



The Royal Review



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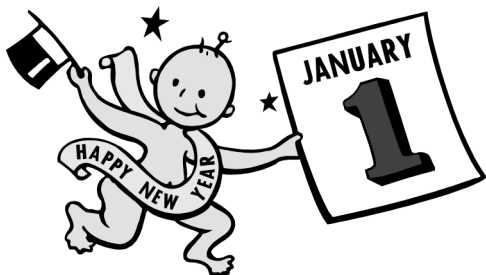
HAPPY NEW YEAR to each and every one of YOU! I trust everyone had a Merry Christmas and enjoyed spending time with your families. As we enter into a new year I wanted to remind you of a few dates regarding our upcoming events:

Band Parents Meeting-January 17, @ 7:30 PM in the band room. Spring trip payment of \$100 is due on or before this date. If you have not made your previous payments please get these in to Mrs. Mersiovsky or have your child place the payment in the safe in Ms. Schoelwer's office.

Winter Drumline-Payments are due. Please submit your payment to Mrs. Mersiovsky or have your child put the payment in the safe in Ms. Schoelwers office.

Again, I hope 2006 is a prosperous year and I wish you each much happiness and good health.

Karen



CONGRATULATIONS to the following students for their awesome district auditions! You all make Courtland proud.

Symphonic Band:

Laura Haynes* (3rd flute), Mary Bowman (10th flute), Becky McKnew* (1st clarinet), Candace Deshler* (5th clarinet), Stephanie Lawrence (11th clarinet), Jennifer Eudailey (16th clarinet), Jenna Bryant (4th oboe), Drew Makovsky (4th alto sax), Nick Sam* (1st trumpet), Blake Merrill* (4th trumpet), Matt Presser (8th trumpet), Craig Moebus* (2nd trombone), Chris Pharo* (1st euphonium), Kassie Thompson (3rd euphonium), Owen Puffenburger (4th tuba), Chris Askew (6th tuba)

Concert Band:

April Mummau (piccolo), Kristin Teeple (clarinet), Paul Mersiovsky (tenor sax), James Bolen (french horn), Ryan Rodriguez (trumpet), Jeremy Thruston (trumpet), Amanda Kau (mallets), Michelle Cooksey (snare)

*All-State eligible. Complete results can be found at CFBand.org.



Band Parent's Meeting
Tuesday, January 17 at 7:30 PM

Treasury News

Well, as usual, there is good news and bad news. The good news is that we are in good financial condition. The fundraising has gone well this year, so we have met our budget on income. The bad news is that we still have some students who are behind in their payments. If you are behind in any dues payments, you are not allowed to sign up for other RBMB activities, including signing up for marching band next year. So please get those payments in. We are an old band and, as such, have a great list of needs for the band that we would like to be able to help out with, such as new and refurbished instruments.

Remember, the total dues for marching band was \$325, and another \$25 for the Basket Bingo opt out fee if you did not participate in selling tickets.

Spring Trip payments of \$100 each should have been made for December, and January's payment is due on Tuesday, January 17, the night of the band parents' meeting.

Winter Activities dues are a total of \$150, or \$200 if you were not already a member of the CBPA. Remember to turn in your December and January payments!

If there is ever a financial hardship that causes you to not be able to get in your payments, please call me or email me and we will work something out. We are here for the kids, and want them all to be able to participate.

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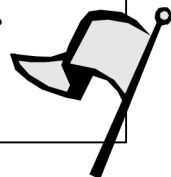
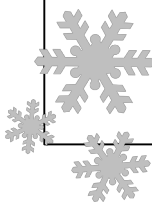
*Congratulations to
Mr. and Mrs. James Sibley
upon their recent
marriage. .*

*We wish you both many
blissful and blessed years.
Welcome to the RB family,
Donna!
We love you Mr. Sibley!*



Winter Activities

**Winter Guard and Winter
Drumline payments are
due January 24.**



**DISTRICT BAND
February 3rd & 4th
Riverbend High School**

Beauty and the Beast pit is now
rehearsing.
Tuesdays and Thursdays from
2:30-4:30

DUES PAYMENTS

All marching band dues should have been paid by now. If you have not taken care of these please speak with Lynda Mersiovsky **ASAP!**

Spirit Night

Join us for Spirit Night at
Fuddrucker's
Wed. Jan 25th 6-9 PM

Winter Drumline Competition Dates

February 18th – Alexandria, Va
March 4th - Richmond, Va
March 18th - Springfield, Va
April 1-2 – Raleigh, NC

Coming soon!
RBMB 1st ANNUAL
GOLF TOURNAMENT
April 3, 2006
Watch for details.

Festival Dates to Remember

Concert Band Rehearsals:

- ◆ Feb 21st 6:30 PM
- ◆ Feb 28th 6:30PM
- ◆ March 7th 6:30 PM

Symphonic Band Rehearsals:

- ❖ Feb 6th 6:30 PM
- ❖ Feb 13th 2:45 PM
- ❖ Feb 27th 6:30 PM
- ❖ March 6th 6:30 PM

PRE-FESTIVAL CONCERT

March 1st 7:00 PM

FESTIVAL

****March 10th and 11th****

Winter Guard Competition Dates

Jan 28th – Powhatan, Va
Feb 25th – Richmond, Va
March 18th – Springfield, Va
April 1-2 – Raleigh, NC