



2011 – 2012 Concert Season

Scott Schlup, Director

Concerts at Sue E. Wall Auditorium

Rehearsals at Mountain View High School Band Room and/or Auditorium

3500 Mountain Lion Drive, Loveland, CO 80537

The Mountain View High School Band Room is located on the south side of the high school; the door farthest to the west is the door to the band room. Auditorium access is also located on the south side of the building, the second door from the east.

Rehearsals run from 7:15 to 9:15 PM. Concerts begin at 7:00 PM.

Concert #1: October 23, 2011

Rehearsals: September 12, 19, 26, October 3, 10, 17 (October 17 will be at Rocky Mountain High School- joint concert with Boltz Middle School)

Concert #2: December 4, 2011

Rehearsals: November 7, 14, 21, 28

Concert #3: February 19, 2012

Rehearsals: January 9, 16, 23, 30, February 6, 13

Concert #4: April 15, 2012

Rehearsals: February 27, March 5, 19, 26, April 9

About Loveland Concert Band:

Loveland Concert Band is an adult, not-for-profit community organization. Members of the band do not audition to become members of the group. The requirements for joining are: 1) previous experience in high school and/or college band; 2) payment of yearly dues; 3) band members are expected to attend 80% of rehearsals for each concert.

Outreach Concerts:

****Loveland Concert Band normally performs two Outreach Concerts per year to encourage and motivate youths playing in school instrumental music programs to continue**

playing through high school and beyond. Outreach concerts for the 2011-2012 school year have not been scheduled yet. Usually, they are scheduled on Monday evenings. You will be notified when outreach concerts are scheduled.

Dues:

Membership dues are \$25 for the year or \$7.50 per concert. Dues are expected to be paid at the first rehearsal. Dues may be waived or reduced by recruiting businesses to advertise in the band concert program. Please read the advertisement section for more information.

Rehearsals:

Rehearsals are held at Mountain View High School, 3500 Mountain Lion Drive, Loveland. Rehearsals run from 7:15 P.M. until 9:15 P.M. and are held in the band room or on the auditorium stage. Access to both is located on the southwest side of the building.

Rehearsal requirement:

In order for the band to perform at its best, there is a rehearsal attendance requirement. Band members need to attend 80% of rehearsals in order to perform at the concert. This typically means that members need to be present at four out of five rehearsals. The band asks that members adhere to the rehearsal requirement and if a member is unable to attend enough rehearsals they voluntarily remove themselves from the concert. Please let section leaders and Loveland Concert Band President know if you need to remove yourself from the concert.

Concerts:

Sunday concerts- will be held at the Sue E. Wall Auditorium located at Mountain View High School. Concerts begin at 7:00 P.M. Set-up time is normally 5:30 P.M. Call time for each concert varies and is announced at the final rehearsal before each concert.

****Monday concerts-** are held at different locations. These concerts are our Outreach Concerts. The band travels to various middle and high schools in the area performing with the school band and promoting instrumental music as a life-long enjoyment. The location and time for warm-up for each Outreach concert will be announced during rehearsals.

Concert dress:

Men- Concert Black: Black tux, white tux shirt, black bow tie, black socks and black shoes.
Women- Concert Black: Solid black floor length or mid-calf length black dress or black dress slacks and black top and black shoes.

Music:

Music belongs to Loveland Concert Band. It is your responsibility as a band member to return the music after the concert(s). If you are unable to perform a concert and have

music it is your responsibility to return it within 24 hours of the concert. Please contact your Section Leader to return music.

Advertisers:

Advertisers help Loveland Concert band meet financial obligations. A portion of our concert programs is reserved for advertising. Various sizes and price ranges are offered at a reasonable cost. Advertisers get the word out about what they do and the band benefits, as well. Please read on for information regarding dues reduction when band members bring in advertising.

Dues reduction:

Band members are able to benefit from a partnership with advertisers by recruiting them to purchase space in the concert programs.

- 1) For band members purchasing a personal business card sized ad or larger, dues are waived.
- 2) For band members bringing in two business-card size ads or one larger size ad for the four concert regular season dues are waived.
- 3) For band members bringing in one business-card size ad for the four-concert regular season dues are reduced by 50%.

Section leaders:

Section leaders will introduce themselves to you at the first rehearsal. Please make them your first point of contact when you have questions or concerns. Section leaders are responsible for distribution and collection of music. Please make sure you return music at the end of each concert to your section leader. Section leaders will also help during rehearsals and may give directions particular to your instrumental section during rehearsals.

Band Member Privacy:

It is the policy of the Board of Directors of Loveland Concert Band that all personal information belonging to band members is kept private. The band does not share its member list with any other group. Personal information is not given to individuals. Band members' residence address, e-mail address and phone number is not given out.

Volunteering:

As with all organizations there are always many details that need to be addressed and many jobs that need to be done. Your help is greatly appreciated. From helping to set-up before rehearsals and concerts to tearing down after those events; bringing in ads; working on a committee; to bringing as many people as possible to concerts. Your help is needed and the band thanks you in advance.

Board of Directors:

Loveland Concert Band is governed by a Board elected by band members. The Board is responsible for maintaining the “health” of the band and upholding the original mission of the band.

Here is the Board for 2010 – 2011Season

President, Eileen Street, 970-226-1283

Vice-President, Mike Stabnow

Treasurer, Dave Clark

Secretary, Scott Burnworth

Historian, Lee DeSimone

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Equipment, Jim Wright

Personnel, Jim Wright

Member-at-large, Kathy Gustad

Player availability for concerts:

You are welcome to play in all four of the concert season concerts or one, two or three. Please fill out a reservation form and return it to Eileen Street via e-mail: (e-mail is preferred) Leenpat@frii.com or by US Postal Service: Eileen Street, 813 Winter Court, Ft. Collins, CO 80526.

Please call President, Eileen Street with any questions or for further information at 970-226-1283. You may also e-mail Eileen at Leenpat@FRII.COM

We are looking forward to your participation in the 2011 – 2012 Concert Season!