



# Take Note

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## Hersey Instrumental Association

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## IMPORTANT MESSAGE FOR INCOMING FRESHMEN

Mark your calendars!  
Freshman Orientation Meeting for incoming freshmen and parents

**Monday April 12**  
**6:30 to 8:30**  
**Band Room**

[Click here for more info](#)



## Hersey Bands to Perform at Symphony Center!

Director's Message • Mr. Casagrande

Thanks to our reputation for excellence, another outstanding opportunity has been presented to the Hersey Bands. We have been invited to share the Symphony Center stage with the Lockport HS bands on **St. Patrick's Day, Wednesday, March 17 at 7pm!** Both Hersey bands will share the stage with both Lockport HS bands on this date.

The Symphony Center on Michigan Avenue is the concert and recording home to the Chicago Symphony and one of the finest and extravagant concert halls in the WORLD. In order to meet the budget for this, each student will be charged **\$50**, and seating will be general admission **FREE** for everyone that would like to attend. We hope to FILL THE HALL, so invite your extended family to attend! More details are forthcoming. This will be an amazing experience for our students!

## Concert Season Activities

President's Message • Jill Birschbach

First, thank you to everyone who participated in the Photo's Dine-and-Share fundraiser on January 14. We all enjoyed a wonderful performance by the Jazz Combo and Photo's donated 25 percent of the proceeds to the Hersey band program. Our thanks to Laura DiVietro and Jorgia Connor for organizing the event, the Jazz Combo for providing the amazing music and all the students and parents who came out as well.

Coming soon, you will have an opportunity to hear the Concert and Symphonic bands perform at upcoming festivals. The Symphonic Band will perform at the District 214 Symphonic Band Festival at Buffalo Grove HS theatre on February 17 at 7:30 pm. The Concert Band will perform at their district festival, also at Buffalo Grove HS, on March 9 at 7:30 pm. You won't want to miss these concerts!

And you may have already heard that the Hersey Bands will be performing on the Symphony Center Stage on March 17 at 7 pm. with the bands from Lockport HS. What an awesome musical opportunity for our children! This is a once in a lifetime event for them. Watch for additional details

On April 10, we will be hosting over 25 bands from the area at the Chicagoland Invitational Concert Band Festival, our largest fundraising event of the year. The HIA relies on the help of every parent to fill more than 130 volunteer jobs required to run this event. We are beginning to contact volunteers for that day. For more information or to volunteer, contact Sheri Hess, volunteer coordinator. We all work hard that day and manage to have a lot of fun too. It's a great way to meet the other band parents. Pitch in, you will be glad you did!

The next HIA general meeting will be held March 8 at 7:30 pm in the band room. All parents are welcome. I hope to see you there!

## WE HAVE SO MUCH TO APPRECIATE...

Sheri Hess • HIA Vice President

A big THANK YOU to Susan Mazzarella, Sherrie Grischow and Madeline Makara for organizing the cheesecake fundraiser. It was a huge success this year as noted in December's newsletter – sales up 17.5 percent with total sales of \$12,740! Thanks to all who organized, sold, sorted and distributed, ordered and enjoyed cheesecake!

### **Jazz Night Club Concert:**

What a spectacular evening! Fabulous music and scrumptious snacks! Although the parent volunteers were overshadowed by the talented group of performers, we do want to let them know that their efforts are much appreciated. Thanks to **Genie Menzia & Jan Nocita** for providing the hospitality for this event. Thanks to **Christine Johnson** for providing the coffee and to all who contributed "a special something" to munch on. Food and drinks were enjoyed by all who attended!

**Cookies by the Pound:** Thank you to **Genie Menzia** and **Bonnie Kovacik** for organizing the fundraiser. It too, was a huge success! Sales were just over \$1,700! Thanks to all who baked, assembled and sold! There were many holiday favorites donated. What a delicious way to share family traditions with each other!

**Holiday Concert:** Thanks to **Rob & Nancy Salt** for once again organizing and running ticket sales and ushers for our concerts. Special thanks to **Amy Stomper, Jenny & Ari McEntire**, and **Joe Mross** for helping out that day. The concert ran smoothly because of this outstanding team!

**Hospitality during the middles school student/parent meeting:** A sincere thanks to **Juanita Kamp** and **Christine Johnson** for providing the yummy treats for our middle school guests and parents. Gracious hospitality is always an important part of welcoming new members to our Hersey Band family. Thanks to **Jill Birschbach** for helping Juanita and Christine and for explaining the importance of HIA to our new hopefuls.

**Chaperones:** Thank you to **Jill Birschbach, Jorgia Connor, Bryan & Noreen Coussens, Randy & Sheri Hess** and **Bill & Joannell Hoijer** for getting our middle school guests to the right place at the right time and for monitoring the band hallway during and between the concerts. Your watchful eye helped things to run in an orderly, yet enjoyable, fashion.

**Concert/Cadet Band Elementary School Tour:** Chaperones **Jeff Korleski, Kelly O'Neil** and **John Stomper** were able to enjoy concert after concert as they accompanied the Concert/Cadet Band to local elementary schools spreading holiday cheer. Thank you for making sure our kids were safe while having fun!

**France Reunion:** Treats and drinks were enjoyed by all who attended the France Reunion. Thanks to **Christine Johnson** and **Juanita Kamp** for organizing the hospitality for this event. Thanks to **Jill Birschbach** for helping that evening as well.

**CICBF advertising packets:** Thanks to Barb Roznai for doing the layout for the CICBF new and improved advertising brochure. It looks marvelous! Thanks to all who helped to assemble the packet and a special thanks to **Kelly O'Neil** for kicking it off with the students! Lastly, sincere gratitude is extended to **Laura DiVietro** for collecting numerous donations to be used as incentives for ads sold.

**Dine and Share Fundraiser:** A special thanks to **Laura & Danny DiVietro** and **Jorgia Connor** for organizing the Dine and Share at Photo's. It was a huge success and all who went were able to enjoy the fabulous sounds of the Jazz Combo. What a great group! Thanks to all who hung posters and spread the word for this event – your extra effort seems to have really paid off!

Also, special thanks to **Bob Hubberts** for performing a cash audit of the HIA financial records. Bob's son graduated last year but Bob still performs this time consuming task for the HIA. It just shows—once a Hersey band parent, always a Hersey band parent!

## WELCOME TO OUR INCOMING FRESHMEN, CLASS OF '14

Mr. Casagrade • Director

We welcome next year's incoming freshmen to our band tradition at Hersey. **All incoming parents and students should plan to attend the Incoming Freshmen Orientation on Monday, April 12, 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the JHHS Band Room.** This includes students and parents that may have older siblings already in the program.

Take a few minutes to read about our program in the upcoming newsletters that will be sent to you. **Take particular note of the summer calendar enclosed** and feel free to [e-mail Mr. C](#) with any questions. Welcome!

## STEEL BANDS AT MT. PROSPECT LIBRARY

Mr. Casagrade • Director

Don't miss our steel drum bands at the Mt. Prospect Library from 2 to 3 pm. Freshmen are not participating.

## SOLO ENSEMBLE CHANGE THIS YEAR

Mr. Casagrade • Director

In order to spread out the "challenges" of the year, we have moved the Solo and Ensemble contest to Hersey, **APRIL 15 AND 16**. We will no longer be participating in the IHSA contest that usually occurs the first Saturday in March.

Music testing and early March auditions are enough to keep our students busy at that time of the year and it will be easier for everyone (except me...) to host it at Hersey. We'll provide a set of accompanists and a flat fee for everyone this year.

In addition, our policy is that **everyone** that takes private lessons in the Hersey band should be participating in Solo/Ensemble.

**Students will register their solos and ensembles the week of January 25.**

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SCHOOL DISTRICT 214 HONOR BAND AND ORCHESTRA MEMBERS

Mr. Casagrade • Director

These students were chosen to participate in the 214 Honor Band, which will perform at the upcoming 214 Music Festival on March 3. A rehearsal schedule is listed in the newsletter calendar:

Andrew Birschbach	Andy Hess
Michael Plankey	Mark Swanson
Michael Ozga	Melissa Neff
Eric Chung	Andrew Kovacic
Colin Marusek	Ryan Witzke
Nicholas Jarosz	Natalie Hoijer
Angela Yang	Michal Obstoj
Tyler Kamp	Claire Hynes
Austin Menzia	

These band students were chosen by audition to perform in the 214 Honors Orchestra which will also perform at the upcoming 214 Music Festival:

Ilona Widomska	Catherine O'Donnell
Erin Wells	Megan Duffy
Kristen Holz	Kevin Kerr
Kelly Nyquist	Rachel Lundstrom
Arne Anderson	Maria DiVietro

## HAITIAN RELIEF FUNDRAISER

Mr. Casagrade • Director

The Hersey Fine Arts Department will be hosting a fundraising effort to support Haitian relief. When you attend a concert in the next two weeks, please consider donating to this fund and supporting our efforts.

## NEW JAZZ CAMP AT METROPOLIS

Mr. Casagrade • Director

Rob Parton of the Parton Jazz Tech Big Band and Ted Hogarth of the Mulligan Mosaics Big Band (you'll hear them at Jazz in the Meadows), have begun a new summer jazz camp that is being sponsored by the Metropolis Arts Center in downtown Arlington Heights. The camp will run June 22-24, from 9-5 and will cost \$300. Register at the [Metropolisarts.com](http://Metropolisarts.com) website if you are interested.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED, APRIL 14 & 15

Sheri Hess • Volunteer Coordinator

We need 10 volunteers for the Solo Ensemble contest to help with hospitality, monitor hallways, contest and warm-up rooms and gather, calculate and post scores. If you are able to help on either or both of these days, please [contact Sheri Hess](#) about jobs and times. Timeslots have not been worked out but help will be needed from 4 to 9 pm each day.

## BAND CAMP 10-11! READ CAREFULLY

Mr. Casagrande • Director

Next Fall, the marching band will be competing in two or three competitions, to be determined. In August, particularly 8/9 to 8/13, we will be learning 75 percent of what is performed throughout the Fall season. A small portion of the June rehearsal time will be spent preparing for the July 4 parade. A majority of the June rehearsal time will be spent preparing Fall season material and fundamentals. Therefore, **regardless** of attendance at the July 4 parade, June/July rehearsals are EXTREMELY important.

### Absences from Summer dates:

In the event of family vacations that conflict with June rehearsals, an explanation of conflict should be directed to Mr. C from the parents. Any summer camps are also excused; notify Mr. C immediately. Students should make sure that job schedules, etc. are adjusted. **August band camp rehearsals are mandatory for all. Freshmen are STRONGLY encouraged not to miss June rehearsals.**

Please adjust calendars and avoid conflicts with the following dates, **particularly in August:**

June (Students excused from these June/July dates in the event of family vacation)		
3	6 to 9 pm	<b>All incoming Freshmen only</b> and available section leaders
10	5:30 to 9	Section Leaders
	6 to 9 pm	Freshmen
28	5 to 8 pm	Section Leader Session/Dinner
29	5:30 to 9 pm	Section Leaders
	6 to 9 pm	Freshmen
	6 to 9 pm	Battery percussion only
30	5:30 to 9 pm	Section Leaders
	6 to 9 pm	ALL MEMBERS
July		
1	5:30 to 9 pm	Section Leaders
	6 to 9 pm	ALL MEMBERS
3 or 4	10 am	Report Parade
August		
5	3 to 4:30 pm	New section leaders
6	8 am to 5 pm	ALL section leaders
	12:30 to 5 pm	ALL Freshmen
9 to 13	12 pm to 9 pm	ALL
17	5 to 9 pm	Band section olympics
18 & 19	5 to 9 pm	ALL
	9 to 11 pm	Band activity
20	5:30 pm	Picnic/Parent Fall Preview
24	First day of school	

## DINE-AND-SHARE RESULTS

Jorgia Connor • Laura DiVietro • Event Co-chairs

Thanks to all who came out to support the Hersey Jazz Combo at the Dine and Share event at Photo's. As a result of the great turnout, we earned \$277 in profit. It was a jamming good time!

Thanks also to the terrific Jazz Combo and all the extra effort that they put in to perform at this event: **Andrew Birschbach, Kelsey Buffa, Maria Di Vietro, Melissa Neff, Ty Nocita, and Michael Plankey.** Their music was enjoyed by a packed house.

## SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

Jorgia Connor • Project Chair

It's not too late to sponsor the band! A platinum level sponsorship includes admission to the Chicagoland Invitational Concert Band Festival for all immediate family members and a ½ page ad in the program. See the [Hersey Band website](#) or the [attached sponsorship form](#) for further details.

## MANNA GIFT CARDS FUNDRAISER

Laura Hynes • Kelly O'Neil • Program Co-chairs

Even with a deadline just two days after winter break, Manna sales were \$13,000 in January. Thanks to all those families that participated. For those that order regularly, the student accounts are really adding up. We already have a few freshmen with enough in their accounts to pay for next year's band fees. This could be you! It's never too late to start. Your normal monthly purchases (groceries, prescriptions, gas, pet food, coffee) can put money in your student's account if you use a gift card instead of cash or credit. Remember – Manna is an important band fundraiser that helps you as well.

Ordering is done online. To place your first order, please contact Laura Hynes via [newsletter@herseyband.com](mailto:newsletter@herseyband.com) to receive your password and instructions. Once you have placed your order, submit a check payable to HIA in the Manna mailbox. If you would prefer to deliver a check directly to Laura ahead of time, please contact her. The next ordering/check deadline is **Wednesday, February 3 at 3 p.m.** Pick up will be on Wednesday, February 10. If you have any questions about the Manna program, please contact one of the co-chairs.

## CONCERT BAND FEST – VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Sheri Hess ♦ CICBF Volunteer Coordinator ♦ volunteers@herseyband.com

We are already in the process of recruiting volunteers for the upcoming Concert Band Festival (April 9: set up, April 10: festival). Those who attended the last HIA meeting were able to get first pick of the volunteer slots.

This is a huge undertaking and **each family is expected to volunteer time during the Festival**. Below is a list of job descriptions and shift times. [E-mail Sheri Hess](#) with your volunteer request soon to get your first preference. This list of jobs/times may change VERY slightly as April gets closer but you will be notified if any change affects you in any way. Confirmation of your job assignment(s) and a reminder will be sent.

**Homeroom Monitor** – Each band is assigned to a homeroom. Homeroom monitors are stationed in various locations with a master key to lock and unlock the doors as the bands arrive and leave for the day's scheduled activities. In addition, the homeroom monitors provide guidance and answer simple questions for bands and guests. This job is ideal for parents who don't mind some "down time" during the day.

Shifts available (four volunteers per shift unless otherwise indicated): 10 to 1 pm ♦ 1 to 5 pm ♦ 5 to 9 pm ♦ 9 to 10 pm (only one volunteer needed)

**Set Up Crew (Friday Evening)** – A great deal of set-up/prep takes place on the Friday prior to the festival. Volunteers for this shift will perform a variety of jobs including: moving furniture, clearing rooms, setting up rooms with chairs and stands, setting up performance venues, hanging signs, setting up concessions area, etc. Most jobs involve physical labor, some heavy, some light.

We will need 25-30 volunteers. Shift runs from 5 to 10 pm (as you are able—if you can work some portion of that timeframe, please let us know).

**Clean Up Crew** – As possible, clean up will start taking place as soon as areas are no longer in use for the festival (some homerooms, warm-up rooms, concessions area, et. al.). If you are able to do both set up (Friday) and clean up (Saturday) it is very helpful (but certainly not required). Clean up generally takes until 11 pm. We will need 20-25 volunteers. Shift runs from approximately 8 to 11 pm

**Stage Coordinators** – The performance area stages need to be set up per the specifications of each band. There are two performance venues, so two coordinators will be required. Students will assist with the set up under the supervision of the coordinators.

Shifts available for Carter Gym (one volunteer per shift): 11 to 3 pm ♦ 3 to 6 pm ♦ 6 to 9 pm

Shifts available for Black Box Theatre (one volunteer per shift): 9 to 1 pm ♦ 1 to 4 pm ♦ 4 to 7 pm

**Warm-up Room Monitor** – Bands are provided with a room in which to warm up prior to their performance time. The warm-up monitor helps to keep the bands on schedule by keeping directors aware of the time.

Shifts available (two volunteers per shift): 10 to 1 pm ♦ 1 to 4 pm ♦ 4 to 7:30 pm

**Clinic Monitor** – Each band will receive a clinic with after their performance. The clinic monitor helps to keep the clinicians on schedule by keeping track of the time.

Shifts available (need three volunteers per shift): 10 to 1 pm ♦ 1 to 5 pm ♦ 5 to 9 pm

**Band Monitor** – Student guides will lead each band from the warm-up area to the performance area. Band monitors keep bands out of the performance area until the stage is set.

Shifts available (need one volunteer per shift): 10 to 1 pm ♦ 12 to 3 pm ♦ 1 to 4 pm ♦ 3 to 6 pm ♦ 4 to 7:30 pm ♦ 6 to 9 pm

**Band Hallway Monitor** – The band hallway will be one of the most trafficked areas of the day (with bands, staff and guests). The band hallway monitors provide directions to those using the area.

Shifts available (need two volunteers per shift): 10 to 1 pm ♦ 1 to 5 pm ♦ 5 to 9 pm

**CD Sales** – A CD of many of the day's performances is produced in the weeks following the event. The CD sales volunteer will accept order forms and payments for CD orders.

Shifts available (need one volunteer per shift): 9 to 1 pm ♦ 1 to 5 pm ♦ 5 to 9 pm

## CONCERT BAND FEST – VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES (CONTINUED)

**Ticket Sales** – Tickets are sold near each performance venue. Ticket sales volunteers sell tickets (or take in free admission letters), hand out programs, distribute admission wristbands and monitors guest entry into performance venue.

Shifts available for Black Box Theatre (need two volunteers per shift): 10 to 1:30 pm ♦ 1:30 to 5:30 pm ♦ 5:30 to 7:30 pm

Shifts available for Carter Gym (need two volunteers per shift): 12 to 3 pm ♦ 3 to 6 pm ♦ 6 to 9 pm

**Food Sales & Kitchen Help** – These volunteers will do a variety of activities including selling food, baking cookies, re-stocking food products for sale, cleaning tables, etc.

Shifts available: 8 to 11 am (need two volunteers) ♦ 9 to 11 am (need six volunteers) ♦ 10:30 to 2:30 pm (need four volunteers) ♦ 1 to 5 pm (need seven volunteers) ♦ 11 to 3 pm (need two volunteers) ♦ 5 to 9 pm (need seven volunteers) ♦ Kitchen Clean up 8:30 to 10 pm (need four volunteers)

**Cookie & Water Sales** – Two “kiosk” areas are set up for snack and water sales. Volunteers for this job will sell items and bake cookies at their site.

Shifts available (need four volunteers per shift): 9 to 12 pm ♦ 12 to 3 pm ♦ 3 to 6 pm

**Greeters** – Greeters are assigned to front and rear entrances for the purpose of providing directions to assigned homerooms for arriving bands.

Shifts available (need two volunteers per shift): 9:30 to 12:30 pm ♦ 12:30 to 3:30 pm ♦ 3:30 to 5:30 pm ♦ 5:30 to 7:30 pm

Thank you in advance for your help. If you have any questions or the shift times don't quite work out, we can work with you on this. Again, if you are interested in volunteering, [contact Sheri Hess](#). We are in the process of developing a CICBF page for the [Hersey Band Web site](#). Click on the “Chicagoland Fest” tab for information about the festival, including performance schedules, information about the bands, visitor information, volunteer information and more. Keep with tradition: Order a [Big House T-shirt](#) to wear at the festival.

## GET TO KNOW WINTER GUARD

Contributed to by Mary Holada and Angela Majetic

As you know, the color guard are an important part of the marching band season. But what happens once the marching season is over? Many of the members of the color guard participate in winter guard, an activity that blends equipment and dance choreography. They perform a themed performance in a gym, accompanied by music. Many of the groups have a tarp for the floor that is painted with designs and colors that complement the show.

Hersey's team has eight members. They practice every Monday and Wednesday, as well as most Saturdays. This season, their show is entitled “Notes of a Love Story” and it is set to a piano/cello arrangement of the Taylor Swift hit, “Love Story.”

The staff includes:

- Peter LePage – In his second season with the Hersey color guard, Peter acts as the team choreographer. He has several years experience both as a performer and educator.
- Angela Majetic – This is Angela's second winter season as color guard instructor for Hersey after being part of their fall 2008 season. She has 12 years of color guard experience as a performer, choreographer and clinician.
- Paul Wiercioch – Paul has been involved with the Hersey music program since 2002, including the last four seasons with the marching band. He has several years experience in teaching and designing the visual aspects of musical performances.

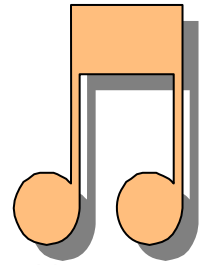
Everyone is welcome to come out and support the Hersey winter guard. Their performance schedule for this season is included in the band calendar in this newsletter.

## 2009-2010 Band Calendar

Subject to change. Watch for updates to calendar.  
Unless otherwise indicated, dates/times apply to all members. Changes are highlighted.

<b>January</b>		
27-30	IMEA All-State to Peoria (select)	
29	Pep Band (select)	Report 5:45 pm
<b>February</b>		
3	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6:30 to 8:30 pm
6	Jazz Ensemble II to New Trier Festival	All day to late evening
	Percussion to Vandercook	All day
7	Color Guard at Naperville Central HS	11 am
10	Manna pick up day	2:45 to 3:15 or 6 to 6:30 pm
	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6:30 to 8:30 pm
12	Pep Band (select)	Report 6:15 pm
14	Color Guard at Plainfield Central HS	11 am
16	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6 to 8:30 pm
17	Symphonic Band Festival at BGHS	7:30 pm
19	Pep Band (select)	Report 6:15 pm
20	Color Guard Regional - Hickman Mills HS	TBD
27	Jazz I and II to Jazz in the Meadows	All day to early evening
<b>March</b>		
3	District 214 Honors Music Festival @ Forest View (select)	7:30 pm
6	Color Guard at Lake Park West HS	4 pm
8	HIA General Meeting	7:30 pm
9	Concert Band Festival at BGHS	7:30 pm
10	Manna pick up day	2:45 to 3:15 or 6 to 6:30 pm
	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6:30 to 8:30 pm
17	ALL HERSEY BANDS TO PERFORM AT SYMPHONY CENTER!	3 to 9 pm
20-28	Spring Break	
21	Color Guard at Lincoln-Way East HS (tent.)	10 am
27-28	Color Guard Championships	TBD
29	Classes Resume	
31	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6:30 to 8:30 pm
<b>April</b>		
7	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6:30 to 8:30 pm
8	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6:30 to 8:30 pm
9	Chicagoland Band Festival Set-up	PM
10	Chicagoland Concert Band Festival (will need lots of student/parent help)	All day to late evening
14	Manna pick up day	2:45 to 3:15 or 6 to 6:30 pm
15-16	Solo & Ensemble at Hersey	PM
28	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6:30 to 8:30 pm
<b>May</b>		
7	Symphonic Band Rehearsal	6:30 to 8:30 pm
8	Symphonic Band to Superstate	All day to evening
10	HIA General Meeting	7:30 pm
12	Manna pick up day	2:45 to 3:15 or 6 to 6:30 pm
19	Spring Band Concert	7:30 pm
21	Formal Band Awards Banquet	TBA
28	Night of Percussion	TBA
31	Memorial Day Parade	TBA
<b>June</b>		
5	Graduation	
11	Last Day of School	

## 2009-2010 Hersey Band Sponsorship Program



Every year, the Hersey Instrumental Association raises funds to provide scholarships, sponsor learning opportunities, host family and student social events, purchase needed equipment, allow the marching band program to participate in competitions, and fund other band programs. This is your opportunity to become a sponsor and participate in the growth of the Hersey Band Program.

Sponsorship is open to the entire Hersey community, whether you have a student in the program or not. If you enjoy the half-time show, attend one of the concerts, or have pleasant memories of your own high school band days, please consider helping our band program.

The following levels of sponsorship are available:

### **Silver Level \$20.00- 49.00 Individual Sponsorship**

Includes a listing in all band programs and one admission to all concerts including the Concert Band Festival

### **Gold Level \$50.00 – 199.00 Family Sponsorship**

Includes a listing in all band programs and admission for all immediate family members (parents and siblings) to all band concerts including the Concert Band Festival

### **Platinum Level \$200 and up Corporate Sponsorship**

Includes a listing in all band programs, ½ page ad in the 2010 Concert Band Festival program, and admission for all immediate family members. Corporate Sponsors will be contacted by the Festival Committee for their ad. Students who bring corporate sponsorships will have their account credited with 20% of the amount contributed.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print as you would like it to appear in the band programs.)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_ Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Sponsorship and amount: Silver \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Gold \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Platinum \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail this form with a check made payable to HIA to either:

*HIA Sponsorship Drive  
c/o John Hersey High School  
1900 E. Thomas St.  
Arlington Heights, IL 60006*

or

*Jorgia Connor  
1517 N. Harvard Ave.  
Arlington Heights, IL 60004*

If you have any questions please contact Jorgia Connor @ 847-506-1581/ [robcr1@comcast.net](mailto:robcr1@comcast.net).  
Confirmation of your donation will be e-mailed to you unless otherwise indicated:

*I would prefer my to receive my confirmation in the mail*

# THE BIG HOUSE T IS BACK!

THOSE OF YOU WHO HAVE BEEN PART OF THE BAND FAMILY FOR A WHILE WILL REMEMBER THE "WELCOME TO OUR BIG HOUSE" T-SHIRT THAT WAS SOLD A COUPLE OF YEARS BACK. BY POPULAR DEMAND, WE PLAN TO SUBMIT AN ORDER FOR A SECOND PRINTING. Pssst....CASAGRANDE = "BIG HOUSE"

WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO GET A BIG HOUSE T TO WEAR WHEN YOU VOLUNTEER AT THE BAND FESTIVAL IN APRIL. WE ASK ALL VOLUNTEERS TO WEAR SOMETHING "HERSEY" AND THIS SHIRT IS PERFECT FOR THAT EVENT!



**HERE'S THE DEAL:**

**SIZES AVAILABLE: S, M, L, XL, XXL, XXXL**

**PRICES:**

S, M, L, XL	\$10
XXL	\$11.50
XXXL	\$12

**DUE DATE FOR ORDERS: WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10**

**DELIVERY DATE: APRIL 1 (ESTIMATED)**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Size	Quantity	Price	Total
Small		\$10	
Medium		\$10	
Large		\$10	
X Large		\$10	
XX Large		\$11.50	
XXX Large		\$12	
Grand Total:			

Checks may be made payable to: Hersey Instrumental Association. Please submit order form in envelope marked "Big House" in the locked box in Mr. C's office. For questions, contact Linda Takei via [herseybandinfo@herseyband.com](mailto:herseybandinfo@herseyband.com).