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Jamey Aebersold, guest artist, with the OU Jazz Faculty
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- Honor Band & Choir Festival – January 9-11, 2009
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- Honors Jazz Bands Festival – February 19-20, 2009
Matt James, Ernie Bastin & Michael Parkinson, directors
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- Ohio University Opera Theater – April 23, 2009 Richard Crist, director
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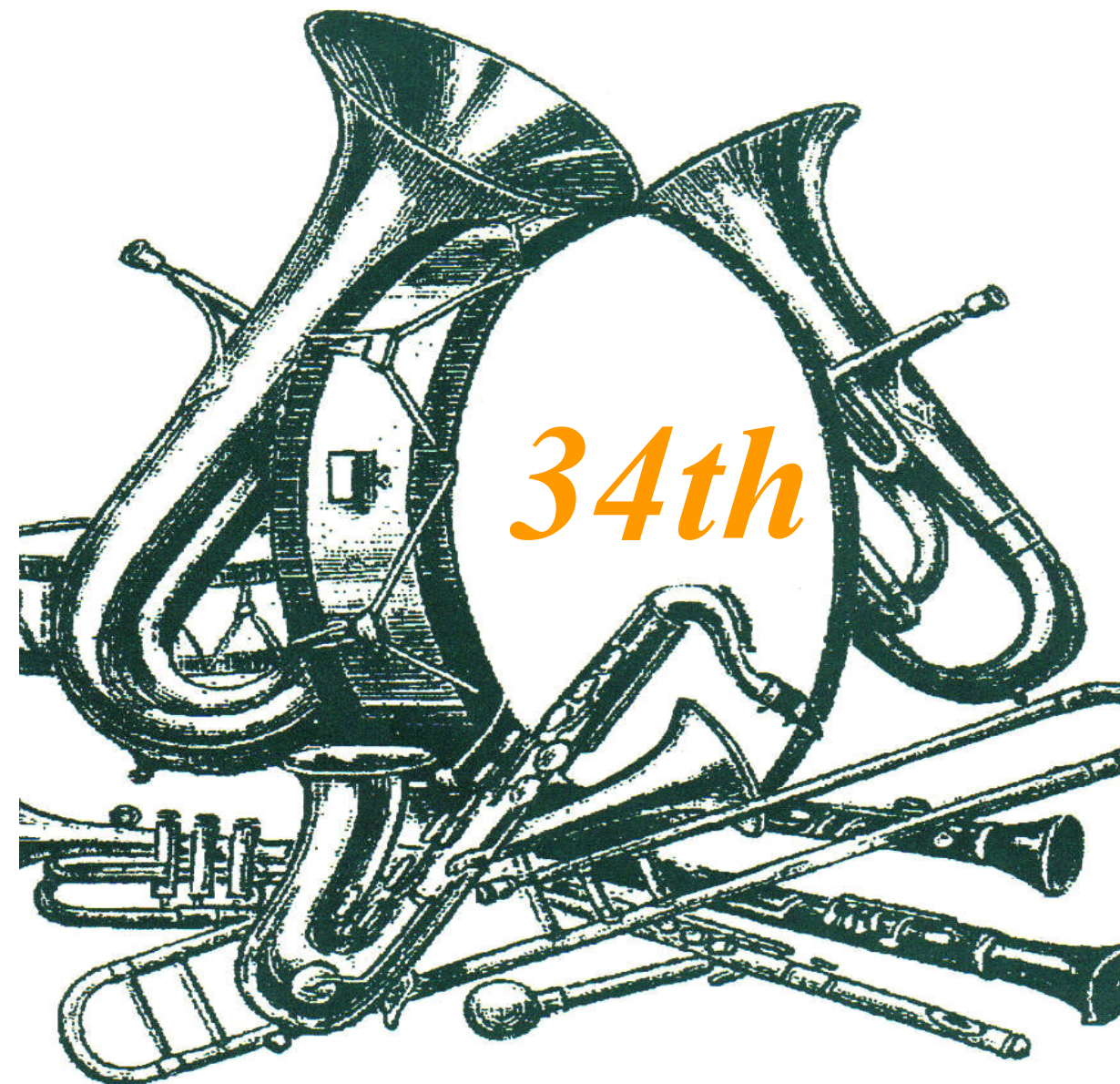
- Monday, February 16, 2009
- Saturday, February 21, 2009
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Athens Invitational Marching Festival
Saturday, October 11, 2008
9:45 am
Rutter Field ~ Athens High School



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We wish best of luck to all of the bands. May you have the best performance of the season thus far! To all the families, friends and other spectators, you are in store for a day of wonderful marching and music making. We hope you enjoy it!

Sincerely,

Sarah Labovitz and Brandon Lias
Directors, Athens High School Band

The Athens Invitational Marching Festival
is a joint event sponsored by:
Athens Kiwanis Club, Downtown Kiwanis Club,
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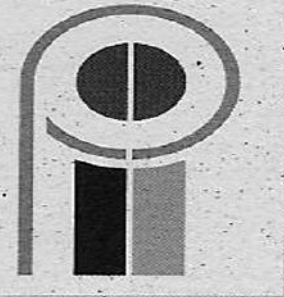
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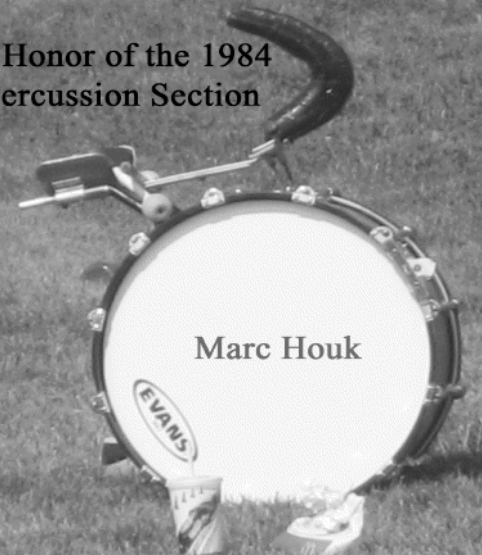


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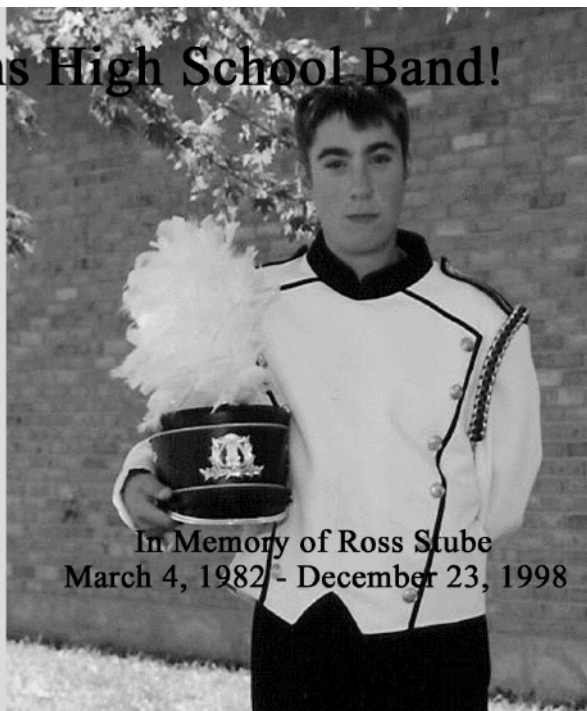
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**9:45 AM Flag Raising Ceremony
 Boy Scout Troop 71**

10:00 AM Federal Hocking Marching Band

Class: C
Band Size:
Director: Carissa Patton

Show Info

*Early 1960's Rock Show including "Gimme Some Lovin'",
"Hit the Road Jack", "Turn Turn Turn", and "You Really Got Me".*

**10:15 AM Fort Frye High School Cadets
 "Mission Impossible"**

Class: C
Band Size: 18
Director: Dennis Ullman
Staff: Instructional Staff Casey Mercer and Percussion
Instructor Adam Luthy

Show Info

*This year's show is "Mission Impossible". The Cadets take the Field
in a non-stop drill to the up beat jazz band selection "New Orleans Gumbo"
followed by the hit from the TV show and the movies "Mission Impossible".
The Cadets close their show with another jazz band original selection,
"Feelin' the Funk".*

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10:30 AM Trimble High School Marching Band
“A Journey Through Time”

Class: C
Band Size: 16
Director: Heidi Humphrey
Assistant Director: Shelly Rose
Percussion Instructor: Matthew Sutton
Band Assistant: Brian Wik

Show Info
Repertoire: All Star
Paralyzer
Through the Eyes of Love (Theme from Ice Castles)
Come Sail Away

10:45 AM Nelsonville-York High School “Buckeye”
Marching Band
“The Heroes of Rock”

Class: C
Band Size: 52
Directors: Terry Robb, Janice Paris
Auxiliary Instructor: Charlie Smith
Field Commander: Brandon Wolf

Show Info
Repertoire: Slow Magic
Black Magic Woman
Paranoid
Frankenstein

11:00 - 11:15 AM Judges Break

11:15 AM Alexander Marching Spartans
“Jazz Show”

Class: B
Band Size: 28
Director: Matt Burgio
Assistant Directors: Greg Sigman and Ken Oehlers

Show Info

This year the Marching Spartans bring you music from their Jazz Show including “Abracadabra”, “Birdland”, and “Harlem Nocturne”.

11:30 AM Vinton County High School Marching Viking Band
“The Music of Styx”

Class: B
Band Size: 43
Director: Paul Hogue
Assistant Director - Steve Burns
Staff: Majorette Advisor - Patsy Shively , Flag Advisor -
Debbie Graham, Assistant Advisor - Jennifer Shively

Show Info

*Show includes: “Grand Illusion ” and “Renegade”
“The Best of Times” and “Too Much Time on My Hands”
Featuring Travis Truax on trumpet and Rachael Hughes on flute
“Come Sail Away” featuring Rachael Hughes on flute and
Beth Burns on trumpet*

1:00 PM Marietta High School Wall of Sound
“Fusion”

Class: AA
Band Size: 80
Director: Ernest L. Cornell

Show Info

The opening movement, Overture, is a short fanfare based loosely on Irish dance rhythms and melodies. This leads to an urban jazz scene in one of Harlem's clubs. The final movement, Fusion, is a literal combination of rock, funk, swing, and classical in a contemporary setting that is intense and

1:15 PM Athens High School Marching Band
“2008: A Space Odyssey”

Class: A
Band Size: 53
Performing in Exhibition
Director: Sarah Labovitz
Assistant Director: Brandon Lias
Percussion Instructor: Brett Conroy
Guard Instructor: Lauren Mayberry
Field Commander: Brynnie deLange

Show Info

*The Last Frontier
First Night Sky
Others
Heroes*

12:15 - 12:45 PM Lunch Break

12:45 PM Warren Local Marching Warriors
“Heartbeat”

Class: A
Band Size: 115
Director: Brett Robinson
Assistant Director: Roma Newman
Guard Instructor: Steve Collins
Staff: Eric Staats, Aaron Offenberger, Connor Lynch,
and Katie Shields
Drum Majors: James Houck, Julia Houck

Show Info

*The 2008 Warren Local Marching Warriors show is entitled “Heartbeat”
by Ken Poulan, which is comprised of 3 movements called
“Adrenaline Rush”, “Passionate Heart”, and “Heart Attack”.*

11:45 AM Wellston “Golden Rockets” Marching Band
“An Evening at the Opera”

Class: B
Band Size: 55
Director: Josh Willett
Assistant Director: Catherine McCall-Smith
Staff: Guard Advisor: Julie McLain,
Guard Instructor: Brain Bethel
Percussion Instructor: Tim Updike
Senior Field Commander: Malorie Fitch, Junior Field
Commander: Melissa Kinnamon
Guard Captain: Caitlyn Byler

Show Info

*Movements include:
Carmen Opener (from Carmen),
Nessun Dorma (from Turandot), and
Bacchanal (from Samson and Delilah)*

12:00 PM Bloom Carroll High School Marching Band
“The Music Of Elton John”

Class: B
Band Size: 80
Director: Stephanie Dinsmore
Assistant Director: E. Chris DeKay
Visual Design: Barry Canan
Musical Arrangements: Larry Kelly

