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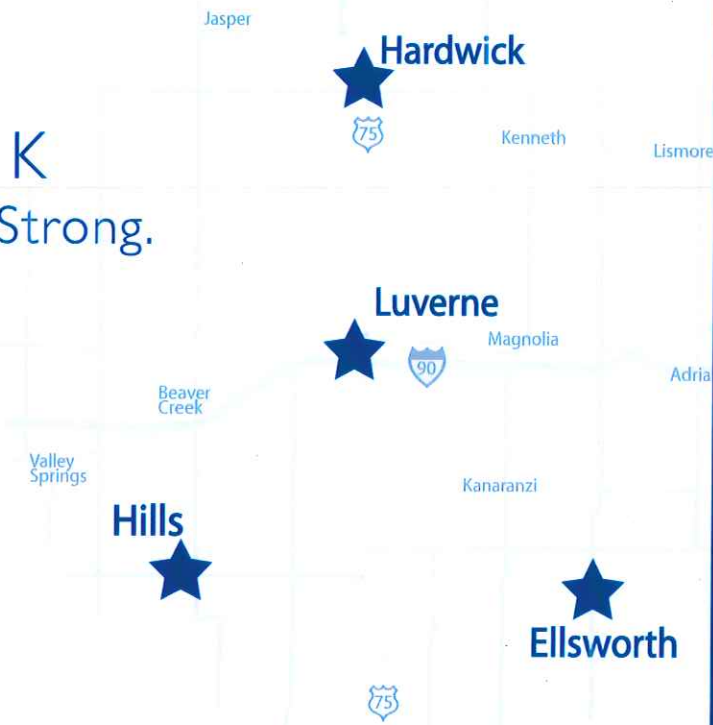
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Welcome. . to Luverne, Minnesota and the 62nd Annual Tri-State Band Festival!

The Tri-State Band Festival Committee is honored to welcome you to our "hometown" as we celebrate 62 years of high school marching competition.

The standards of excellence that mark this festival are the results of strong partnerships with the Band Festival Committee, City of Luverne, Luverne Public School, Luverne Area Chamber,

Rock County, Business Community and Citizens.

The thousands of hours of work and preparation that go into this event are the keystone of Tri-State's success. It takes a community to make an event a great experience for 2,500 high school band students, directors and the public.

The Tri-State Band Festival

Committee remains true to the original purpose of this festival. Sixty-two years ago, a group of passionate citizens pledged to create a marching and field competition that would be a educational experience for student musicians. We are proud to carry out this tradition through the hard work and dedication of everyone in the Luverne community.

*Let the drums roll...let the trumpets sound...
let the flags fly...and strike up the bands...*

**FOR THE 62nd ANNUAL TRI-STATE BAND FESTIVAL
September 29, 2012!**

TRI-STATE BAND FESTIVAL COMMITTEE:



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3rd row:

Dale Nelson, Jack Bennett, Evan Verbrugge

4th row:

Gavin Folkestad, Derek Boeve, Mike DeBates, Marc Boelman

Not Pictured:

Marilyn Van Grootheest, Tyler Woods, Keith Graber, Carrie Overgaard, Vice Chair, and Tyler Reisch



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CLASS A:

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Trophies in the
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competition

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1st & 2nd Place
Trophies in the
parade & field
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CLASS AAA:

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*The 2012 Tri-State Band Festival is honored to award
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Each band in the 2012 Tri-State Band Festival competition are true champions as they demonstrate the hard work and dedication that they put into the development of their marching and field performance. The Committee and the citizens of the community congratulate each and every high school band for sharing their "best" with us today. The Festival is honored to present each participating band with a custom-made "PARTICIPATION AWARD" for sharing their talents with us today!

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outstanding percus-
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the music execution
ballot

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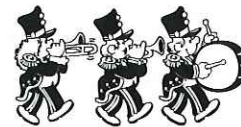
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conducting and
leadership skills,
musicality, and the
content/demand of
the music performed

K. M. GETMAN ORIGINATORS AWARD:

This award is presented to the band who has demonstrated throughout their participation in the Tri-State Band Festival: *pride, spirit, enthusiasm, friendliness and unity*. The Getman award, judged by the members of the Tri-State Band Festival Committee, represents the grand history of this festival that was created in 1951. Dr. Ken Getman and the other originators of this festival worked to create an annual event that would enhance high school band performance by sharing ideas, innovations, and education through competition. The high standards laid down in 1951 to further band music performance in the tri-state region remain the focus of the Band Festival Committee today. This prestigious award is given in honor and in dedication to these grand principles of excellence.



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2012 Tri-State Band Festival Parade Marshals Glen's Coffee Clique LAST MAN CLUB

The Tri-State Band Festival is proud to announce the 2012 Parade Marshals as the members of Glen's Coffee Clique LAST MAN CLUB. All of these men served our country in WWII and have since formed close alliances by meeting every afternoon at Glen's Food Center in Luverne for coffee. They share stories, tell jokes, reminisce, provide support & encouragement and strengthen the 70 some odd years of friendship that they have shared.

In 1945-1946, these brave men returned home from active duty in WW II. They were not greeted with sound of trumpets and the snare of drums. They returned home on the train, bus or by hitch-hiking a ride. After two to four years of a horrible war, they wanted to move on with their lives and they did. They helped to build and create the greatest nation in the world and that is why they are called "THE GREATEST GENERATION."

Today the Band Festival Committee is honored to give them their due...a parade in their honor. THE 62ND TRI-STATE BAND FESTIVAL PARADE celebrates their service and sacrifice. We also honor the friendship that they share daily as members. We ask to come together to express of appreciation for this group of WWII veterans representing all WWII veterans who are served this great nation.

In their official membership booklet it states:

"Lest we forget..."

This Last Man Club is founded by WWII veterans, members of what has been called the "Greatest Generation." Some may call us heroes, but we are just common men who were called to defend our country and our flag, the symbol of the hopes and dreams of our people. We were willing to sacrifice even our lives to preserve the American way of life – freedom, justice, and opportunity for all – for future generations. We enjoy these freedoms over coffee every afternoon, visiting and sharing



* Photo courtesy of The Star Herald

stories and laughter (in English, of course; we're glad we didn't have to learn German or Japanese) and we remember and honor our comrades-in-arms – the special fraternity of America's veterans who served from the opening of hostilities on December 7, 1941 until the final victory on September 2, 1945."

The founding membership is comprised of the WWII veterans who meet daily for coffee at Glen's Deli in Luverne. The Club was formed from individuals in Luverne who were invited to a coffee party at the Governor's Mansion in St. Paul, MN at the invitation of First Lady Mary Pawlenty held on August 8, 2005.

Lawrence Akkermann (deceased)
Raymond (Ray) Anderson
Robert (Bob) Anderson
Theodore (Ted) Anderson (deceased)
Harvey Ball (deceased)
Jake Boomgaarden
M.R. "Big" Carrigan (deceased)
George Gabrielson (deceased)
Earl Glaser

Floyd Gomebel (deceased)
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J. R. (Bob) Juhl (deceased)
Leroy Luitjens
Charles Mann (deceased)
Lawrence Overgaard (deceased)
Darwin Rogness (deceased)
Raymond (Ray) Slieter (deceased)
Russell (Russ) Swenson
Robert (Tim) Tangeman (deceased)
Conrad Tofteland
Gerrit (Casey) Van Engelenhoven
William Veenhof (deceased)

The Tri-State Band Festival Committee asks you to join us in honoring the members of the LAST MAN CLUB. Put your hands together to thank and honor them for their sacrifice. When you see them on the street, hold out your hand and tell them how much you appreciate all that they did and what they have given up to allow us to live in the **HOME OF THE FREE & LAND OF THE BRAVE!**



LUVERNE MIDDLE SCHOOL MARCHING BAND

The Luverne Middle School band, under the direction of Tyler Woods has 53 members in grades 7 and 8. They have been participating in the Luverne Tri-State Band Festival since 1960. We are proud and honored to act as hosts for the Tri-State Band Festival again this year.

DIRECTOR: Tyler Woods

PARADE MUSIC: Keeper of the Flame by Larry Barton

Luverne School District Welcomes You!!!

The Luverne Public Schools...students, teachers and administrators...would like to welcome you to the 62nd Annual Tri-State Band Festival.

We welcome you to our community and to our school facility.

The Luverne Public Schools are a reflection of our community's continued efforts to provide our students with quality educational opportunities and excellent scholastic facilities. We strive to challenge our students to grow and develop into adults who will be ready for the opportunities that life brings to each of us. We feel that education needs to prepare youth for post-secondary

education, military service, community service and the world of work. Our staff members, our parents and our students are second to none.

Without their commitment and the support of the community – we would not be able to boast about the success of our students and our educational programs. Our graduates continue to support our school through the Luverne Education Foundation and our local Dollars for Scholars program.

Each year the Luverne Public School looks forward to working with the Tri-State Band Festival Committee to help put together a remarkable day of music and marching together. We thank the

members of the Tri-State Band Festival Committee and the Luverne community for making this day possible.

As you experience this 62nd Annual Tri-State Band Festival...we hope that you enjoy these performances as much as we do! We hope you have an enjoyable and memorable day!

Gary L. Fisher
Superintendent
Luverne Public Schools





LUVERNE HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BAND

DIRECTOR:

Tyler Woods

ASSISTANT DIRECTORS:

Gavin Folkestad - Color guard

Caitlin Storm

DRUM MAJORS:

Dustin Deutsch

Brooke Thielbar

COLOR GUARD**LEADERS:**

Katie Eeten

Bethany Hup

Aimee Moss

SOLOIST:

Joey Vajgrt - trombone

PERCUSSION**LEADERS:**

Scott Nelson

Kira Graber

MUSICAL SELECTION:**PARADE NUMBER:** "Distorted" – Benoit Jutras arr. Dawson**FIELD PERFORMANCE:** "Chasing the Storm" – arranged by Andrew Hall

- "Storm Front" – Darren Jenkins

- "Second Storm: Ivan" – Robert W. Smith

- "Eye of the Storm" – Larry Neeck

- "Chasing the Storm" – Billy Madison

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 355**BAND MEMBERS:** 76

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Last year, the Luverne High School Marching Band received a variety of third and fourth place awards throughout the season. This year, they will compete in Waseca, MN, Brandon, SD, Sioux Falls, SF, and Orange City, IA. They are also the host band for the Tri-State Band Festival in Luverne, MN. The Luverne High School Marching Band also represented the state and community in the Bristol, Rhode Island Fourth of July Parade in the summer of 2011.

National Anthem

The Tri-State Band Festival Committee is honored to have the Luverne High School Cardinal Marching Band open the 2012 Field Competition with their performance of our National Anthem.

The Luverne High School Marching Band is under the direction of Tyler Woods. This wonderful group

of high school band students... support, perform, and participate in all aspects of the Tri-State Band Festival as Host Band.

We thank them for their salute to our nation!





SIBLEY-OCHEYEDAN MARCHING GENERALS BAND

DIRECTOR:
Peter Carlson

ASSISTANT DIRECTORS:
Kelly Jacobsma – Assistant Director
Luci Ferrin – Winds Technician
Gretchen Juber – Marching Technician
Maria Olvera – Guard Technician
Kaitlyn Van Tilburg

DRUM MAJORS:
Ashley Lemke
Shelby Wollmuth

COLOR GUARD LEADERS :
Jeanna Kruger
Kristen Witt

PERCUSSION LEADERS:
Jurnea Harberts
Shannon Michelson
Kenzie Schindler

SOLOISTS:
Nathan Kraayenbrink - trumpet
Alyssa Hibbing, Shelby Wollmuth - soprano sax;
Jonna Kruger and Kristen Witt - colorguard

MUSICAL SELECTION:
PARADE MUSIC: "Give Me Everything"
FIELD MUSIC: "Advent-ageous"
I. The Call
II. Stille Nacht
III. Unto Us

BAND MEMBERS: 81
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 209

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS 2011:

Pursuit of Excellence – 2nd Place Crimson Class (Best Brass)
Tri-State Band Festival – 1st Place Parade & Field - Class A (Best Winds, Auxiliary, Drum Majors, KM Getman)
Big Sioux Review – 2nd Place Field – Class 3A (Best Drum Major)
Festival of Bands – 1st Place – Parade, 3rd Place Field – Class 2A
Iowa State Marching Festival – Division I Rating – Class 2A
Dutchmen Field Championships – 1st Place – Class 2A (Best Guard)
Quad State Marching Competition – 2nd Place Field - Class 2A (Best Winds, Drumline, Drum Majors)

*Good Luck to all
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WEST LYON MARCHING WILDCATS BAND

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

The Marching Wildcats are proud to be one of the longest running competitive field bands in the State of Iowa with over 4 decades of experience behind them. The band consistently earns top honors at competitions in Minnesota, Iowa and South Dakota. Membership is open to all instrumentalists in grades 9-12, as well as additional color guard members. The Marching Wildcats are just one part of a comprehensive music curriculum offered at West Lyon. The West Lyon School District draws students from the towns of Alvord, Inwood, Larchwood and Lester.

Contests this year include: The Pursuit of Excellence in Marshall, MN; Tri-State Band Festival in Luverne, MN and IHSMA State Marching Contest in Sheldon, IA.

MUSICAL SELECTION**PARADE NUMBER:**

"From the Earth to the Moon"
Kitty Hawk by Gary Gilroy

FIELD NUMBER:

"From the Earth to the Moon"
- Kitty Hawk by Gary Gilroy
- A Sea of Clouds by Gary Gilroy
- Orbital Velocity by John Hearnes
- Apollo 11 by Gary Gilroy

DIRECTORS:

Bradley Sexe
Lynette Wedeking

ASSISTANT**DIRECTORS:**

Jeff Robillard – Drill
Jessica Jensen –
Guard Instructor and
Choreographer
Samantha Gilbertson –
Guard Instructor
JoAnn Hoogendoorn –
Guard Instructor and
Marching Band Assistant
Larissa Van Beek –
Guard Instructor

DRUM MAJOR:

Cassidy Koedam

TRUMPET**SOLOIST:**

Weston Knobloch
(A Sea of Clouds)

SCHOOL

ENROLLMENT: 210

BAND MEMBERS: 45

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LENNOX ORIOLE PRIDE MARCHING BAND

DIRECTOR:
Tyler Nettetstad

ASSISTANT DIRECTORS:
Byron Youngquist: Assistant
Alaina Meyer: Colorguard Assistant
Austin Murra: Percussion Assistant

DRUM MAJORS:
Joe Hendrickson
Josh Beukelman

SOLOIST:
Katie Odland - Flute

**PERCUSSION
LEADER:**
Carl Lang

**COLOR GUARD
LEADERS:**
Katie Wipf
April Lackas
Carissa Wunder
Taylor Wentz

MUSICAL SELECTION:

PARADE MUSIC: Night Watch, composed by Jay Dawson

FIELD MUSIC: "A BEAUTIFUL NIGHTMARE"

Set to original music by Jay Dawson, the 2012 Oriole Pride Marching Band show "A Beautiful Nightmare" explores a dream world where the imagery is captivating, still the overall feeling is uneasy.

The first movement, with its dark motives, fast paced tempo, and scattered odd meters forces the dreamer to frantically navigate feelings of sheer terror. As the second movement develops, haunting melodies make way to an exotic groove, where the dreamer is slowly rendered helpless at the hands of the nightmare. A feeling of tranquility consumes the dreamer as the energetic third movement makes way to a new day. Gently, the dreamer's eyes open. Was it a sweet dream, or a beautiful nightmare?

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN 2011:

2nd Place - Class AA - Parade & Field - Tri-State Band Festival

1st Place - Class A - Field - Big Sioux Review

5th Place - Class AA - Field - Festival of Bands

3rd Place - Class AA - USD Quad State Marching Competition

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 285
BAND MEMBERS: 58

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COLOR GUARD LEADERS:
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Charity Raak

PERCUSSION LEADERS:
Andrew DeJongh
Shelby Van Den Berg

SOLDISTS:
Jamie Mora - Piccolo
Miranda Schildhouse-
Trumpet
Julie Schuiteman
Paige Sandbulte
Charity Raak
Claire Tea
Paige Sandbulte
Kaitlyn Mouser
Courtney Woelber - Flag



AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The Sioux Center Warrior Band has previously participated in the Tri-State Marching Festival, the University of South Dakota Quad State Marching Festival, and the Iowa High School Music Association State Marching Band Festival. The band is consists of 30 wind players, 10 colorguard, and 9 percussion members. This year's show is entitled Wicked, from the Broadway Musical. Members of the band are highly active in the school. Students in the ensemble also participate in choir, show choir, volleyball, cheerleading, cross-country, football, FFA, key club, and many other activities that our school has to offer.

FIELD MUSIC: "Wicked"
Music from the Broadway Musical arranged
by Richard Saucedo

FIELD MUSIC INFO: No One Mourns
the Wicked, Dancing Through Life, Defying
Gravity, For Good, No Good Deed, No One
Mourns the Wicked (reprise)

BAND MEMBERS: 50

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DJ Bones & Morgan Van Zee –
Percussion Tech
Sam Bialas, Abby Klumb & Katie
Hahn – Winds Tech

DRUM MAJORS:
Katie Murtha
Ethan Murtha

**COLOR GUARD
LEADERS:**
Becca Kroeger
Brianna Kroeger

**PERCUSSION
LEADER:**
Tanna Waltman

SOLOISTS:
Kyle Hohn – trumpet
Andrew Schnabel –
trombone

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 158

BAND MEMBERS: 69

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Third Place Field Competition at the Tri-State Band Festival; Third Place Field Competition at the Big Sioux Review; First Place Field Competition at the Festival of Bands; Second Place Field Competition at the Dutchman Field Championships; First Place Field Competition, Outstanding Horn Line, Outstanding Drum Line and Outstanding Colorguard at Quad State Marching Festival

FIELD MUSIC: “Candide Suite”

- Part 1 – Overture;
Best of All possible worlds:
Westphalia Choral and Battle Scene
- Part 2 – Glitter and be Gay
- Part 3 – Make our Garden Grow

RESULTS FROM - TRI-STATE BAND FESTIVAL 2011

PARADE

CLASS A-1 Adrian High School, MN
CLASS A Sibley-Ocheyedan HS, IA
CLASS AA Stewartville HS, MN
CLASS AAA Worthington HS, MN

FIELD

CLASS A Sibley-Ocheyedan HS, IA
CLASS AA Pipestone Area HS, MN
CLASS AAA Brandon Valley HS, SD
CLASS AAAA SF Roosevelt HS, SD

K.M. GETMAN AWARD: Sibley-Ocheyedan HS, IA
OVERALL SWEEPSTAKES TROPHY: Brandon Valley HS, SD

CLASS A:
OUTSTANDING WIND: Sibley-Ocheyedan HS, IA
OUTSTANDING PERCUSSION: Lennox HS, SD
OUTSTANDING AUXILIARY: Sibley-Ocheyedan HS, IA
OUTSTANDING DRUM MAJOR: Sibley-Ocheyedan HS, IA

CLASS AA:
OUTSTANDING WIND: Pipestone Area HS, MN
OUTSTANDING PERCUSSION: Pipestone Area HS, MN
OUTSTANDING AUXILIARY: Pipestone Area HS, MN
OUTSTANDING DRUM MAJOR: Pipestone Area HS, MN

CLASS AAA:
OUTSTANDING WIND: Brandon Valley HS, SD
OUTSTANDING PERCUSSION: Brandon Valley HS, SD
OUTSTANDING AUXILIARY: Brandon Valley HS, SD
OUTSTANDING DRUM MAJOR: Brandon Valley HS, SD

CLASS AAAA:
OUTSTANDING WIND: Roosevelt HS, SD
OUTSTANDING PERCUSSION: Roosevelt HS, SD
OUTSTANDING AUXILIARY: Roosevelt HS, SD
OUTSTANDING DRUM MAJOR: Roosevelt HS, SD



DIRECTOR:
Nick Sittig

DRUM MAJOR:
Hope Goode

**COLOR GUARD
LEADER:**
Melaine Sittig

**PERCUSSION
LEADER:**
Kyle Wigg

**SCHOOL ENROLLMENT
(GRADES 9 - 12):** 155

BAND MEMBERS: 56

BAND INFORMATION

(INCLUDING PAST AWARDS AND APPEARANCES):

- Sweepstakes For Instrumental Program at Heritage Festival in Chicago, IL 2012.
- 1st in Concert Band at heritage Festival in Chicago, IL 2012.
- Outstanding Brass, Percussion and Woodwind Ensemble at Heritage Festival in Chicago, IL 2012
- Spirit of Chicago Award from Heritage Festival.

PARADE MUSIC TITLE:
"Soul Man"


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Lindsey Ganske
Monica Pillatzki
Audrey Souza
Courtney Trapp

MUSICAL SELECTION:
PARADE MUSIC:
"Party Rock Anthem"

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 310
BAND MEMBERS: 92

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS:
Milbank High School Marching Bulldogs has participated in the 2010 and 2011 Festival of Bands in the street competition in Sioux Falls, SD. Milbank has participated yearly in the Waubay Marching Band Festival in Waubay, SD.

Good Luck

Adrian Dragons Marching Band
in Tri-State Band Competition!



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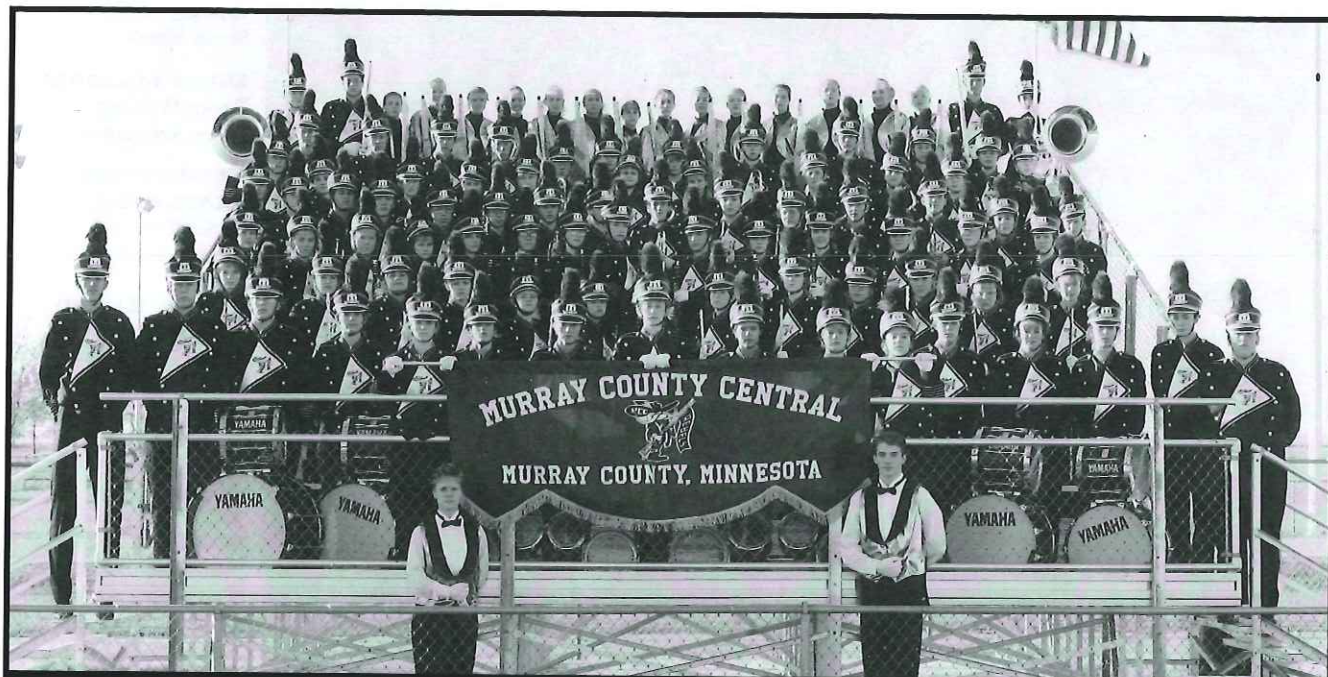
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Katie Gillette
Janese Siedschlag

**DRUM
MAJOR:**
Joseph Petersen

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 218
BAND MEMBERS: 77

MUSICAL SELECTION:

PARADE MUSIC: "LaFiesta Del Tigre"
An original Latin March by Michael Story.

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: 2009 traveled to Orlando, Florida and marched in the Disney World Parade. 2010 – 1st Place at Tri-State Band Festival and 2nd Place at Festival of Bands in Sioux Falls, SD. 2011 – 2nd Place at Tri-State Band Festival and 3rd Place at Festival of Bands in Sioux Falls, SD. In 2013 traveling to New York in June and performing at Vandercoat University in Chicago and the Intrepid Museum in New York City.

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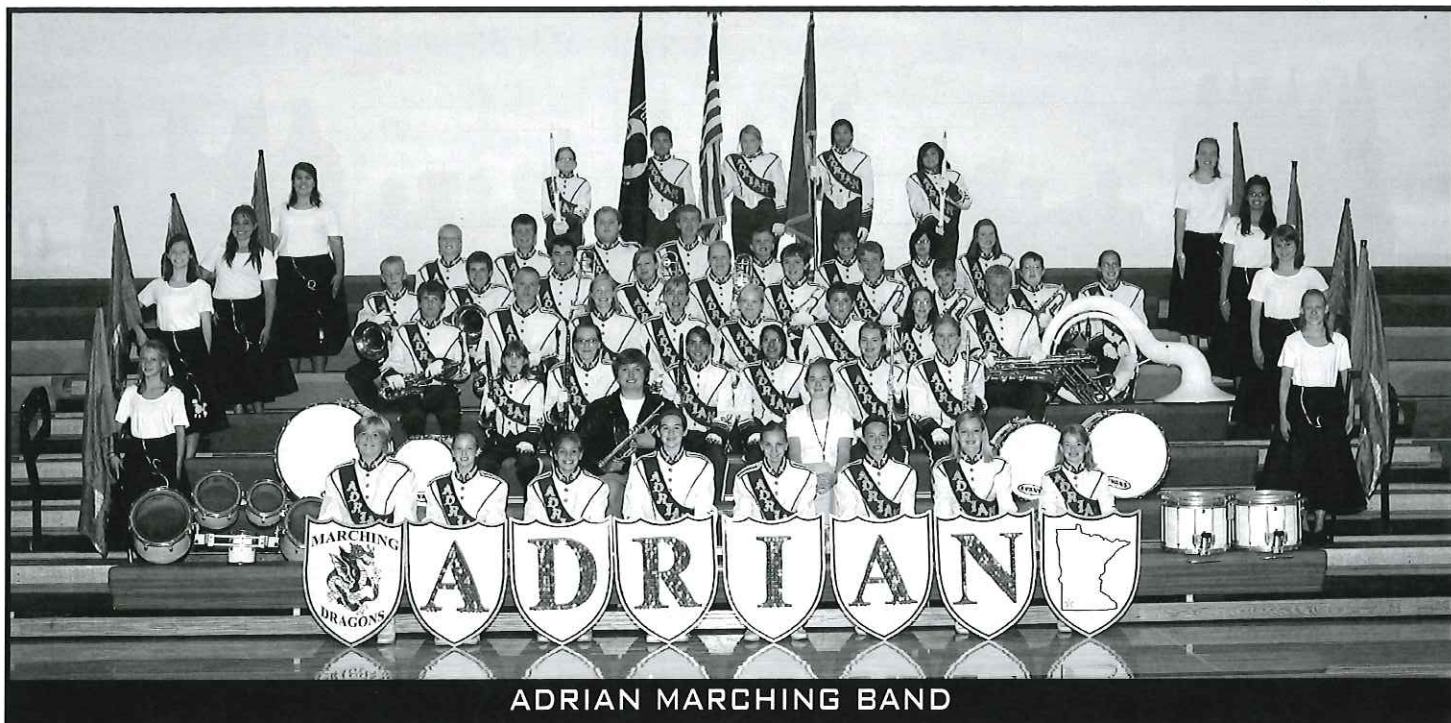
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ASSISTANT DIRECTORS:
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Kayla Cox - Color Guard

DRUM MAJOR:
Natalie Cook

SOLOIST:
Nick Lorang

COLOR GUARD LEADERS:
Brooke Echter
Amber Preuss

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 145

BAND MEMBERS: 71

MUSICAL SELECTION:

PARADE MUSIC: "Highlights from Wicked!" Music arranged by Stephen Schwartz

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The Adrian Dragon Marching Band has received honors and awards at parades all around the area, including 1st place at last year's Tri-State Band Festival. Their new show featuring "Highlights from Wicked" will be sure to excite the audience and judges!

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DRUM MAJOR:
Kaylee Van Voorst

**PERCUSSION
LEADERS:**
Randy Boon
Austin Brands

BAND INFORMATION:
The Boyden-Hull Comet Marching Band has participated in the festival for several years.

PARADE MUSIC:
The Final Countdown- Words and Music by Joey Tempest
Arranged by John Higgins published by Seven Doors Music

The Final Countdown is a classic rock tune from the 80's easily recognizable because of it's use as a sport's theme.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 193

NUMBER IN BAND: 38

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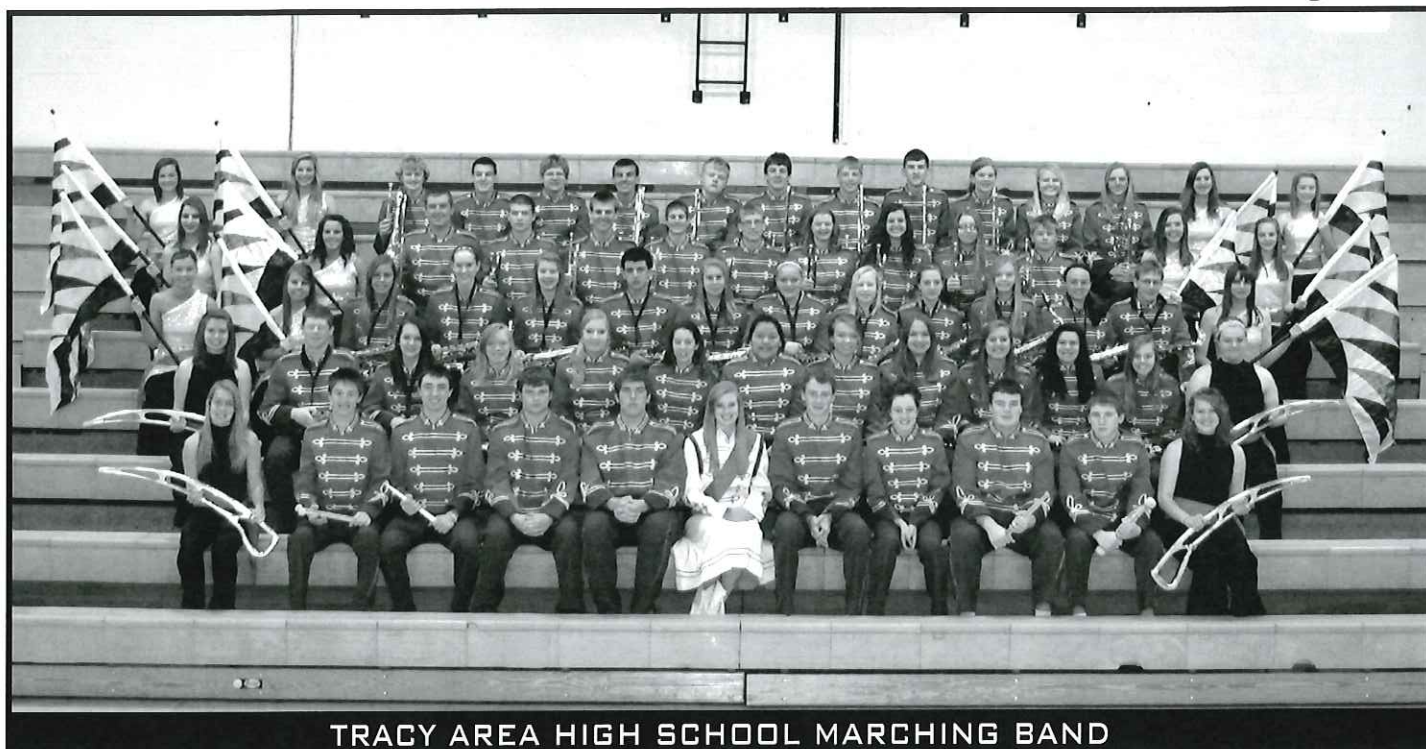
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TRACY AREA HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BAND

DIRECTOR:
Chris Miller

ASSISTANT DIRECTORS:
Katie Olafson -
Flag Corps Director

DRUM MAJORS:
Cassie Hook
Anna Peterson

PERCUSSION LEADERS:
Eric Minett
Tanner Benson

COLOR GUARD LEADER:
Galiya Bitton

BAND INFO AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The Tracy Area High School Marching Band has participated in the Tri-State Band Festival for the past 50 years. The band has placed consistently in the top three in its class for many of those years including the past five years.

MUSICAL SELECTION:
PARADE MUSIC:
"Dynamite"

This selection is a top 40 hit by Taio Cruz.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 262
BAND MEMBERS: 68

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DIRECTOR:
Steve P. Olson

DRUM MAJORS:
Jaden Carlson
Nate Baatz

ASSISTANT DIRECTORS:
Colorguard Advisor – Ellen Germain
Drumline/Frontline Instructor –
Spencer Kruse
Assistant Drumline Instructor – DJ Bones
Brass/Woodwinds Arranger – Jeremy Hegg
Percussion Arranger – Marques Eckhoff
Drill Design – Shane Macklin
Colorguard Routine – Julie Fettes

COLOR GUARD LEADERS:
Ellen Germain – Colorguard Advisor
Natalie Scotting – Colorguard Captain

PERCUSSION LEADERS:
Drumline & Frontline Instructor
– Spencer Kruse
Assistant Drumline Instructor
– DJ Bones

SOLOIST:
Zach Ploeger - Trumpet

PARADE MUSIC: “This Is Danny Elfman”

PARADE MUSIC:

Includes melodies from “Tales From The Crypt”
“The Nightmare Before Christmas” and “Beetlejuice”
Music by Danny Elfman
Brass & Woodwind Arranger – Jeremy
Percussion Arranger – Marques Eckhoff
Colorguard Routine – Julie Fettes

FIELD MUSIC INFORMATION:
TITLE: “Wonderland”

The 2012 Pipestone Area Marching Arrows field production is entitled “Wonderland.” This five-part story takes us on a journey with Alice as she falls through the rabbit hole into Wonderland. She encounters the eccentric, but friendly Mad Hatter. The menacing Red Queen receives word of the prophecy of an “Alice” taking over her kingdom. Feeling threatened, the Red Queen and her assistant, the Knave of Hearts, pursue Alice. With the help of the Mad Hatter, Alice evades the Red Queen and Knave drinking a magic shrinking potion, making her vanish to the naked eye. The frustrated Red Queen declares war on the White Army, led by the Mad Hatter. As the Red Army and White Army battle, Alice reappears leading the White Army to victory. Thus, the prophecy is fulfilled and the Red Queen and Knave are exiled from Wonderland.

BAND BIO:

The Pipestone Area Band Program is located in Pipestone, MN, which serves the communities of Pipestone, Jasper, Ihlen, Woodstock, and a number of other towns in the Southwestern Minnesota area. The Pipestone Band program provides a comprehensive band program that includes the Award Winning “Arrow Marching Band”, Symphonic Band, Jazz Bands, Pep Band, and other musical ensembles.

The Marching Arrows have a tradition of excellence, known throughout the Mid-West region of the United States. The Arrows have earned hundreds of trophies in the last 20 years, competing in festivals in Minnesota, South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, and other nearby states. The Marching Arrows also travel extensively, having performed in Washington D.C., Florida, the Tournament of Roses Parade in California, and the Portland Rose Festival in Portland, Oregon.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT (9-12): 344
NUMBER IN BAND: 45

BAND INFORMATION (including past awards and appearances):
2011 Awards:

1st Place Field Gold Class – Pursuit of Excellence
1st Place Field Class AA Field – Tri-State
1st Place Field Class A – Big Sioux Review
Qualified Finalist & People’s Choice Award (Parade) – Festival of Bands
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Mr. Danny Eye

DRUM MAJORS:
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Isaac McMahon
Emma Froke

**PERCUSSION
LEADER:**
Nick Shumaker

**TRUMPET
SOLOISTS:**
Garrett Miles
Liz Renner

**COLOR GUARD
LEADER:**
Lauren Goetsch

MUSIC SELECTION: I Know You Want Me/Llorando Se Fue by Jay Dawson
PARADE MUSIC: American Spirit by Jeremy Hegg & Danny Eye
FIELD MUSIC: Miami Nights
El Cumbanchero by Jay Dawson Evil Ways; arr. Jay Dawson; Novus arr. Jay Dawson;
I Know You Want Me/Llorando Se Fue arr. Jay Dawson

Their 2012 Show Titled, Miami Nights, Will Take You Downtown Miami To Celebrate The Diverse Culture Of Music.

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AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

The West Central Marching Trojans performed in Bristol, RI representing South Dakota in our nation's oldest 4th of July parade in 2011.

2011 Awards: King Turkey Days Parade - 1st Place Parade, Outstanding Colorguard, Outstanding Drumline
Tri-State Band Festival - 3rd Place Parade and FieldBig Sioux Review - 2nd Place Field, Outstanding PercussionFestival of Bands - 4th Place Parade River City Band Festival - 1st Place Parade, 1st Place Field, Outstanding Colorguard, Outstanding Drum Majors

**ASSISTANT
DIRECTORS:**

1. Amanda Beck - Colorguard Instructor
2. Matt Tims - Front Ensemble
3. Amy Tucker - Colorgurad Choreography
4. Shane Macklin - Drill

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT (9-12): 370
NUMBER IN BAND: 65

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1st Place _____

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1st Place _____

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Class AAA

1st Place _____

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Class AAAA

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2nd Place _____

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PARADE ORDER

Luverne Middle School

..... HOST

Sibley-Ocheyedan A

West Lyon..... A

Lennox..... A

Garretson A-1

Milbank A-1

Murray County Central... A-1

Adrian A-1

Boyden-Hull A-1

Tracy Area A-1

Pipestone AA

West Central..... AA

Stewartville AA

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12:25 pm National Anthem by Luverne High School Marching Band

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FIELD ORDER			MUSIC EXECUTION - Overall how well the band plays including: expression, balance, timing, tempos and etc...	MARCHING & MANEUVERING EXECUTION - Lined up straight, body posture, confidence, poise & discipline.	GENERAL EFFECT - MUSIC Artistry, spirit and emotion - difficulty of music & variety	MARCHING & MANEUVERING - Formation of designs & patterns - show of spirit & professionalism	PERCUSSION - EXECUTION & ANALYSIS using the same techniques, enhance the music overall - how difficult are the drum parts	COLOR GUARD - creativity & originality in routines, in sync, emotion throughout routine and body posture	YOUR SCORE	JUDGE'S SCORE
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1:30	LENNOX	A								
1:45	PIPESTONE	AA								
2:00	WEST CENTRAL	AA								
2:15 - 2:30 CLASS A-1 & A AWARD CEREMONY & JUDGES BREAK										
2:30	O'GORMAN	AAA								
2:45	BROOKINGS	AAA								
3:00	BRANDON VALLEY	AAA								
3:15	MITCHELL	AAA								
3:30	MADISON	AA								
3:45	ROOSEVELT	AAAA								
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THE JUDGES:

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Jessica Honsey

DRUM MAJORS:
Nikki Skifton
William Miller

**COLOR GUARD
LEADER:**
Jerri Hansen

**PERCUSSION
LEADER:**
Aaron Simmons

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 540
BAND MEMBERS: 60

ASSISTANT DIRECTORS:

Rachel Beaver and Ashley Hoffman, colorguard
Marilyn Yennie, woodwinds
Hannah Christie, brass
Jason Hansen and Josh Pierick, drumline

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Have received 1st, 2nd and 3rd place awards at the Waseca Marching Classic, 3rd place at the Luverne Tri-State Band Festival, and 3rd place at the Sioux Falls Festival of Bands in parade, and have taken 4th place trophies in field competition.

MUSICAL SELECTION:

PARADE MUSIC: You Can Call Me Al
Written by Paul Simon, arr by Jay Dawson

Have competed at the Waseca Marching Classic since 2001, Luverne Tri-State Band Festival in 2004 (consistently since 2008), and the Sioux Falls Festival of Bands since 2006. The band program also received numerous awards at the Fiesta-val music festival in Williamsburg, VA in 2008 including outstanding soloist and 1st place for Parade and Concert Band performances. The band most recently traveled to Chicago in April of 2011.

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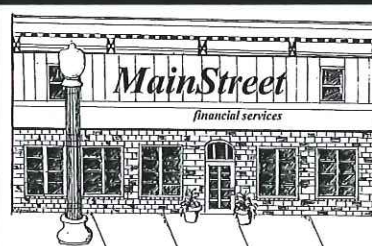
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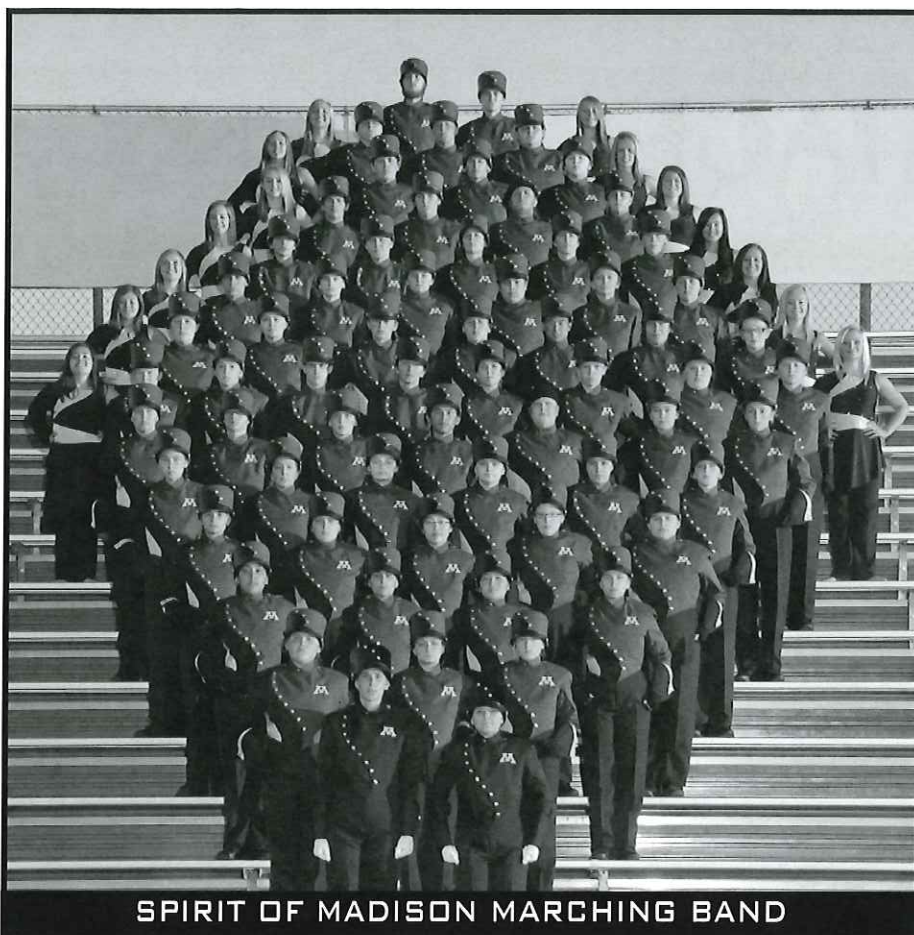
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Nicky Tisdall
Abi Johnson

COLOR GUARD
LEADER:
Clare Schubert

PERCUSSION LEADERS:
Jordan Heim
Cody Warns

BARITONE SOLOISTS:
Gabe Richards (L-I-K-E)
Jackson Richards (Creep)

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 325
BAND MEMBERS ON THE FIELD: 80

MUSICAL SELECTION:
FIELD PERFORMANCE
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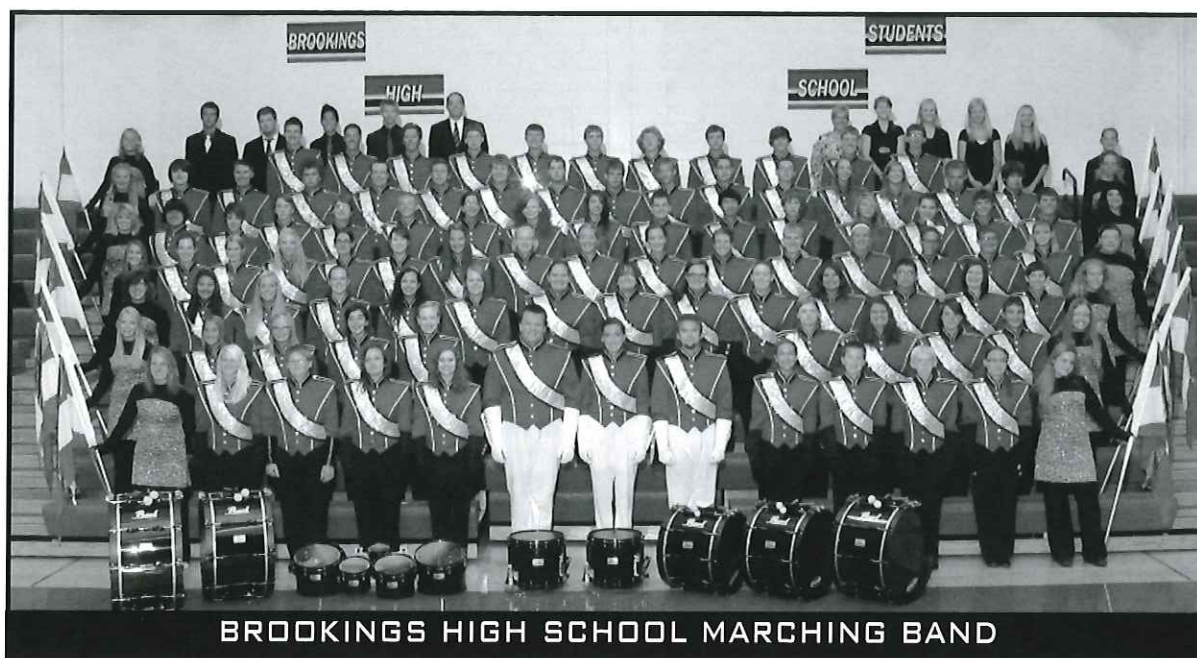
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Rebecca Olive

PERCUSSION CAPTAINS:
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Carson Vanduch
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2012 MARCHING BAND STAFF:

Jeremy Hegg – Music Writer and Arranger	Shane Macklin- Drill Design
Ethan Helder - Color Guard Instructor	Dr. Aaron Ragsdale – Percussion book
Holly Horst - Color guard Assistant	Anthony Bierstadt – Percussion Head
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Kayla Burns-Marching tech	Shane Holmquist- Drum line Tech
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FIELD COMMANDERS:
Jackie Meyer, Senior
Matt Rhodes, Senior
Tyler Hartman, Junior

SOLOISTS:
Doug Schultz
Allee Siver
Antoine Bagget
Luke Stratmoen
Amanda Cecil
Andrew Hildebrant
Sam Timmerman
Preston Parker

2012 PARADE SEQUENCE: Washington Post and Semper fidelis March by John Phillip Sousa, Espana and Sirocco by Bob Cotter, arranged by Ron Stary, drum book by Dr. Aaron Ragsdale. Drum cadences by Anthony Bierstedt

2012 SHOW MUSIC

REPERTOIRE: Original music & show based on the Novel and Hit Movie “The Hunger Games”. Original music and arrangements by Jeremy Hegg, Drill Design by Shane Macklin, Percussion Book by Dr. Aaron Ragsdale, Concepts by Ron Stary. 1.) Dark Panem 2.) Tribute Song 3.) Hunger games final battle and firebird finale. Drill Design by Shane Macklin, Percussion book by Dr. Aaron Ragsdale.

2012 MARCHING APPEARANCES – Minnesota State Fair, Worthington-Minnesota, Waseca-Minnesota, Luverne Tri-State Band Festival, Brandon Valley Big Sioux Review, Chester Lake Area Parade, Sioux Falls Festival of Bands, Chamberlain- River City Festival, Dutchmen-Orange City-Iowa, SDSU - Hobo Days-Brookings, East Central Arlington Parade.

JUNIOR DRUM MAJOR Tyler Hartman talks about the Bobcat band: “The amount of dedication and family bonding that is showing is truly amazing. We have an amazing program and staff. This years’ season will end with our heads held high knowing that we did the best we could!”

JUNIOR DRUM MAJOR Jackie Meyer says “It’s extremely rewarding to see the band work so hard, because we know that for every hour of practice we put in, we will benefit when we actually get to perform. Our band is filled with a talented group of hard working musicians, and I’m excited to see what the competition season has in store for us. We’re anxious to go out and portray the story of the Hunger Games to our audiences, and have a blast doing it!”

2012 marks the third year of the BHS band program under the direction of Mr. Ron Stary. Last year the band traveled to New York State, competing in Parade, Jazz Band, and Concert Band receiving overall sweepstakes awards. Brookings High School has state of the art facilities, high placements at region contests, and strong participation in all-state music ensembles. This past spring, BHS Band had over 9 students obtain All-State Band status and 6 students make All-State Jazz. The Band program continues to get outstanding community and parental support, and access to great resources- like SDSU and their music department staff.

The Band students would like to sincerely Thank all their parents for their support, the Brookings school board, administrators, and our very own “BAND BOOSTERS” KEEP SUPPORTING MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS ANY WAY YOU CAN!

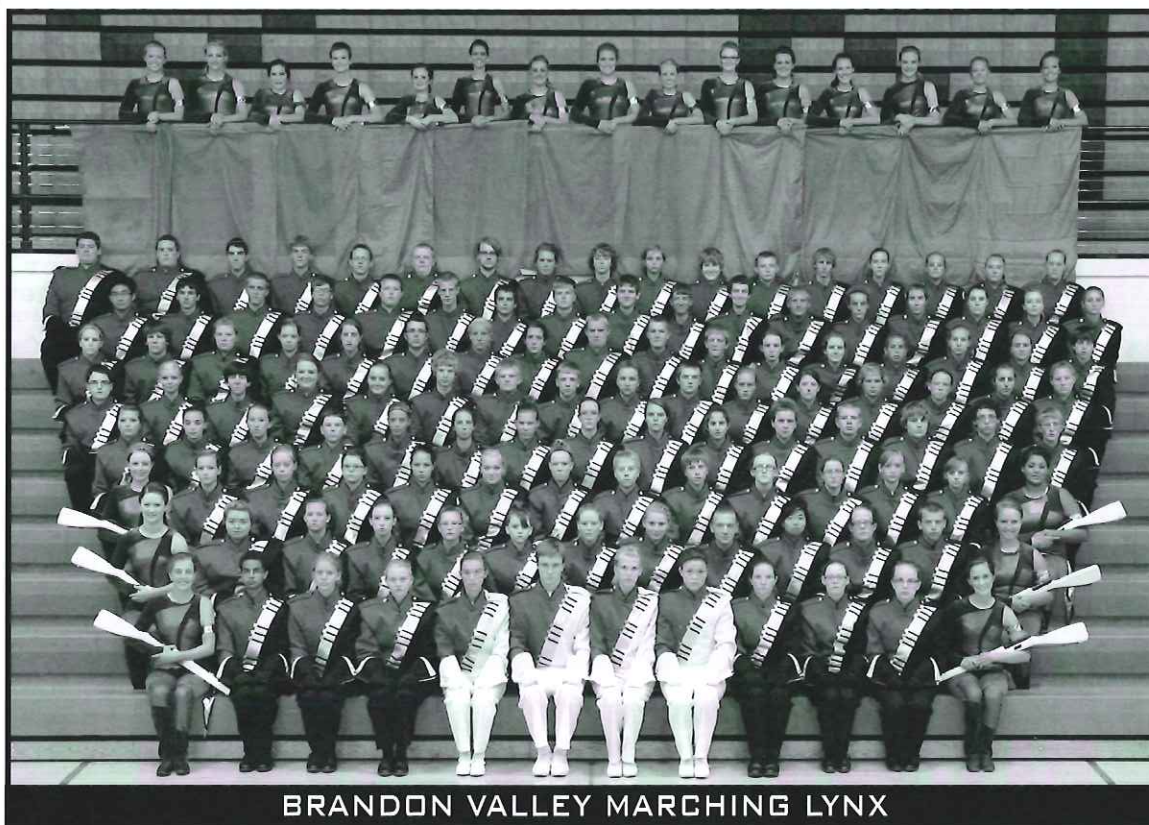
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 808

NUMBER OF BAND MEMBERS - 105

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Laura Baker

Ellie Lundin

VISUAL**DESIGNER:**

Shane Macklin

WIND COMPOSER/**ARRANGER:**

Jeremy Hegg

PERCUSSION**WRITER:**

Darin Olson

GUARD**CHOREOGRAPHER:**

Emily Savage

PARADE MUSIC:

"Appalachian Spring"

Written by Aaron Copland and arranged by Jay Dawson

COLORGUARD:

Melanie Sittig

Kristyne Walth

Kate Chambers

VISUAL STAFF:

Shane Macklin

Kaitlyn Hebb

PERCUSSION:

Steven Versaevel

Paige VanderWeide

Jared Goede

Jessica Goede

FIELD MUSIC: "Music for a Revolution"

The music of Dmitri Shostakovich

1.) "Festive Overture"

2.) "The Fire of Eternal Glory"

3.) "Symphony No. 5"

COMMANDERS: Megan Forster, Cole Hensley, Abigail Voigt, Kjerstin Williams**COLORGUARD SECTION LEADERS:** Jena Dreyer, Alexa Kruse**PERCUSSION SECTION LEADERS:** Kara Shroll, Cassie Onnen, Stephen Bakke

The Brandon Valley Marching Lynx continue their rich history of performing exciting, artistic, and entertaining field shows. This year the members of the Brandon Valley Marching Lynx are proud to present their show "Music for a Revolution," – the music of Dmitri Shostakovich.

In 2011, the band placed first in parade in their class at the Waseca Marching Classic and first place in their class on the field at the Tri-State Band Festival. The Marching Lynx were Grand Sweepstakes champions at the Waseca Marching Classic and the Tri-State Band Festival.

2012 appearances for the Marching Lynx will include The Waseca Marching Classic, The Tri-State Band Festival, The Big Sioux Review, The Festival of Bands, The Quad State Field Marching Band Competition, The Dutchmen Field Championship, and in December the Marching Lynx will represent their school, community, and state at the Gator Bowl in both Parade and Field Performances in Jacksonville, Florida.

The Marching Lynx are part of a comprehensive program that includes three concert bands, two jazz bands, and numerous solo and ensemble opportunities. In addition, several of the students from the Brandon Valley Marching Lynx have been selected for membership in the South Dakota All State Bands. Students and instructors of the Brandon Valley Marching Lynx would like to sincerely thank you, our great audience, and our school's administration and parents for their positive and generous support and appreciation of instrumental music and the performing arts programs at Brandon Valley High School.

SOLOIST:

Movement 1: Eden Burch, Mellophone

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 980**NUMBER IN BAND:** 142

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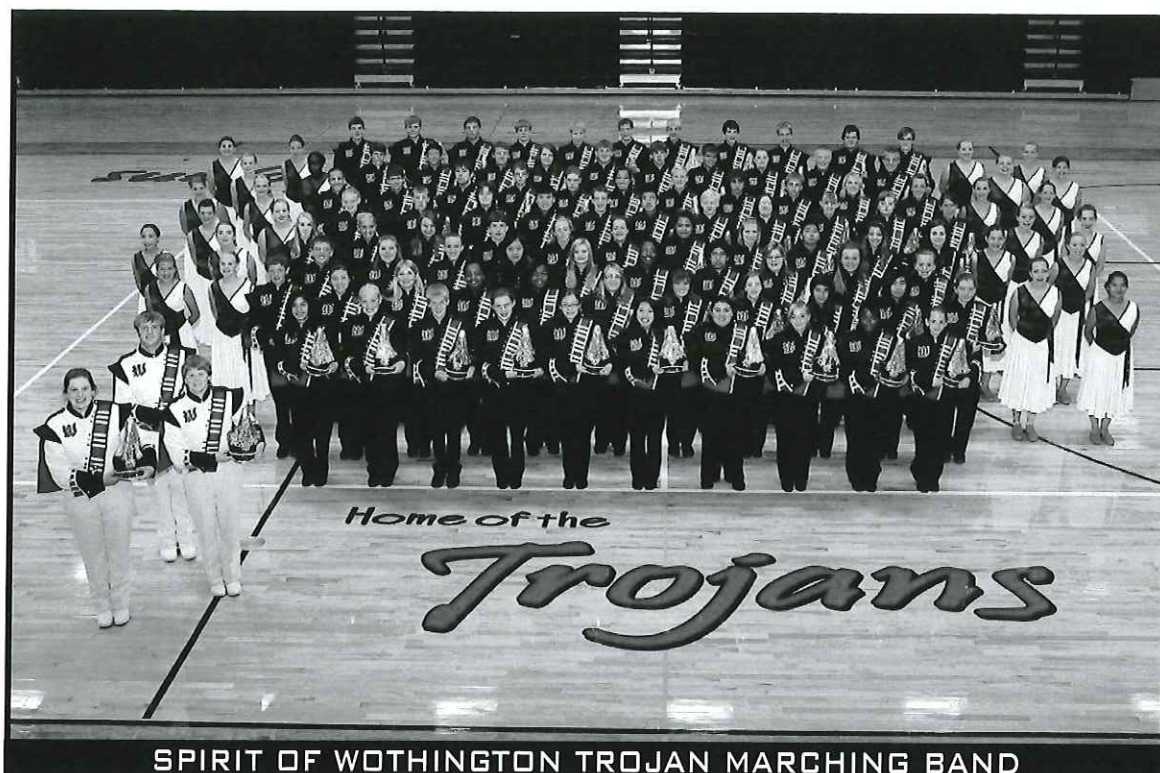
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AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: 1st Place Parade (Class 3A) & Parade Grand Champion @ Festival of Bands-Sioux Falls, SD; 1st Place Parade (Class 3A) & Parade Grand Champion @ Tri-State Band Festival- Luverne, MN; 1st Place Parade (Class 4A) & Mini-Field, Outstanding Colorguard & Parade Grand Champion @ River City Band Festival, Chamberlain, SD; 1st Place Parade (Class 1A), Outstanding Colorguard, Winds & Parade Grand champion @ Anoka, MN Halloween Parade. Host Band- King Turkey Day Parade, Worthington, MN; 2011 Featured Parade Band @ McDonald's Thanksgiving Day Parade in Chicago, IL.

2012 SUMMER/FALL PARADE SEASON: Battle of the Bands – Lake Crystal, MN; Wood Duck Festival- Fulda, MN; King Turkey Day Parade- Worthington, MN; Waseca Marching Classic- Waseca, MN; Tri-State Band Festival- Luverne, MN; Festival of Bands- Sioux Falls, SD; River City Band Festival- Chamberlain, SD; Anoka Halloween Parade- Anoka, MN; WHS Homecoming & Marching Band Indoor Concerts, Worthington, MN.

BAND BACKGROUND: The Marching Trojans are proud to represent the City of Worthington and Independent School District 518. Under the direction of Jon Loy, the 'Spirit of Worthington' Trojan Marching Band is part of a collaborative music program at WHS where students can participate in any of the 10-performance and non-performance based music classes currently offered including the award winning Worthington HS Concert Band, Concert Choir and Orchestra. The Trojans wish all bands today the very best!

MUSICAL SELECTION:**PARADE MUSIC:**

2012 Parade Show: "OVER THE ROOFTOPS" featuring the music of Mary Poppins, arranged by Jeremy Hegg. Percussion book by Matt Tims.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 760

BAND MEMBERS: 120

DIRECTOR: Jon Loy

BAND STAFF:**COLORGUARD**

Amanda Reif
Joe Cataneo

DRUMLINE

Matt Tims
Deann Naab

FRONTLINE

Jennifer Majerus

PROPS

Judie Johnson
Dale Solt
Bryan Brandt
Axel Wass

HISTORIAN

Lisa Schutte

HEAD CHAPERONE

Lisa Brandt

COMMANDERS:

Dillon Pedersen
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Alya Abourezk

COLOR GUARD LEADERS:
Corina Arnett
Katie Unzicker
Liz Foy

PERCUSSION LEADERS:
Tanner Groshens
Thomas Motz
Isaiah Lamb
Sage Anderson
Jeff Thormodsgard

TRUMPET SOLOISTS:
Zach Boone
Nate Williams
Bekkah Ridder

FIELD MUSIC INFORMATION:

The title of the show is "Portraits in Jazz." We will utilize aspects of Latin jazz, Swing music, and a touch of Caribbean music. Drill Design by Dan Carlson, Guard Choreography by Kaitlin Niles and Corina Arnett.

FIELD MUSIC TITLE:

"La Suerte de los Tontos, Things Ain't What They Used to Be"
"CC Conga, One More Time Chuck Corea"

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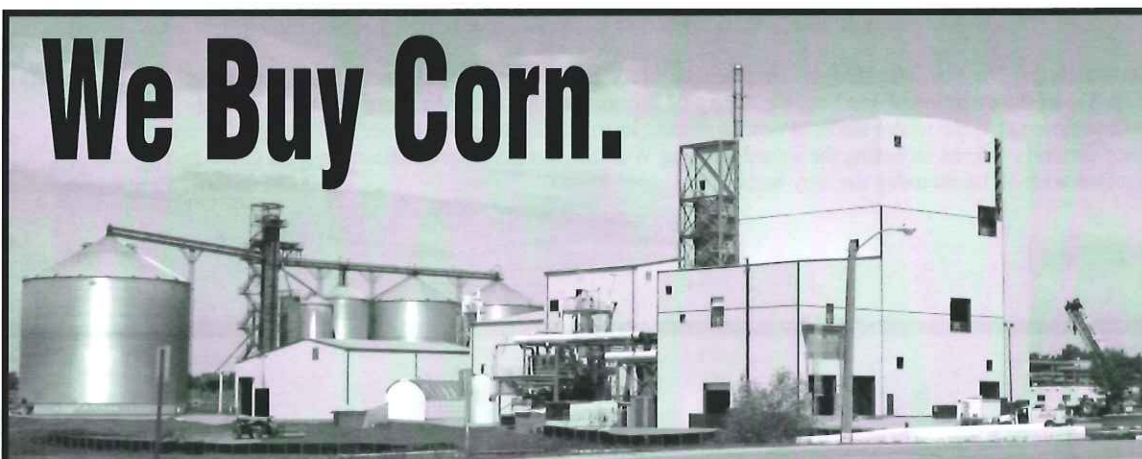
INCLUDING PAST AWARDS AND APPEARANCES:

The band attended the Disneyworld Light Parade on May 30, 2012. The Marching Knights were awarded Second Place at the Dutchman Championships in Orange City, IA in Class AAA in 2011.

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 740

NUMBER IN BAND: 30

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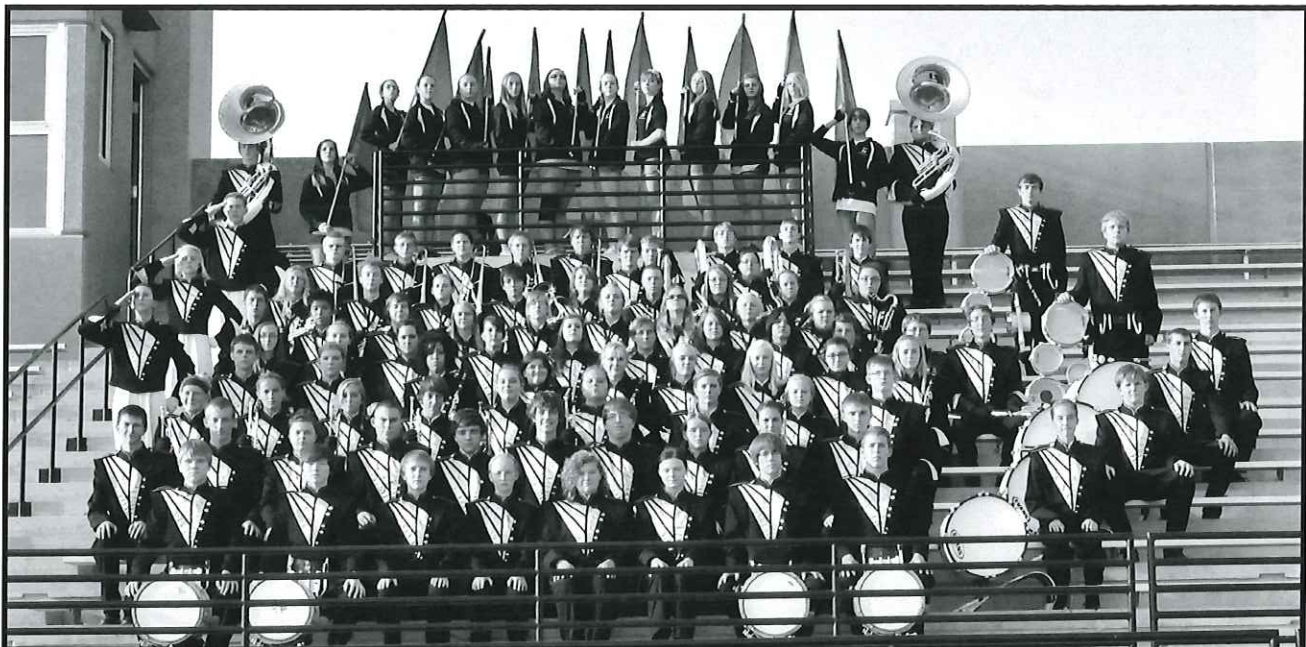


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Julie Van Gorp – Guard Advisor
Mike Sejnoha &
Chase Jamison – Percussion Advisors
Jeremy Hegg – Music Arranger
Pete Hansen &
Marques Eckoff – Percussion Arrangers
Kevin Carlson – Drill Writer

DRUM MAJORS:
Joe Morgan
Ellen Kenkel
Kendra Zirpel

SOLOISTS:
Peter Novak - alto
Gunnar Miller - trumpet

MUSICAL SELECTION:
FIELD MUSIC: "Desert Winds"
1) Desert Winds
2) Rhapsody
3) Bangkok
4) Tunisia

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 700
BAND MEMBERS: 100

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS: The Mitchell Senior High Marching Band competes annually in field and parade competitions in South Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa and Nebraska. Last year, the MHS Marching Band program made great strides by placing 2nd in their class at the Tri-State Band Festival in Luverne, MN, taking first place in the AAA division at the Big Sioux Review in Brandon, making finals at the Festival of Bands in Sioux Falls and taking first place in Orange City at the Dutchmen Field Championships along with winning best drumline, best hornline and best guard. The Mitchell High School Marching Band will be traveling to perform at Disney World in Orlando Florida in February. The Mitchell High School Marching Band, its parents and administration are proud to be performing for you tonight and would like to thank the Tri-State committee for the invitation!



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Brooks Bowman

ASSISTANT DIRECTORS:

Justin Speck – Flag Corps Advisor
Joey Lore – Technical Supervisor

DRUM MAJOR:

Jordan Crenshaw

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 2100

BAND MEMBERS: 68

MUSICAL SELECTION:**PARADE MUSIC:** "Americano"

Americano is a lively Latin hit performed by recording artist Gwen Stefano

BAND INFORMATION: The Cobbler Marching Band was honored to receive First Place Class AAAA Award in the 2009 Tri-State Band Festival Parade Competition!



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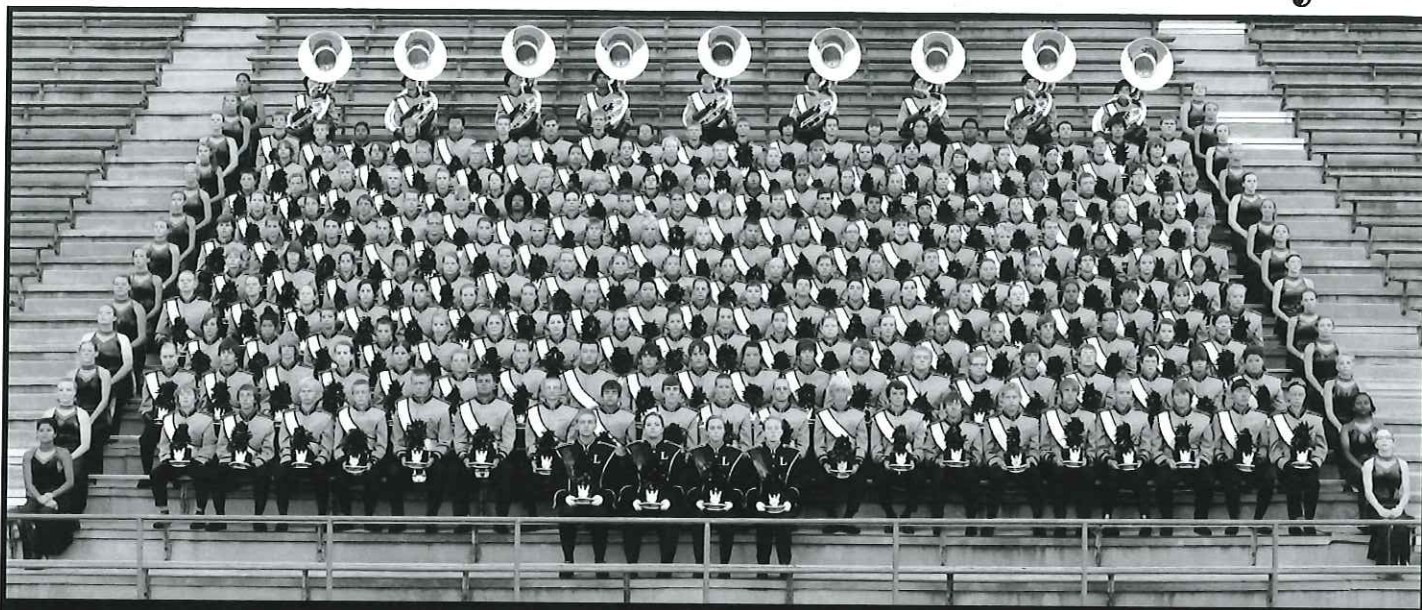
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DRUM MAJORS:

Carter Christensen
Rachel Nevin
Elizabeth Smorada
Kelsey Stotz

SOUND**TECHNICIANS:**

Mollie Baack
Sarah Mettler

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 2000

BAND MEMBERS: 250

SOLOISTS:

Clarinet: Laura Andrews
Trumpet: Michael Hoffman, Joslyn Clauson, Alex Herold, Seth Brick
Euphonium: Dan Knutson
Alto Saxophone: Henry Wei, Jared Olson Tenor Saxophone: Ben Gertner, Lilly Briggs
Colorguard: Carly Pederson, Greta Schultz, Maria Letcher, Becca Sittig, Kindra Slagle, and Ana VanRoekel

MUSICAL SELECTION:

PARADE MUSIC: "America the Beautiful"

FIELD MUSIC: "Out Of The Blue", arranged by Jeremy Hegg

Arrangements include: "Rhapsody in Blue, Blue Shades, Cool, and My Way"

THE 2012 STAFF INCLUDES:

Music Composer/Arranger: Jeremy Hegg
Drill Writer & Visual Coordinator: Kevin Carlson
Percussion Coordinator: Craig Spangler
Percussion Instructor: Pete Hansen
Colorguard Coordinators: Julie Fettes and Emily Savage
Flute Technician: Emily Anderson
Clarinet Technician: Kristin Jacobson
Saxophone Technician: Joel Shotwell
Trumpet Technicians: Scott Stearns, Eric Knutson, Lon Semansky (Suh-MAN-ski)
Mellophone Technician: Andrea Carlson
Low Brass Technician: Rolyn Bayrd
Percussion Technicians: Micah Jastram, Katie Thompson
Music & Visual Technicians: Mike Reed, Joe Waters, Ali Hoffman, Scott Stearns, Brian Haber, Nathanael Thompson, and Dallas Harder-Heinz
Body work Technicians: Mike Reed and Lexi Fox

AWARDS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

The Lincoln High School Marching Band has a long tradition of outstanding accomplishments. The band participated in the 1992, 1998 and 2005 Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena, California, and in just a few months will be performing in the 2013 Tournament of Roses Parade. The band also participated in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade in 1994 and 2000, and 2008. Along with these prestigious performances, the Lincoln Patriot Band has competed very favorably throughout the upper Mid-West, having won sweepstakes trophies at numerous local and regional competitions, including the sweepstakes trophies at the 2011 Sioux City 'Starfest' field competition, the 2011 'Valleyfest' showdown, and the 2011 Vermillion 'Quad State' field competition. The band has also won regionally undefeated in 2005 and 2006, having won the grand champion trophy at every competition into which they entered, and the drum line was regionally undefeated from 2001 to 2006, and in 2009 through 2011.

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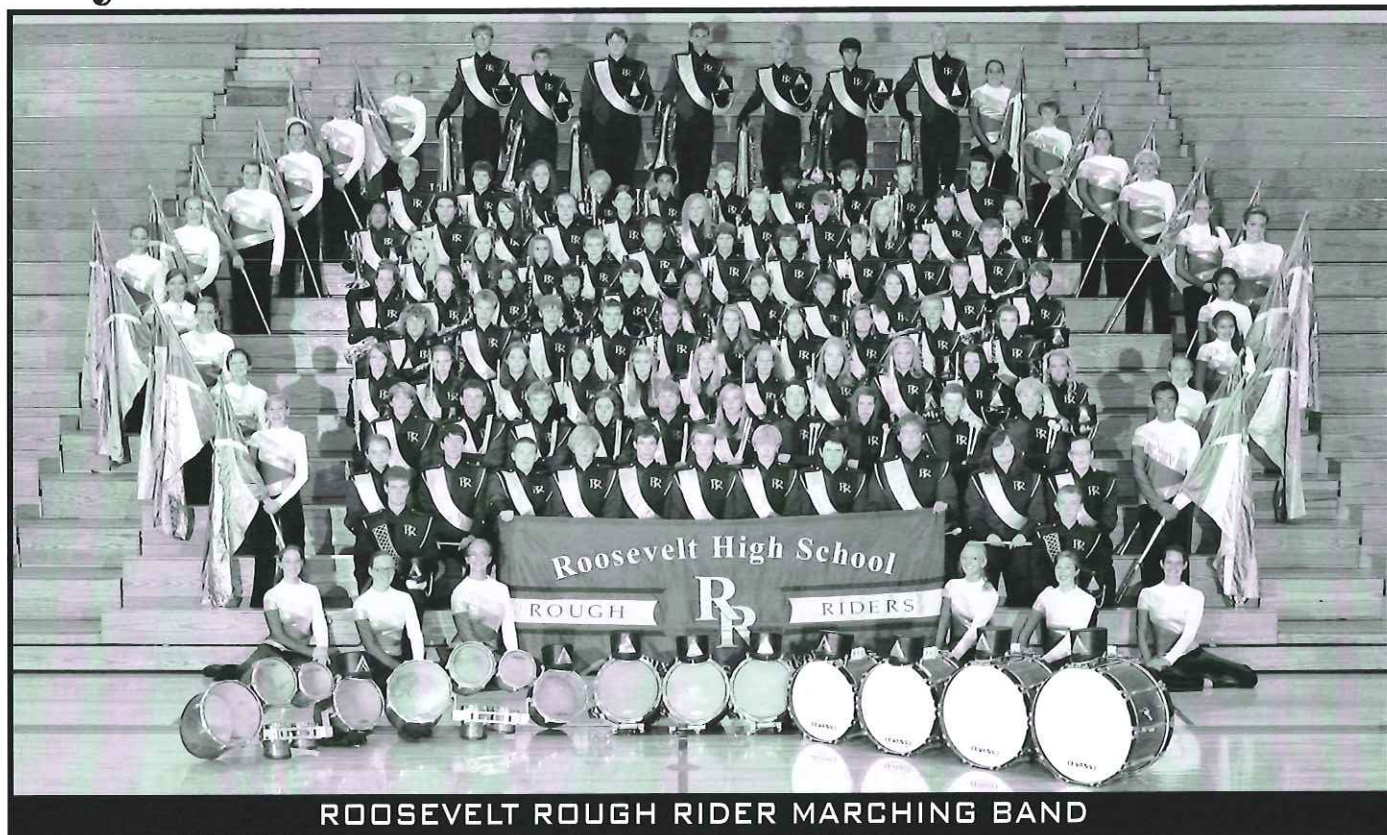
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ROOSEVELT ROUGH RIDER MARCHING BAND

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Kris Moe – Visual
Sharla Larson - Woodwinds

COLOR GUARD LEADERS:
Sydney Tuttle,
Rachael Biggerstaff,
Louisa Jastram

PERCUSSION LEADERS:
Sonja Pederson
Brendan Larson

DRUM MAJORS:
Tyler Amdahl
Aaron Musser

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: 2100
BAND MEMBERS: 106

MUSICAL SELECTION:

FIELD MUSIC: The 2012 Roosevelt High School Marching Band's Production Is Entitled "Loss". The Program Delves Into The Conflicting Emotions Of An Event That Causes Both Celebration And Incredible Personal Loss. This Year's Production Features The Music Of Percy Grainger, David Gillingham, Don Ellis And Jeremy Hegg.

FIELD MUSIC TITLES:

- "Loss"
I. Children's March
II. Call to Battle
III. Battle
IV. Victory
V. Loss

BAND INFORMATION: In 2011 the Roosevelt High School Marching Band had a very successful season. The Rough Riders finished 2nd or higher in all of their region competitions including 3 Grand Champion finishes. This year the Roosevelt Band will participate in six regional competitions and the Bands of America Super Regional in St. Louis, MO. The Roosevelt High School Jazz I will also present a performance at this year's South Dakota Band Masters convention in Brookings, SD.



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Melissa Sletto – Color Guard Instructor

DRUM MAJORS:

Kristin Wileman
Brock Fischer
Rachel Klein

SOLOISTS:

Luke Malsom - Trombone
Seth Trautman - Trumpet

SCHOOL

ENROLLMENT: 1200

BAND MEMBERS: 117

MUSICAL SELECTION:

FIELD MUSIC: Piano Man : The Music of Billy Joel, arranged by Jay Dawson and Jim Reed

- We Didn't Start the Fire/Piano Man
- My Life/Only the Good Die Young
- Air (Dublinesque)
- Just the Way You Are

BAND INFORMATION: In 2011 the Aberdeen Central Golden Eagles Marching Band marching in the National Memorial Day Parade in Washington, DC. The band has made several appearances at Disneyworld in Orlando Florida. The band has won the Best Overall Band award in the Gypsy Day Parade, in Aberdeen, for several years running.



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Jose enjoys living in Luverne with his mother, Angelia Funes, and attending Luverne High School where his favorite class is history. He also participates in the Cardinal wrestling and cross country programs.

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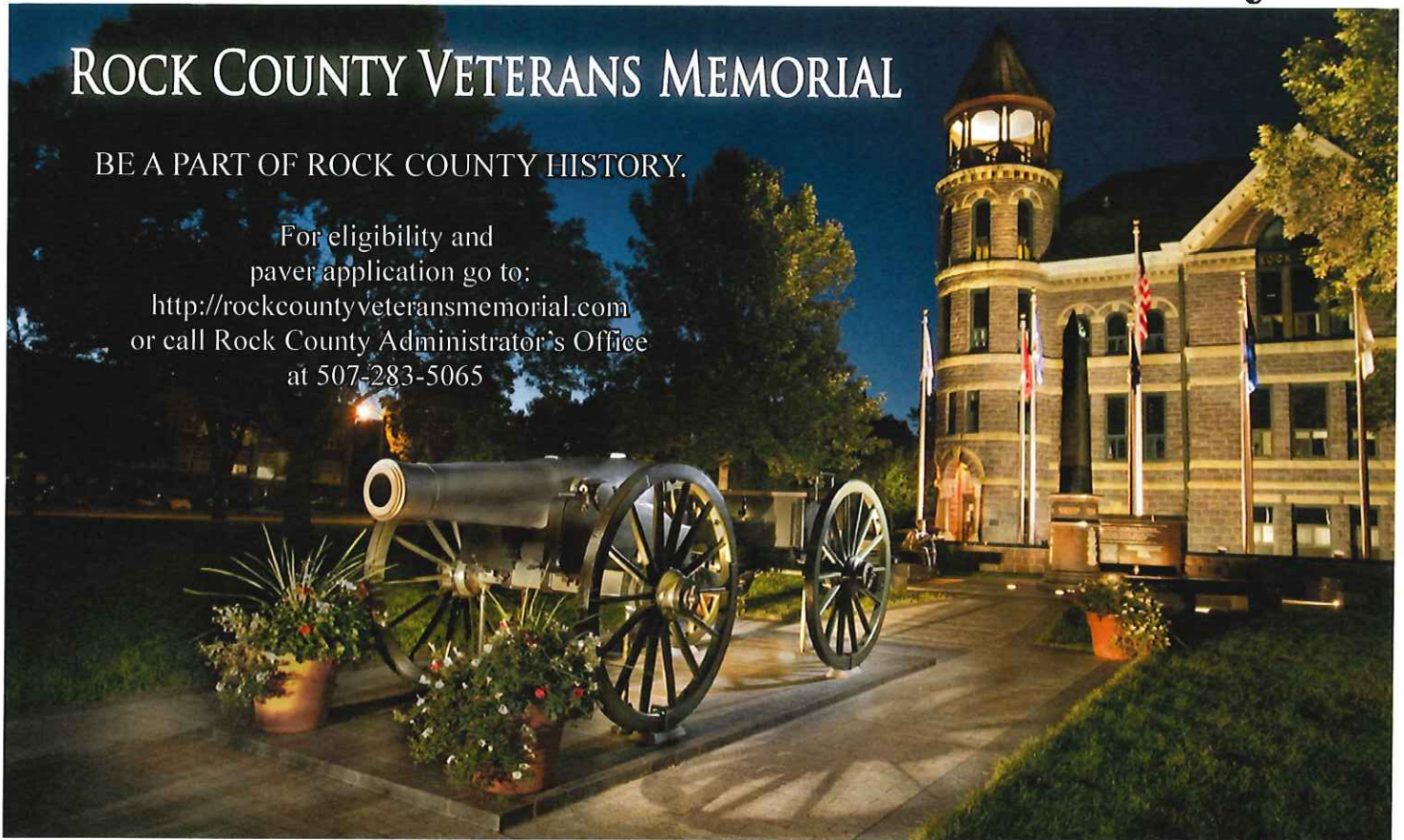




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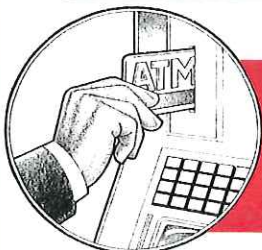
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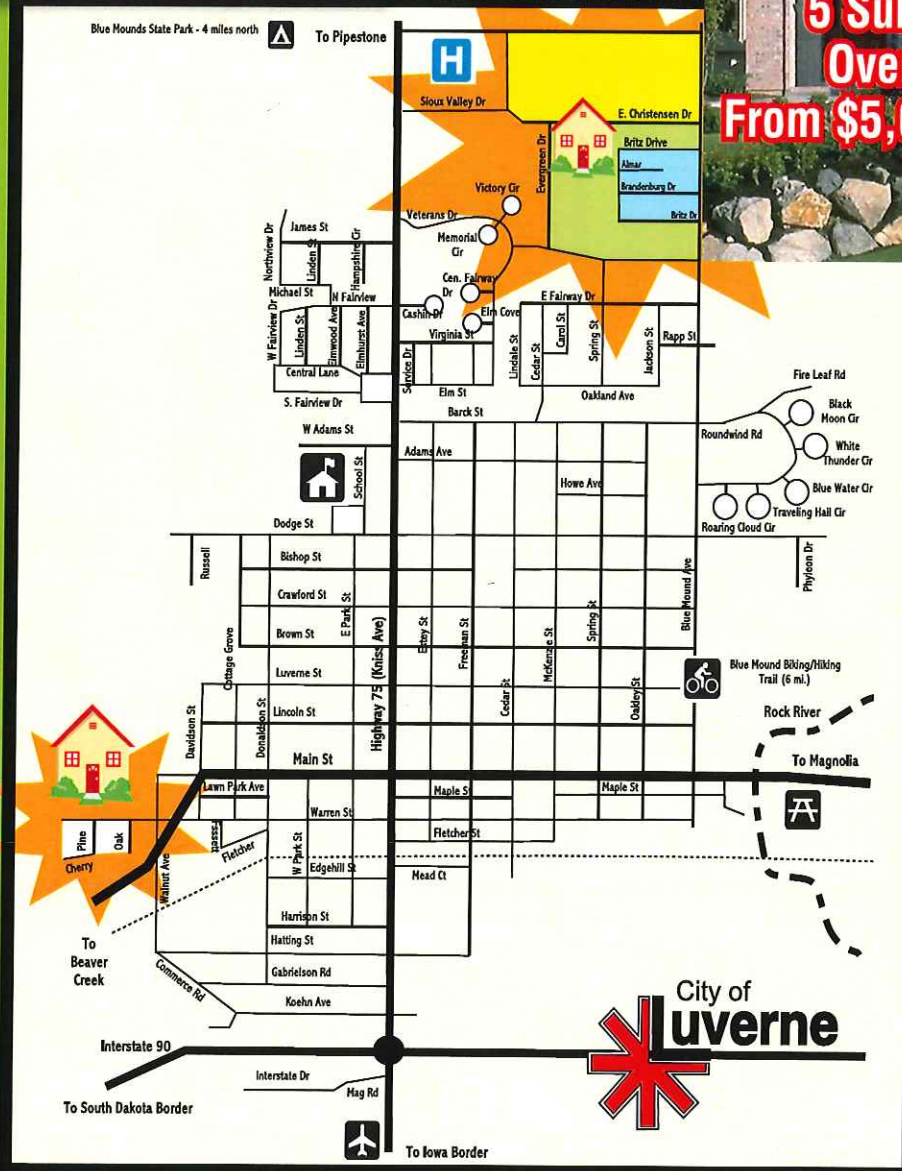
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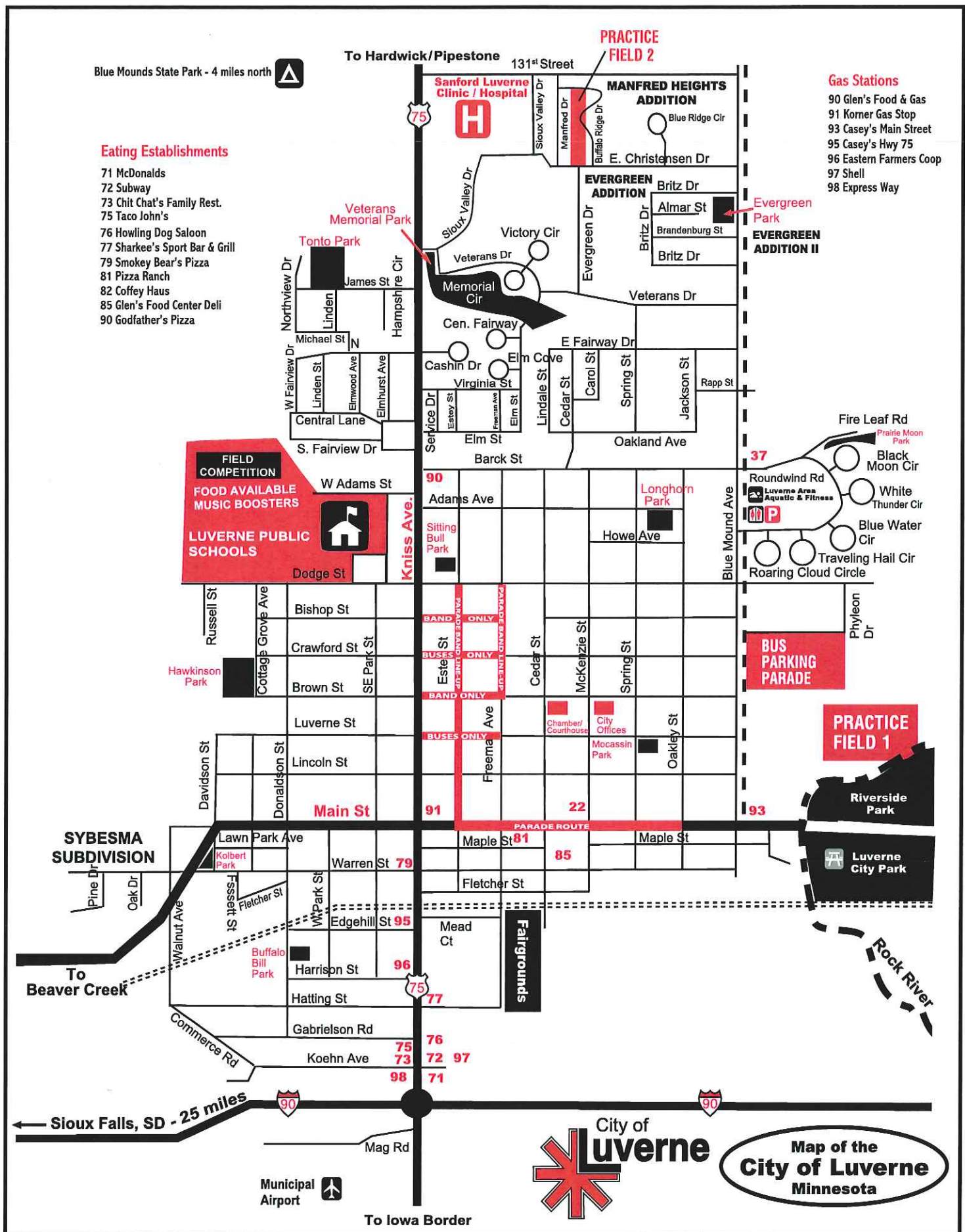
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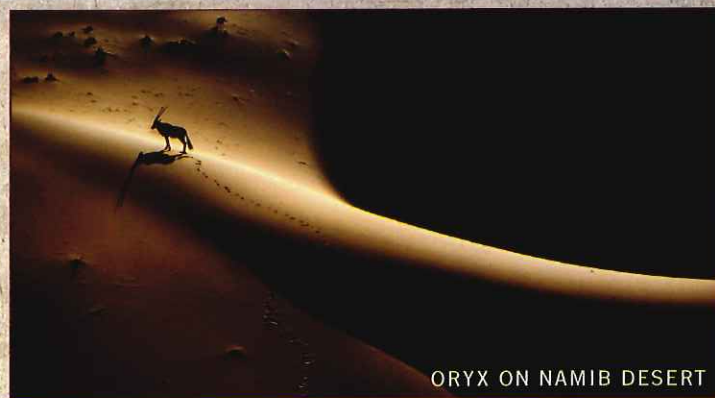
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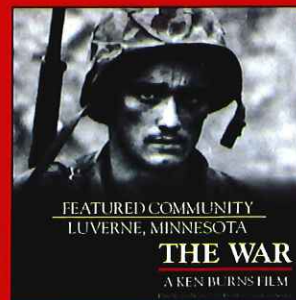
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