MUSIC NOTES

Yorkville Music Boosters

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1997-1998 Patron and Volunteer Drive Planned by Yorkville Music Boosters

Yorkville Music Parents and Friends,

Another school year is upon us and although the Music Boosters officers have changed, the mission and goals have not. We are dedicated to promoting and helping the music education of the students in the Yorkville school system and enhancing our Poms program. Last year the Music Boosters began the much needed task of replacing and repairing percussion instruments at both CCMS and YHS, helped purchase new cellos for both schools to eliminate rent payments and continued giving scholarships for music and common camps. It was an exciting year but this one will be even more exciting and challenging.

This year the new high school will be completed and the music students will be moving into their new homes. But as with any new home there will be new supplies that will be needed. We will continue to work toward obtaining new drums for CCIS, CCMS, and YHS and there will be many other supplies required for all the disciplines that are still being determined. In the past we have purchased items like choir and band uniforms, chairs for the music department, PA equipment, garment bags to protect the robes and uniforms, flowers for the teachers and graduating seniors, music folders, etc. and many more articles such as these will be needed with the new high school and the relocation of the middle school. We will continue to provide scholarships to camp goers and working to make sure that all music and Poms students have what is needed to further their education.

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"We are fortunate to have such a talented and dedicated staff, good facilities, and some phenomenally talented students."

We are fortunate to have such a talented and dedicated staff, good facilities, and some phenomenally talented students. But to make sure that this continues, the Music Boosters organization needs help from all of you to make this mission a reality. Volunteers are needed to help with various committees like budget and fundraising, to help take tickets at concerts (by the way, this ticket money all goes into the music department and no where else), to help at the Madrigal Dinner, and so on.

Fundraising activities like the Madrigal Dinner and the cheese and sausage sale are our only source of income to enable us to maintain the high level of support of the past. The fruit sale held by the music department last year to help finance the YHS trip to Disney World will be held this year by the Music Boosters to benefit the entire department. The Patron and Volunteer form found on the second page of this newsletter provides important information about the 1997–1998 Patron Drive and a way for you to easily volunteer to help the Yorkville Music Boosters. I urge you to financially support this organization by becoming a patron at whatever level you can and to volunteer of your time to help make the goals of the Music Boosters and the students a reality. Please complete the form and mail it to the address shown.

Thank you for your support in the past and this year as we all work toward making the most of our students' music education and Pom program.

Don Cool Yorkville Music Boosters, President

YHS Poms Honored at Summer Camp

The Yorkville High School Pom Pon squad attended a NCA Danz dance camp this past summer at Northern Illinois University where they learned a wide assortment of pom and drill team routines. At camp two squad members, Kristina McDonald and Lindsey Jones were selected as all-stars; Tiffany Suggs received the Top Gun award for the best funk dancer of all the 130 girls at camp. Other performance awards were received by Wendy Cox, Lindsey Jones, Kristina McDonald, Amanda Mohler, and Sarah Misner. The Foxettes received an outstanding rating on their home routine. The fourteen-member squad performed several camp routines at the recent Yorkville Riverfest celebration. This year the squad is focusing on performing entertaining and diverse routines at varsity home football and basketball The team motto is A shared dream makes individuals a team. The Foxettes are coached by Cheryl Lippard who is starting her fifth year as the squad's coach.

Cheryl Lippard

Fall Music Calendar

Music Boosters' Fruit Sale Kickoff YHS Fall Choral/Orchestra Concert CCMS Holiday Choral Concert YHS Madrigal Dinner October 17 October 30

November 25 December 6

December 7

Music Boosters' Fruit Sale Distribution

December 13 December 14

YHS Holiday Concert

(Band, Orchestra, and Choir)

CCMS Holiday Orch./Band Concert

December 15

1997-1998 YHS Foxettes

Amber Jurgens, Co-Captain Kristina McDonald, Co-Captain Darla Baughman Anne Brownlow Wendy Cox Jeni Gunier Lindsey Jones Samantha Kauffold Val Miller Sarah Misner Amanda Mohler Alison Pamson Kate Seifri Tiffany Suggs

Yorkville Music Boosters Patron and Volunteer Drive
The financial support of parents, friends, and area businesses is an essential ingredient for success of the arts in Yorkville. Your gift and desire to help the Music Boosters as a volunteer are greatly appreciated. Thank you for your tax deductible gift. Patrons' names will be acknowledged in <i>FanFare</i> and all concert programs.
Patron: Please check one: \square parent or \square friend.
(Please print your name as you would like it to appear in FanFare.)
Child's School and Music Group(s)
I volunteer to help the Yorkville Music Boosters during this school year. Yes, No (Phone Number)
Business Patron: (Please print your Business Name as you would like it to appear in FanFare.)
Business Address:
Patron Level: \$\Bigcup \\$15 \text{ Red } \Bigcup \\$25 \text{ White } \Bigcup \\$50 \text{ Blue } \Bigcup \\$100 \text{ Gold } \text{ Please check the appropriate box.}
Music Boosters is permitted to use my address from the school district database for future mailings. \square Yes \square No
Please make checks payable to Yorkville Music Boosters and mail with this form to: Ms. Donna Sebby 404 McHugh Road Yorkville, IL 60560

CCMS Choral Department Begins New Year

The CCMS Choral Department is in full swing this year. For this year, a new select chorus has been added. This chorus is by audition for seventh and eighth grade students with an interest in improving their voice and functioning as a single unit. It has been given the name of Concert Choir and will be performing in concerts along with the Seventh/Eighth and Sixth Grade Choruses. There is much excitement in the choral program, and we are looking forward to a great year full of learning, performing, and awards. The following students will participate in the 1997-98 CCMS choral program.

Christy Hager

Seventh and Eighth Grade Chorus

Nikki Artlip
Brenna Benson
Kristen Bergeron
Sheree Brown
Joshua Campbell
Rachel Carrington
Frank Cesarone
Rebecca Cugier
Allison Dean
Eileen Dermott
Jacob Dodd
Stacy Doherty
Laura Lee Drake
Tammy Dring

David Early
Nathan Fries
Randy Gauer
Megan Gustafson
Sean Gustafson
Ryan Hannigan
Ashley Harris
Hilary Hawkinson
Brian Hefferan
Meghan Hindi
Holly Hosey
Alexander Houle
Jodi Hubbard

Sarah Kandler Katie Kelly Krystle Koszola Leslie Kritzberg Aaron Lage Daniel Landes Erin Leden Heather Leon Daniel Litzhoff Robert Loftus Anthony Marr Tiffany Mattison Lindsey Monahan

Scott Morganegg Kati Navarro Jesse Nehmelman Brandy Nelson Andy Padilla Carolane Paugels Heather Ramirez Amanda Robb Ryan Sartain Amber Schleuning Kimberly Schmidt Rebecca Schnitz Kurt Schobert Ashley Smith
Nicole Smith
Kari Soris
Carrie Stoner
Andrew Swithin
Matthew Tripp
Kristi Walker
Matthew Weber
Scott Weeks
Steven Weimer
Katrina Werner
Nicole Wickel
Paul Zaspal

Seventh and Eighth Grade Concert Choir

Michelle Agler Rachael Brian Sarah Card Leanne Case Adam Collins Jacqueline Cook Michelle Crowe Rebecca Ann Crown Kelly Danko Katy Defelice Kevin Doherty Joy Doverspike Lindsay Dreps

Christopher Duncan Erin Dunn Carin Fisher Rachel Fisher Ashley Floyd Julia Ford Alexander French Therese Grommes Amanda Marie Hart Samantha Haskins Katie Hogan Jeanie Hubbard Jasmin Jackson
Jessica Joray
Adam Jurgens
Alisa Killian
Angela Klimczak
Amber Kohler
Ashley Lies
Ryan Lorenz
Nicole Malinowski
Lindsey McHugh
Brandon Miller
Crystal Nelson

Stephanie Paugels
Natalie Pavlik
Alexandra Scarpetta
Joan Sebby
Andrew Shaw
Stephanie Shick
Joshua Smith
Kristen Sommerfeld
Nicole Stafford
Ashley Stargardt
Kimberly Stevenson
Amanda Steward

Peter Thomas Amanda Thompson Danielle Toplak Whitney Trumble Michael Wehrli Tashia Werner Kristin White David Whittington Dustin Whittington Chad Woodworth Kara Yabsley Ryan Young

Sixth Grade Chorus

Daniel Albright
Neal Anderson
Amber Baldwin
Laura Barrette
Steven Bassett
Eddie Beringer
Katherine Bode
Michael Bradford
Ashley Brisbin
Christopher Bryja
Deborah Calhoun
Margaret Clarke
Elizabeth Clayton
Matthew Collins

Jennifer Cremens
Haley Cugier
Theresa Dermott
Anna Diehl
Ashley Dieter
Brad Dobbertin
Kassandra Doty
Michael Duffy
Madeline Epperson
Nicole Farnsworth
Kathleen Fowler
Michael Gerl
Rachel Gilmour
Michael Good

Lauren Goodrich
Nicholas Groesch
Kami Harris
Alisha Hartman
Kelly Ann Hefferan
Rebecca Jencks
Laura Kohler
Nicholas Kramer
Jaime La Vallee
Laura Libby
Ivan Lightfoot
Megan Linden
Nicholas Litzhoff

Brea Loftus
Scott McCartney
Jacqueline McGuane
Craig McQuade
Joshua Mohr
Matt Nelson
Laura Olson
Katherine Pfaff
Jessica Plock
Amanda Ross
Bradley Sebby
Jacob Seif
Aaron Stargardt

Randall Stiles
Jacqueline Storey
Gina Suiter
Ryan Turner
Daniel Ulrich
Alison VanDeusen
Ryan VonHolten
Jeffrey Vartiak
Lindsay Wagner
Kelly Weber
Ashley Williams
Jenna Yabsley
Stephanie Zielie

District Orchestras and Ensembles Provide Performance Opportunities

Yorkville High School's music curriculum offers to all students a variety of performing ensembles and extra-curricular ensembles that meet during and outside the school day. The Yorkville music department believes in educating our students by selecting quality literature which includes the study and performance of music spanning a variety of eras and genres.

The high school orchestra program consists of three performing ensembles: Symphonic Orchestra incorporates woodwinds, brass, and percussion along with strings, Concert Orchestra (violin, viola, cello, and bass), and Chamber Orchestra (selected string ensemble). Concert Orchestra meets daily for forty minutes. Students participating in Concert Orchestra are Anne Brownlow, Erin Cool, John Holland, T. J. Johnson, Angela Marr, Chris Muth, Kurt Muth, Leslie Scott, Lindsay Scott, Brittany Sytar, and Loyal Wagner on violin; Colleen Hogan, Jessica Morris, Brendan Neuman, Marci Schwartz, and Jennifer Tagle, on viola; Tim Cook, Alicia Cool, Ben Draper, Rebecca Hart, and Kelly Stallman on cello; Christine Adams, John Krusemier, and Seth Sinding on bass. The Chamber Orchestra meets before school one day a week for forty-five minutes and plays challenging string literature performing for school and community functions. The Chamber Orchestra students are John Holland, T. J. Johnson, Chris Muth, and Kurt Muth on violin; Colleen Hogan and Jenny Tagle on viola; Alicia Cool and Kelly Stallman on cello; Seth Sinding on bass. Orchestra students are encouraged to become involved in solo and ensemble contests, IMEA and IHSA events, tours, string quartets and quintets that perform for special community and social events, and private instruction.

Our newest members in the Fifth Grade Orchestra are Ryan Anderson, Latisha Brengman, Emily Burd, Lindsay Burt, Dan Cardinal, Jessica Cleveland, Sarah Duncan, Jessica Fahlmark, Nicole Farbo, Carl Franks, Lindsay Kot, Tom Lindwall, Ellen McCurdy, Kellie Mizel, Megan Mozen, Laura Mueller, Jill Nadherny, Dan Nicholson, Amy Sartain, Amanda Shield, Alex Simpson, Chad Trudo, and Jessica Winn.

CCMS Sixth Grade Orchestra members are Lynn Adams, Brittany Gunter-Brown, Cherlynn Larson, Katy Miller, Tania Pavlovcik, Amber Wortham, and Lauren Younce on violin; Carmina Perez on viola; Leanne Barrette and Jessica Graff on cello.

CCMS Symphony Orchestra members are Katie Cooper, Laura Ferris Hilary Hawkinson, Jacqui Hill, Brendan McCurdy, Eric Nichols, Carolane Paugels, Ben Sibenaller, and Ashley Sytar on violin; Rebecca Crown, Carin Fisher, Jessica Joray, and Doug Wampler on viola; Allison Dean, Mary French, Stephen Geinosky, Keith Hoffman, and Brittney Kot on cello.

Gerry Romack

IMEA Auditions For YHS Music Students in October

Students from the YHS Music Department plan to audition for this year's IMEA (Illinois Music Educators Association) Band, Orchestra, and Choir organizations. Auditions will be held on Wednesday, October 15 at Naperville North High School.

The following students planning to audition from the band are Randy Haskins on baritone and Sarah Ferris on flute; from the orchestra John Holland, Kurt Muth, Chris Muth, and T. J. Johnson on violin, Jenny Tagle on viola, and Alicia Cool on cello; and from the choral division Mark Morris and Ben Draper on Bass I, Valerie Milam on Soprano I, Andrea Lawson on Soprano II, Melissa Liggett and Nikki Lupei on Alto I, and Lori Paradis on Alto II.

Five of the seven vocal students attended a practice session for IMEA auditions at the third annual IMSA Symposium (Illinois Math and Science Academy) on Friday and Saturday, September 19 and 20. They participated in sectional and full-group rehearsals and then performed, along with approximately 120 other students from other District IX schools, the six required pieces for IMEA auditions. Their audience consisted of parents visiting the IMSA open house. The students involved in the symposium were Mark Morris, Melissa Liggett, Valerie Milam, Lori Paradis and Andrea Lawson.

Good luck to all students auditioning for the IMEA District IX Festival on October 15.

YHS Choral Department GROWING

Greetings from the YHS Choral Music Department. The choirs have grown to 152 students for the 1997-98 school year: eighty-one students in Concert Choir and seventy-one students in Chamber Singers. Mrs. Nan Grommes has agreed to accompany the YHS vocal groups this year. We are very appreciative of her time and talents. I enjoy the challenge of working with the different musical groups and the varied talents within each ensemble. We look forward to seeing you at our first Choral/Orchestra Concert on Thursday, October 30, 1997, at 7:30 p.m. in the YHS Gym.

Peg Trumble

Concert Choir officers are: President, Jen Phillips; Vice-president, Tesha Beebe; Treasurer, Jackie Dean; Secretaries, Sherie Basinger and Nicole Pavlik; P.R. Chairperson, Tabitha Undesser. The members of this year's Concert Choir are:

Jenna Anderson Thomas Bahr Amanda Bandlow Nichole Barth Sherie Basinger Tesha Beebe Anne Bester Joshua Blackman Bobby Borneman Jamie Borneman Crystal Briggs Rachel Casper Julie Ciesla Rvan Clark Melissa Cockriel Stephanie Croyle Pachel Cugier

Amy Cullison Jacqueline Dean Jana Dodd Brady Doetschman Joel Doppelhammer Daniel Doverspike Kristin Drake Matthew Dunley Charyl Evans Carey Fisher Ryan Foringer Amanda Fowler Christina Garland Joseph Goins Erin Goryl Jorie Gress

Jennifer Gunier Nicole Haefner Emily Halbesma Scott Hall Megan Hannigan Diana Hansen Aubrey Hart Lee Holman Candace Jackson Michelle Kuzmicz Jennifer Leden Brandie Libby **Dustin Lindley** Rebecca MacKenzie Theresa Marr Shantelle Martin

Amy Martioski Audra Mattox Chad Messersmith Valerie Miller Lisa Moisa Tanya Nehmelman Marcia Nelson Shawna Nelson Jessica Ohl Alison Pamson Ronald Paugels Nicole Pavlik Brandi Person Rena Pedersen Jennifer Phillips Hanna Pierce

Chantelle Ragan Nicole Randles Rachel Sebby Paige Seifrid Matthew Sibenaller Christina Smith Rachel Smith Nicole Stuck Kara Ulrich Rebecca Ulrich Tabitha Undesser Crystal Walker Amy Wegner Nathan White Ryan Woodworth Melody Wrobleuski

Chamber Singers are led this year by: President, Melissa Liggett; Vice-president, Linda Ashley; Treasurer, Ben Draper; Secretaries, Kara Danko and Amber Schillinger; P.R. Chairperson, Stacey Seif. The 71 member Chamber Singers include:

Abby Ament
Melissa Anderson
Linda Ashley
Jonna Bahr
Michael Balda
Rebecca Beringer
Nicole Brown
Mark Busby
Andrew Carlson
Chris Collins
Carlton Cook
Allison Corredato
Kara Danko
Ericka Diehl
Jessica Doverspike

Ben Draper Sarah Engelhardt Lisa Erickson Molly Erickson Corey Ginger Chris Groesch Bonnie Gutzwiler Allison Harding Cynthia Hitzemann Lindsay Holmgren Emily Hoovey Rachel Hopkins T.J. Johnson Patti Kelley

Genevieve Kilianek
Tim Kolowski
Kimberly Krantz
Nichole Kuczkowski
Andrea Lawson
Heidi Leifheit
Melissa Liggett
Nichole Lupei
Lauren Marshall
Sara Metzger
Valerie Milam
Mark Morris
Tara Murray
Sarah Nemmers

Bart Olson
Jeffrey Olson
Scott Olson
Lori Paradis
Kristina Pfeifer
Lindsay Rees
Nicole Rice
Katherine Roberts
Jessica Rosa
Amber Schillinger
Stacey Seif
Marijo Shields
Stephanie Sibenaller

Lisa O'Brien

Rorrie Spengler Amanda Spoden Jennifer Stewart Colin Stokes Andrew Tews Julie Thorson Ryan Tinsley Kira Tripp Parker Trumble Brian Ulrich Hannah Washburn Dustin Werner Kristen Williams Chris Young

Many students auditioned for the YHS Madrigal Singers. After a two-process audition procedure, the following students earned membership into the **1997-98 Madrigal Singers** vocal ensemble: Abby Ament, Linda Ashley, Mark Busby, Wes Dickson, Jessica Doverspike, Ben Draper, Sarah Engelhardt, Allison Harding, T.J. Johnson, Kim Krantz, Melissa Liggett, Nikki Lupei, Lauren Marshall, Valerie Milam, Mark Morris, Bart Olson, Jeff Olson, Rachel Sebby, Colin Stokes, Parker Trumble, and Chris Young. This year's Madrigal Dinners have been scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, December 6 and 1997 at the Yorkville Congregational Church. Tickets will go on sale in October. Look for announcements concerning acket sales in the *Kendall County Record*, or through the YHS Music Department newsletter.

Yorkville District Bands Prepare for Busy Year

My how the bands have grown over the years! Projected enrollment for our high school band in two short years will be 103 members. WOW! All should be proud to be a part of a fine organization within our district. Here are the members of our district bands beginning with our NEWEST members, our Cadet Band.

Steve Moline

Cadet Band

Tyler Angelo Kassie Arend Crystol Beu John Borneman Ashley Brown Amber Burgess Aubrey Cather Shannon Channell Robert Cool Brian Crouch
Eric Devore
Joe Digiovanna
Beth Dalsing
Sarah Duncan
Jennifer Greenwalt
Cherice Gutzwiler
Hayley Hawkinson

Ed Henry
Jacqui Janssen
Scott Johnson
Erin Krause
Ashley Klbecka
Ben Lamb
Beth Martin
Michael McCleary

Ed Ohligschlager Jennifer Quantock Brian Rachowicz Brian Roubal Aaron Rosa Marcus Schulz Jon Sebby Hilary Shaw

Justin Sleezer Katie Swithin John Thomas Josh Thorud Ross Unterbrunner Beth Washah Melissa Zohosek Nichole Zoletel

CCMS Varsity Band

Michael Allen Shawna Auberry Beth Aulis Katie Bastyr Joe Britt Lea Cope Lindsay Dunley David Ems Luke Engelhardt Stacie English Jim Figora Lindsey Koper Rebecca Lamb Allison Lynch Brooke McCoy Brittany Mitchell

Suzanne Nemmers Kelly Ortega Andrea Perkins Jennifer Peters Matthew Philipp Ashley Prochaska Candice Riso-Robison Alissa Rutledge

Roger Schmid Adria Schroeder Bob Stewart Julie Stoner Carolyn Stratman Jon Thorson Lena Triantafillou Joshua Truman Audra Wagner Lindsey Watson Brad Wies Meghan Wilbanks Kendal Williams Lauren Williams

CCMS Concert Band

Tiffany Albright
Branden Allen
Wesley Arthur
Stephie Aulis
Nicholas Barton
Randy Bastyr
Jill Bazan
Cassie Bissonette
Kevin Crouch
Kelly Danko
Crystal Davis
Chris Dean
Matthew Engelhardt
Brittney Felix
Bobby Figora

Crus Flores
Nathan Good
Allison Grala
Therese Grommes
Samantha Haskins
Mark Herrington
James Holland
Elizabeth Jackson
Phil Janeteas
Tiffany Kraber
Ashley Lies
Daniel Malkowski
Ryan Malkowski
James Mandros

Sylvia Mangrum
Bradley Martinez
Melissa Matlock
Sean McGrath
Sergio Mendez
Derek Mohler
Ashley Moore
Crystal Nelson
Kara Nenne
Erin Olson
Samuel Olson
Kate Pavesich
Matthew Perry
Abbey Rees

Lisa Reisinger
Jill Ridenour
Kristine Roubal
Nathan Saar
Rebecca Saar
Rachel Schmid
David Schulz
Laura Schwartz
Humza Shamsuddin
Jonathan Stafford
Kristin Stewart
Jamie Stoneking
Amanda Stumbo
Geri Suiter

Britany Thornton
Jakob Thorud
Christos Triantafillou
Kristin Tripp
Jason Unterbrunner
Sarah Usry
Andrea VanPelt
Megan Voiland
Ryan Wagner
Theodore Wagner
Brandon White
Megan Wicks
Aurora Worley

YHS Band

Jared Adam
Ryan Adam
Bobby Anderson
Jim Anderson
Staci Bazan
Jared Best
Allison Boyd
Tracy Callmer
Tammy Cooper
Steven Davis
Amanda DeVore

Wes Dickson
Shane English
Heather Ferguson
Sarah Ferris
Luke Figora
Jacob Gilbert
Rosie Gilbert
Nick Grommes
Randi Haskins
Nicholas Johnson
Jeffrey Joray

Justin Joray
Jeremy Kremer
Kelly Lemberg
Aimee Mak
Sarah Misner
Adam Nenne
Michalene Nevills
Brett Nielsen
Matt Olson
Lori Paradis
Alesia Perry

Megan Pocius
Andrew Radak
Amy Reisinger
Cheryl Robbins
Bob Schmidt
Rachel Sebby
Kari Seidelman
Yasmeen Shamsuddin
Brooke Skeen
Stephanie Smith
Amy Stewart

Luke Teausaw
Jeremy Thorud
Jayme Tutor
Jacob Underwood
Timothy Van Cleave
Justin Watson
Michael Weeks
Kristin Williams
Matt Woodin
Charles Worley