



Lincoln High School Band Newsletter

April 29, 2014

Rob and I feel very honored to have spent the last year serving as presidents of the Bandparents Association. The Lincoln High School Band has a long history of being a top band in the region. This past season the band continued this tradition when Mr. Dan Carlson transitioned into the position of Band Director after 14 years as Assistant Director, and Mr. Sam Anderson stepped into the position of Assistant Director.

We have had a great year working with these awesome band directors and staff, dedicated executive committee members, committee chairpersons, and LHS's most enthusiastic parent volunteers. We will officially turn the presidential duties over to Shane and Paula Bindert at Thursday evening's Pop Concert and welcome Herb and Donna Rosin as your incoming Vice Presidents.

We thank Joel and Barb Nevin for dedicating the last three years to the duties of Vice Presidents, Presidents, and Past Presidents. You did a fine job in taking us to the Tournament of Roses in 2013! We appreciate your ongoing support of the LHS Marching Band!

Drum Majors for the 2014 - 2015 Season:

Congratulations to Adam Dale and Rebecca Hiigel for being selected as Drum Majors for this next marching season. They join Drum Majors Cailyn Ganter and Evan Tarrell who are returning from last season.

Important Medical Consent Forms:

The 2014-2015 forms are available on the band website, <http://lincolnband.org> for your convenience. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Tami Lund at tami@midco.net or call 496-6670.

Uniform Committee, Lisa Clauson, 357-7165

Thank you to everyone who helped on Saturday! What a great showing of Lincoln pride! In less than two hours, the group of volunteers completely switched out the inventory of old and new uniforms! Also a BIG thank you to all of the students who helped! It was very much appreciated.

Pops Concert, Tuesday, May 1st, 6:30 pm, LHS Auditorium

We will be featuring all three jazz bands beginning at 6:30 pm, followed by the Freshman, Varsity, Concert & Symphonic bands.

We will also be kicking off the 2014 -15 Marching Band Season field show "*Heartstrings*" and will have committee sign-ups before and after the concert. Be sure to stop by and visit with these committees to learn how you can be part of the band program. It would not be as successful as it is without the support of the band parents. We appreciate all that you do to ensure our band kids are taken care of.

ISA Accounts, Becky Stritecky, 310-6195, becky1@sio.midco.net

Stop by and see Becky Stritecky to make payments toward your student's ISA and check your student's current balance.

This is a standard practice being conducted at all Sioux Falls Public high schools:

At the request of the LHS Registrar, our ISA Treasurer will be submitting any **unpaid** ISA dues, as well as any all-state band related costs to Lincoln High School's Registrar **for graduating seniors and students no longer in Marching Band** in the spring of each school year. Any unpaid dues may result in the withholding of that student's diploma if not paid in full by graduation date.

New Member Day, Sat. May 3, 9 am-noon, LHS Bandroom & Big Gym

All new band members – colorguard and band – are required to attend New Member Day. You will learn basics on being part of the Lincoln band, and band members will be fitted for drillmasters and band t-shirts which are required elements of the band uniform.

Band Shirts/Drillmasters

Black band shirt or drillmasters no longer fit? Did your band student graduate? The chaperones will be collecting donations of gently used black band t-shirts and drillmasters during the Pop's Concert on Thursday, May 1. If you aren't planning on going to the concert, you can put them in a bag marked **ATTN: CHAPERONES/CHARNELLE WOOLEGE** and drop them off at the band room or LHS office anytime.

For Sale: Old Uniforms

Old uniforms are available for purchase. Entire uniform with hat/black plume = \$100, Jacket/hat/black plume = \$75, Jacket only = \$50, hat/black plume = \$20, white plume = \$20. Order form is available on the website or call 351-9133.

Rob & Winnie Behrend

Co-Presidents

LHS Bandparents Association

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Dates to Remember:

May

Tuesdays - HyVee cards available 6:00-7:00 p.m. - LHS, Door J

5/1 - Pops Concert @ LHS - 6:30 pm

5/3 - New Member Day - 9 am to 12 pm - LHS Band Room & Big Gym

5/8 -5/10 - All-State Jazz Band

5/18 - LHS Graduation @ Sioux Falls Arena - 12:15 pm

Summer Sectionals as scheduled

June

Tuesdays - HyVee cards available 6:00-7:00 p.m. - LHS, Door J

Summer Sectionals as scheduled

6/2 - 6/3 - New Member Mini Marching Camp - 8 am - 4 pm @ LHS

6/3 - Mandatory New Member Meeting (students & parents)- 7 pm @ LHS Auditorium

6/9 - 6/10 - Drum Major Camp

July

Tuesdays - HyVee cards available 6:00-7:00 p.m. - LHS, Door J

Summer Sectionals as scheduled

7/7 - 7/11 - Colorguard Camp - 1 to 9 pm

7/10 - Section Leader & Drum Major Leadership Training with Dr. Tim Lautzenheiser

7/25 - Spat Camp New Member Day - 8 am to 5 pm @ HWF

7/28 - 7/31 - Spat Camp - 8 am to 5 pm @ HWF

August

Tuesdays - HyVee cards available 6:00-7:00 p.m. - LHS, Door J

8/1 - 8/2 - Spat Camp - 8 am to 5 pm @ HWF

8/4 - 8/8 - Spat Camp - 8 am to 5 pm @ HWF

8/11 - Spat Camp - 8 am to 5 pm @ HWF

8/12 - Rehearsal - 6 pm to 9 pm @ HWF

8/14 - Rehearsal - 6 pm to 9 pm @ HWF (Extra percussion & guard rehearsals TBD)

8/15 - Rehearsal - 4 pm to 6 pm @ HWF (Parent's Night Field Performance - 8 pm)

8/18 - First Day of School - Monday Evening Rehearsal - 6 pm to 8:30 pm @ HWF

8/19 - 8/22 - Morning Rehearsals - 6:55 am to 8:05 am @ LHS (ends at 8:15 on Fri.)

8/23 - Rehearsal - 9 am to 1 pm @ HWF

8/26 - 8/29 - Morning Rehearsals - 6:55 am to 8:05 am @ LHS (ends at 8:15 on Fri.)

**8/29 - Home Football Game vs. Rapid City Central - Report to HWF @ 4 pm
(Full Uniform)**

For more calendar information: lincolnband.org/calendar