



Riders on
the March

RHS BAND

JULY 2009

www.rooseveltband.org

COMING SOON BAND CAMP!

Contacts

Events Calendar

JULY

- July 16 7:00 pm Band Parent
- July 21 6-8:30 Band Sectional - All Marching Band Personnel
- July 23 6-8:30 Band Sectional - All Marching band Personnel
- July 28-31 (1-9 pm) Full Band Camp

AUGUST

- Aug 1 9:00 - 4:00 Car Wash
- Aug 3-6 9:00 -5:00 pm Full Band Camp
- Aug 10 9:00 -5:00 pm Full Band Camp
- Aug 11 9:00 - 5:00 Band Camp followed by BAND FINALE - Potluck @ 5:30, Parent MTG @ 6:30; Parent Demo @ 7:00 - 8:30
- Aug 17 5-9 pm Full Band Rehearsal (CG & Percussion @ 5, Winds @ 6)
- Aug 18 6:55-8 am Early Rehearsal start every day except for Mondays
- Aug 24 5-9 pm Full Band Rehearsal (CG & Percussion @ 5, Winds @ 6)
- Aug 27 (6:30) **TICKET BLITZ - Entire Band Program**
- Aug 29 9:00 - 5:00 Full Band Rehearsal
- Aug 31 5-9 pm Full Band Rehearsal (CG & Percussion @ 5, Winds @ 6)

**All Events Will Be
Thoroughly Explained at
the Parent Meetings**

July 28th is just around the corner and that means the beginning of our 2009 "Immortal" Marching Band Show. Camp will be held from 1-9pm during the first week of camp. Watch dates and times on Events Calendar to make sure you know correct times each day. Things to remember to bring to Camp:

- Jug of water
- Sunglasses
- Hat
- Tennis shoes (no flip flops!)
- Sack lunch or \$ for meal break
- Sunscreen
- Insect Repellent

It is very important that everyone eat a good breakfast/meal prior to coming to Band Camp. A lot of energy is burned off during practice and it will help our students to both feel and learn better.

Pot Luck Aug 15th

Our annual Band Camp Pot Luck & Parent Demo will be held Aug 15th at 5:30. Families with names !-J are asked to bring a main dish & salad while names K-Z are to bring a main dish & dessert. There will also be various info booths and sign-up sheets for the Marching Season: Chaperone, Festival of Bands, Roadies, etc. There will be a short Band Parent meeting followed by a demo of the 2009 Marching Band Show, "Immortal".

Pres - Charles Jackson
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Pres- Wade Chambers
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V Pres - Volunteer Needed

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Secretary - Donna Wright 331-1388

Student Accounts-Brian/Jackie Wek
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Fundraising - Volunteer needed

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Student Fundraising Chair
Jarmilla Fucs 361-7300

Festival of Bands Coordinator
Charles Jackson 271-4161

Indoor Marching Chicken Dinner-Nov Volunteer Needed

St. Louis Hotel & Bus Coordinator
Julie Klinger 361-3990

Dessert Show -December
Todd/Lana Vetter 334-4772

Awards Banquet - Volunteer Needed

8th Grade Liaison - Volunteer Needed

Band Director - Shane Macklin
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Asst. Band Director - Mr. Tucker
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Website: www.rooseveltband.org

SCHOOL PHYSICALS

Please remember that Marching Band is a school activity that requires each participant to have a Physical Exam. Forms may be picked up in RHS office or downloaded & printed from the band web site, www.rooseveltband.org. Completed forms need to be returned to the RHS office by July 28th.

Volunteers Needed !

We have begun sewing on the flags for our 2009 show. For those who don't sew, we can still use your help. There is ironing, pinning & other prep work that you can assist with. This is a big project and any assistance that you can give is welcome. Please contact Joan Chambers for more details. She can be reached at 361-1031 or by e-mail at azinsd@sio.midco.net. This is another great opportunity to get know other band parents & have some fun!

Beginning of Year Forms

There are "Band" forms that need to be completed and turned in prior to or at the beginning of the school year. These include the 2009-2010 Sioux Falls Public Schools Activities Packet and an Adult Volunteer Registration form that must be re-submitted every year by parents who help with the Marching Band program. Both forms can be found on our website www.rooseveltband.org. The Volunteer Registration form is also available in the Band Room.

HyVee Cards Dates

**July 6th
July 20th** **Aug 3rd
Aug 17th**

Place your orders in the **Silver Order Box** in the main office at RHS by noon on order day. The cards will be ready to be picked up after 6:00 pm at Marilee Pederson's home (1208 S Dundee), on Tuesday of the order week. Please call Marilee @ 362-0891 or e-mail at jmpmjp@sio.midco.net if you have any questions. Remember this is the easiest way to build your student's account.

Contacting Directors

The best way to reach the Band Directors is by e-mail. You may also leave a message on the band office phone # 362-2871. Choose opt # 1 and begin recording. Remember this phone will **not** be checked for messages as regularly during the summer months. Mr. Macklin will be unavailable from June 23rd - July 17th as he will be traveling with band students to Europe. Mr. Macklin can be reached at shane.macklin@k12.sd.us.

Band Parent Meeting

Our next Band Parent Meeting will be held, **Thurs, July 17th @ 7pm**. These meetings will help you to stay informed of all upcoming band events and get any questions answered. It is also a great way to get to know the other band parents. Every effort is made to keep the meetings to one hour.

DCI Sioux Empire Spectacular

Thank you to all who volunteered & attended the Sioux Empire Spectacular Show. Also a big thanks to all who provided dessert for the Band Members.

Member/Show Shirt Orders

Member/Show Shirts have been ordered. We will contact you when the shirts are ready to be picked up. The E-store is coming along. We will let you know when it is up and running. Items that can be embroidered will be for sale. Some of the items that will be for sale are: stadium blankets, wind shirts, parent and student band jackets. There will be many more fun items, but we do not want to say much more until everything is finalized. Also, many items are for sale at the band parent meetings. On hand we have baseball caps, stocking caps, gray sweatpants, window clings, shoe bags, polo shirts and cds and dvds from shows in the past years. All profit from the sale of spiritwear items goes right back into the band program. Make your presence known at the competitions in your spiritwear!!! Make Roosevelt stand out in the crowd and show support for all of our students and their hard work. Contact Pam and Bill Keller at pbkeller1@sio.midco.net or 361-2658 with any questions.

Car Wash

We will be holding our second car wash on Aug 1st at HyVee & RHS. This will be a "donation" car wash & we will also be accepting pre-sold tickets from the first ticket blitz/car wash.