



RHS BAND

SEPTEMBER 2009 www.rooseveltband.org

MORNING/EVENING BAND REHEARSAL

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Volunteer Needed

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Volunteer Needed

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Volunteer Needed

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Website: www.rooseveltband.org

Events Calendar

SEPTEMBER

- Sept 2 4:15 pm Pres Bowl Rehearsal @ HWF
- Sept 3 7 pm Band Parent Meeting
- Sept 5 TBA Pres Bowl @ HWF
- Sept 8 5-9 pm Full Band Rehearsal (CG & Percussion @ 5, Winds @ 6)
- Sept 10 7 pm Picture Day (all bands)
- Sept 14 5-9 pm Full Band Rehearsal (CG & Percussion @ 5, Winds @ 6)
- Sept 17 7 pm Band Parent Meeting
- Sept 18 TBA Football Game @ HWF
- Sept 19 ALL DAY: Competition- Marshall, MN
- Sept 21 5-9 pm Full Band Rehearsal (CG & Percussion @ 5, Winds @ 6)
- Sept 26 ALL Day: Marching Competition - Brandon/Luverne
- Sept 29 5-9 pm Full Band Rehearsal (CG & Percussion @ 5, Winds @ 6)

OCTOBER

- Oct 2 TBA Homecoming Game
- Oct 3rd All Day: Festival of Bands Sioux Falls, Parade in morning Field in evening
- Oct 6 5-9 pm Full Band Rehearsal (CG & Percussion 5, Winds @ 6)
- Oct 8 6pm Band Parent Meeting (Note Time CHANGE)
- Oct 10 All day : Competition: Orange City
- Oct 12 9-5 Full Band Rehearsal - HWF
- Oct 15 3:30 Leave for St. Louis BOA
- Oct 16 All Day - BOA St. Louis
- Oct 17 All Day - BOA St. Louis
- Oct 18 All Day - Return to Sioux Falls
- Oct 22 7 pm Band Parent Meeting
- Oct 27 Playoff game - play in stands

All Events Will Be Thoroughly Explained at the Parent Meetings

Our morning and evening rehearsals are well underway. Please continue to watch the schedule closely as we have some of our evening rehearsals on Tuesday instead of the normal Monday due to holidays/parent teacher conferences Also note that we will have **both** a morning and evening rehearsal on Tuesday, Sept. 8th. Looking ahead to **October 12th**, we do have rehearsal from 9-5 as there is no school that day (Native American Day).

HyVee Cards Dates

Sept 14th

Sept 28th

Oct 19th

Nov 9th

Nov 23rd

Dec 7th

Dec 21st

Order your HyVee gift cards by **noon** on each of these days. Orders are to be placed in the silver box in the band room. 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.

Band Parent Meetings

All parents are encouraged to join us at the Band Parent Meetings. They will be held in the RHS Band Room on the following dates:

Sept 3rd Feb 25th
Sept 17th March 16th
Oct 8th (6-7pm)
Oct 27th April 20th
Nov 19th May 13th
Jan 7th

Attending these 1 hour meetings will keep you informed about the Band Program.

RHS Band Website

www.rooseveltband.org

What can be viewed on the RHS Band Website?

- Newsletters
- Yearly calendar of events
- Pictures
- Links to other band sites
- Post on the forum
- e-store

These are a few of things you can find on our website. If you haven't checked it out lately...please do!

Band Pictures

Picture night is coming Sept 10th @ 7 pm. All band groups (Freshman, Varsity, Concert, Symphonic, Jazz, Marching, etc) will be having their picture taken. We will be taking both individual & group pictures. Order forms will be available to those wanting an individual/group picture. These are the pictures that will be placed in the RHS annual.

Big Soo Coupon Books

The Big Soo Book Fundraiser is now underway. We are asking each student/family to sell at least 5 Soo Books at \$35 each and \$10 of each book sale comes back to the band. Our goal for this fundraiser is to raise \$5000, which means as a group we need to sell 500 books. This will help offset our budget for the marching band program this year. If you sell 10 books, you will receive a free book. The first 10 books you sell, the \$10 per book profit will go into the general band fund, then any more books sold after the initial 10, \$5 will go to the general band fund and \$5 to your student account. We are hoping to be able to raise enough funds with the Soo Book so we can omit the Younker's Fundraiser this year. Should we not meet our goal, then we may need to look at another fundraiser to supplement. We need participation of all students/families in order to make this fundraiser a success and meet our goal of selling 500 books and raising \$5000 to assist in paying for our marching band show this year. The Soo Books will be available every Monday night after band practice up where the treats are distributed. They will also be available at the following band parent meetings [Sept. 3rd, Sept. 17th, and October 8th]. You can also contact Lynette DeJong at 361-2410 to obtain more books or turn in money. Please hand in money as you are selling the books to help us monitor our sales.

President's Bowl

President's Bowl will be held on **Sat, Sept 5th**. We will be performing the National Anthem with the other Sioux Falls schools. President's Bowl is a fund raiser that supports our program.

Festival of Bands

The Annual Festival of Bands (FOB) will be held on Oct. 3rd. FOB is hosted by RHS, LHS, WHS & O'Gorman each year. This is a fund raiser for our marching programs. We will be marching in the parade downtown in the am & performing our show that evening @ HWF. As a part of hosting this event, RHS needs volunteers to assist with the preliminary competition at HWF. This year we are assigned to the early shift (8:30-1:00). Volunteers will need to arrive at HWF by 8:30. A few of the areas where volunteers are needed are: band marshals, button/program sales, traffic control, row monitors and field marshals. Sign-up sheets will be available at the parent meetings on Sept 3 & 17th. You may also contact Charles Jackson @ charlesjackson@sio.midco.net or 271-4161 to volunteer.

Spiritwear/E-store

The E-Store is up and running. Just go to the spiritwear site and the link is there for the E-Store. We will still be at the band parent meetings with items to sell. Let's get ready for a great marching season!! For more info contact Bill & Pam Keller at 361-2658.