Contest at Hersey	4-8:30pm
21	Spring Jazz Concert	7pm
26 (Sun)	Spring Music Dept Concert	3PM

May

4	Concert/Cadet Band concert with Thomas feeder schools	7pm	
5	HIA General Meeting	7:30 pm	
8	Formal Band Awards Banquet		
9	Symphonic Band HONOR BAND performance at Superstate		All Day/Evening
18	Night of Percussion dress rehearsal	3:20pm-?	
19 (Tues)	Night of JAZZ and Percussion	6pm	
20 (Wed)	Graduation		
25	Memorial Day Parade	9am	
29	Last Day of School		

*These dates/times may change, please check

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