***Mendham Music Boosters***

***FYI - Please note that if you ever need to refer back to the monthly upcoming events emails –you can always find them on the music boosters website under "Important Forms and Links"***

**2019-2020 School Year - Help with Water Machine Requested**

One of the most profitable fundraisers for the Music Boosters is maintaining the Water Machine in the Music Wing. But it cannot happen without some help from our music booster families!

For the upcoming school year, help is needed with the following:

Stocking the water machine: Come in on the same day every week, once a week, to replenish and stock the water in the machine. To sign up and for more details, please click on this link: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080e4eaba92ba0fd0-water

Buying/Delivering Cases of Water: Sign up for the rotation to buy (from BJ's or Costco) and then deliver 25 cases of water to the music wing (a total of 5 times during the school year) To sign up and for more details,please click on this link: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080e4eaba92ba0fd0-water1

All of the above volunteer positions are a great way to help out and stay closely connected with our Music Department. Any additional questions, please contact Tricia Elgarten - Tricia.Elgarten@gmail.com, Water Machine Coordinator.

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**UPCOMING MUSIC BOOSTERS MAY EVENTS**

**Friday May 3 - Marching Band Student Leadership Meeting 3-5pm**

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**Monday, May 6- Seminar on Applying Music Schools: Everything You Need to Know about Applying to College as a Music Major at 7:30PM at West Morris CENTRAL high school-** presented by Peg Barbarite-the administrator for admissions and scholarship for the undergraduate and graduate programs in Music at Rutgers University.

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**Tuesday, May 7 - Mendham Players Banquet 6pm - Information will be sent to students ASAP**

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**Wednesday May 8 - Drumline and Color Guard rehearsal**

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**Thursday, May 9 - Marching Band Student Leadership Meeting 3-5pm (grades 10-12 only)/Drum Major Interviews (interested applicants only)**

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**Friday, May 10 - Marching Band Student Leadership Auditions 3-5pm (all section leader/drum major applicants MUST attend, all others are welcome to watch/participate!)**

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**Saturday May 11th - Highlands A Cappella Festival (Treble Makers and Unaccompanied Minors)-** All day festival with a 9am start time at Northern Highlands Regional High School. No bus provided. Festival culminates with a concert at 7pm. To purchase tickets, see this link - **https://highlandsacafest.brownpapertickets.com/**

Dress code - Casual clothes during the day. Bring performance clothes to change into for the concert at night.

- Girls - "Black and Bling" - All black dressy clothes. Dress pants with blouse, skirt, or dresses are fine. Length must be appropriate and you must wear black pantyhose if you are wearing a dress or skirt. Black dress shoes required. No sandals. Treble Makers necklaces.
- Boys - MIB Dress blacks with ties. Black Dress Shoes and socks.

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**Wednesday May 15th - Jazz Festival includes Big Band & Jazz Ensemble-**

Join us for our 5th annual jazz festival featuring guest artist Roxy Coss. www.roxycoss.com

**Enjoy a fun evening of jazz beginning at 6pm with some light food fare**
**And Concert at 7:00 (6:00 Call Time)**

**Music Boosters will supply the sandwiches, we ask that each member of each section in BIG BAND and JAZZ ENSEMBLE bring in a specific food item-**

**ALL SAXOPHONES:**
**2 Dozen of Individual Size Bags of a Snack (Pretzels, Potato Chips, Pirates Booty, Sun Chips, etc...)**

**ALL OTHER WINDS (FLUTES, CLARINETS, ETC..), & TROMBONES - :**
**2 Dozen Brownies/Cookies/Bars/Cupcakes (anything that does not require a fork)**

**TRUMPETS:**
**2 Dozen individual bottles of water**

**RHYTHM/PERCUSSION/BASS/GUITARS/PIANO: 1 Dozen Pieces of Hand-held Fruit (Apples, Oranges, Pears, Bananas, etc…) Please wash apples or pears!**

***From 6:00-7:00 - There will be an Alumni Jazz Jam Session* - All interested Mendham Jazz Alumni are invited to join in on the fun. Please spread the word to any alumni you may know.**

Concert Dress Code-

5:30 Big Band – All Black with Blue Accents

7:00 Jazz Ensemble - All-Black with Red Accents

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**Thursday May 16th - Spring Choral Showcase (featuring after school ensembles and Mendham Voices) 7:00pm concert, 6:00pm call time**

**Dress Code:**

- Girls - "Black and Bling" - All black dressy clothes. Dress pants with blouse, skirt, or dresses are fine. Length must be appropriate and you must wear black pantyhose if you are wearing a dress or skirt. Black dress shoes required. No sandals. Wear sparkly accessories, silver or gold okay. LIR will wear red scarves.
- Boys - MIB Dress blacks with ties. Black Dress Shoes and socks.

We again ask your help in providing refreshments to enjoy after the concert:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080b48afab23a2fe3-refreshments1

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**Friday May 17th – Marching Band Enrollment Form with Payment Due**

**https://docs.google.com/document/d/137aYVBe-mNzZycQ0wppbTOv09UlQZPboo4Ep2qDxNO0/edit**

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**Wednesday May 22nd- Senior Honors Band Concert(senior honors concert includes ALL BANDS)**

**Call time: 6:15**

**Concert – 7:00**

**Dress Code: Same as all concerts, including Seniors.**

As we salute our graduating seniors and enjoy a final concert, we again ask your help in providing refreshments. Please click on this link to sign up:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040f4da9a62fa75-senior

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**Thursday May 23- Senior Honors Orchestra Concert - 7pm**

***All* orchestra members participate in the dinner *and* concert.**

**ALL Music Department students and parents are invited to my last Orchestra concert at Mendham High School.**

**Dress Code:**
**Girls** – WMMHS black formal concert gown, black or neutral pantyhose/tights; ***black*** dress shoes. Senior girls: Colorful scarf that won't affect your performance

**Boys : 9-11th -** All Black (dress pants, shirt, shoes) Solid color tie (bow or neck); **Seniors** – Same as above with colorful tie

5:30 Students bring food to lobby and bring instruments to Choir Room.

**5:45 – *Lite Dinner fare* served in Lobby. We will be promoting healthy eating foods along with recipes; Relay for Life awareness contributions will be accepted.** (We request that all Orchestra Members contribute something to share)
https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0e4cacae2da5ff2-orchestra

**7:00 – Formal Concert begins**

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**Wednesday May 29- Full Marching Band Rehearsal with Color Guard- 4pm-6pm**

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**Wednesday May 29th – Voice Recital 1 (Advanced and IB Choir Students)- 7:00pm, 6:15pm call time.**

Dress Code: No specific color required. Must be dressy. Guys in collared shirts and ties with dress pants and dress shoes. Girls in dresses, skirts, or dress pants with nice top and dress shoes.

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**Thursday May 30th – Voice Recital 2 (Advanced and IB Choir Students) - 7:00pm, 6:15pm call time.**

Dress Code: No specific color required. Must be dressy. Guys in collared shirts and ties with dress pants and dress shoes. Girls in dresses, skirts, or dress pants with nice top and dress shoes.

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**Other Upcoming Events –**

**Wednesday June 5-** Full Marching Band rehearsal 4-6pm band room (includes all new members) and Color Guard

**Wednesday June 12-** Full Marching Band rehearsal 4-6pm band room (includes all new members) and Color Guard

**Thursday, June 13th** - Graduation - Wind Ensemble & Select Choir Members to Perform

**Sunday, June 23rd** – Giralda Music and Arts Festival Gates Open 4:00, 6:00 Concert -*Join the District Music Teachers for a fun picnic with an evening performance by the New Jersey Symphony Orchestra*

**July 18th-21st** - 4-H Fair Parking – *Opportunity to raise funds for individual student music accounts (DISNEY TRIP THIS YEAR!!!!!). More details will be provided in the June Upcoming Events email.*

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