

The Colt Chronicle

The Troy Colt Bands Information Source

April 2016

Mondays, April 11 and 18 Marching Band Rehearsals for San Antonio Trip,

2:30-4pm

Tuesday-Wednesday, April 12-13 TCMB Colorguard Clinics, 3-5pm

Wednesday, April 13 **Troy High Band Boosters Meeting,** 7pm

Thursday, April 14 **TCMB Colorguard Auditions**, 3-6pm

Monday, April 18 San Antonio Demonstration Parade Performance,

4:30pm, Troy High School student parking lot

Fiesta Dinner Fundraiser, 5-7pm

Mandatory San Antonio Spring Trip Meeting, 7:30pm

Wednesday-Sunday, April 20-24 San Antonio Spring Trip

Thursday, April 28 All-City Band Concert, 6 & 7:30pm (SB)

Report in concert attire by 5:30pm

Friday, April 29 MSBOA State Band Festival (CB/SB)

Key Notes

CONGRATULATIONS to all Campus, Concert and Symphonic musicians on outstanding performances at MSBOA District Band Festival!

Fifty four small ensemble and solo performers represented Troy High School at MSBOA State Solo & Ensemble festival on Saturday, March 19th. All ensembles received first and second division ratings! We will soon find out which students were selected to participate in the Michigan Youth Arts Festival honors ensembles in May. Kudos to all participants!!

FIESTA! On Monday, April 18th from 5-7pm, the Troy Bands will host a **Mexican Dinner** in the THS cafeteria, catered by El Charro restaurant and featuring the THS Country Fiddlers! Proceeds will benefit the band as they travel to San Antonio later that week. Please click on this <u>link</u> for additional information and a ticket order form. Immediately following dinner, families of students traveling to San Antonio will move to the THS Auditorium for our mandatory spring trip meeting.

Prior to the Fiesta dinner (at 4:30pm) student musicians of the Troy Colt Marching Band will present a demonstration parade performance. This will allow all supporters to witness the unveiling of our new parade routine. Don't miss the preview!

REMINDER: Board nominations and elections will be held at the April 13th THBB Elections Meeting. Anyone interested in running for office should contact band booster Vice President, Amy McKaig, at THBB_VicePresident@troycoltbands.org.

THE BANQUET IS COMING! Please reserve Monday, June 6th for the annual Band Banquet. <u>All</u> band students will be presented multiple awards and are encouraged to attend.

SPRING CONCERT PERSONAL ADS: Congratulate your band student(s) by purchasing a personal "ad" in the Spring Concert program! Be sure to take advantage of this great opportunity to recognize your band student(s) for their wonderful musical accomplishments with the THS Bands!

- Senior Parents Honor and congratulate your graduating senior!
- Band Students Congratulate your friends, senior band members, and squad or section leaders!
- Freshmen Parents Recognize your freshmen for an outstanding first year with the THS Bands!
- All Family Members and Friends Show your support and appreciation for all of our talented THS Band members!

Everyone is welcome to submit ads. Last year over 40 families placed ads in the Spring Concert program. Please see the ad form at the bottom of this newsletter and posted on the band website for details, and place your order today!

Please visit www.troycoltbands.org for pertinent, up-to-date information on all band activities.



Worthy of Note

May 9 Drum Major Auditions

May 11 Dress Rehearsal, Spring Concert (CA, CB, SB)

May 12 Spring Concert (All Bands)

May 13 Paper Plate Awards/Dance (All Bands)

May 18 MB Orientation Meeting

May 20 Jazz Ensemble and Drumline performance at Walsh College Grand Opening

Take Note

August 8-11 Troy Colt Marching Band Pre-Camp, Troy High School (mandatory)

August 13-19 Troy Colt Marching Band Camp, Grass Lake, MI (mandatory)

August 22 & 29 TCMB Rehearsals

J On a Personal Note.... J

Congratulate and recognize your band student by purchasing a personal "ad" in the Spring Concert program! Each ad can be up to 120 characters* long at a cost of \$10.00 per ad. Please note that any ad that exceeds the allotted number of spaces will be edited.

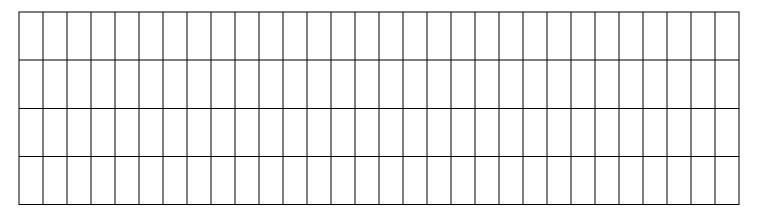
* includes spaces and punctuation

Sample:

Susie - Your music fills our hearts with joy.

Congratulations on a great year. We are so
proud of you! Love, Mom and Dad (120 characters)

Please clearly PRINT your ad in the spaces provided.



(please print)
Band Student Name:
Submitted By:
Phone Number:
E-mail Address:
Please mail ad form(s) and your payment of \$10.00 per ad to

(Make checks payable to: <u>Troy High Band Boosters</u>.)

Joy Skrzycki 1918 Condor Dr. Troy, MI 48084

Any questions? Call Joy at 248-816-9161 or

e-mail her at joyandsteve@comcast.net

All ads must be received by May 5, 2016.