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CANADIAN BAND ASSOCIATION (ONTARIO) e-NEWSLETTER

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From the Editor's Desk

With Barrie Hodgins

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CBA Ontario is here to support and promote the development of bands throughout the Province of Ontario by way of communication, coordination, program development, advocacy and lobbying at the Provincial Level.

WEBSITE

CBA ONTARIO website is currently being revamped – Please check us out for our NEW LOOK

WELCOME TO

Jeffrey Brinson and Louis Madrid Calleja our newest members

CBA Composite Band Weekend

October 13 and 14, 2007 St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, corner of Water and Murray Streets, in Peterborough – watch for further information on our website including applications - available in the near future – reserve your spot – first come first serve basis

Support your fellow musicians

We would encourage each and everyone of our members to attend concerts of your fellow musicians – send us a list of your bands concerts and they will be published in FANFARE!!!

CBA – National Meeting – May 2007

Barrie Hodgins and Heather Muckle attended this years National Meeting held in Halifax Nova Scotia – May 3 & 4, 2007 – Jim Ford and Gilles Valois were honoured with CBA's 2007 National Band Award at a reception held after the National Youth Band Concert

Congratulations go out to the National Youth Band – we had the pleasure of attending the final concert held at the Dartmouth Sportsplex in Nova Scotia – many fine young musicians from all over Canada participated in this event – the event for 2008 will be held in Toronto – wouldn't it be nice if we had representation from all schools?? – for more information – contact Troy Linsley – Manager – 627 – First Street East, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, S7H 1S7

Mormon Tabernacle Choir

President Barrie Hodgins and Secretary Heather Muckle were honoured to be invited to hear this wonderful choir at Roy Thomson Hall on June 22, 2007. This was truly an event that will be remembered for years to come and we encourage any of our members and their families to book tickets the next time they come to town – **YOU WILL NOT BE DISAPPOINTED!!!**

Music Monday

Congratulations to the more than 1500 schools from across Canada who participated in Music Monday activities. If you missed the live Music Monday from the National Arts Centre it is now available at www.musicmonday.ca

PHOTOS REQUIRED

Member Bands – Please submit a current photo of your band for use on our display board and our new website

REPRESENTATION

Our band representation currently includes 38 bands who are CBA (ON) members, including concert bands, military bands, jazz ensembles (big bands) and brass bands. These groups include hundreds of practicing and enthusiastic musicians and we are delighted that they are part of our association.

Membership Recruitment Incentives

CBA (ON) needs members, and you as current members are the best recruiters. Recruit new members and take advantage of the following:
Get a reduction on your membership dues. You need only recruit 1 new member this year to get a reduction of \$10 on your 2007 membership fees, but why not recruit 5 new members and get a one year membership free?

WEBSITE UPDATE

If you have not yet book marked the CBA (Ontario) website, please do so now and review the latest updated version by going to – www.canadianbandassociation.ca

BAND LINKS AND E-MAIL ADDRESSES

One of the perks of being a member band of the CBA is the opportunity to take advantage of the services offered by the Association. If you would like to have more exposure of your Band's website, you can do so by requesting that a link be placed on the CBA site. Just simply send an email to – Diana Brault at – dianabrault@rogers.com authorizing her to link your band's website with ours and it will be done.

This is also a reminder that if your band members wish to receive electronic FANFARES, please complete a list of names and email addresses and forward to dianabrault@rogers.com. An alternate option would be to send an email address of a band member willing to broadcast this newsletter to your band members.

CONCERT LISTINGS

Have a band concert coming up? Why not tell the whole world about it. See the CBA website for the current listings and submit yours to dianabrault@rogers.com.

DISTINGUISHED MUSICIAN AWARD

Have you considered a Distinguished Musician Award Certificate for members of your band?? The recipient must be a band member who, in the opinion of the band director, has shown superior musicianship, leadership, dependability, loyalty, and co-operation. These free Canadian Band Association certificates are available as a membership benefit. Directors may order two awards per band year. Contact Diana Brault at 416-244-3745 or email: dianabrault@rogers.com. Directors add the recipient's name to the certificate. Please allow 6-8 weeks for delivery.

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 1, 2007 – East York Concert Band – Canada Day Concert – Stan Wadlow Park – Cosburn Avenue (1 block East of Woodbine)

July 3, 2007 – Bill Askew Orchestra celebrating 35 yrs of music, big band – 8pm @ Oshawa Band Shell – Simcoe Street South, Oshawa

July 5, 2007 – 8 Wing CFB Trenton Pipes and Drums – 7:00pm @ Bowmanville

July 10, 2007 – Bill Askew Orchestra – 8:00pm @ Oshawa Band Shell

July 11, 2007 – Oshawa Civic Band with vocalist Aileen Andrews – 7:30pm @ Oshawa Band Shell

July 11, 2007 – Etobicoke Community Concert Band – 7:00pm Twilight Concert @ Applewood – 450 The West Mall - Etobicoke

July 12, 2007 – North York Concert Band – 7:30pm @ Mel Lastman Square

July 12, 2007 – Whitby Brass Band – 7:30pm @ Rotary Park – rain location – Centennial Bldg

July 17, 2007 – Bill Askew Orchestra – 8:00pm @ Oshawa Band Shell

July 19, 2007 – Clarington Concert Band – 7:00pm @ Bowmanville

July 24, 2007 – Bill Askew Orchestra – 8:00pm @ Oshawa Band Shell

July 25, 2007 – Oshawa Civic Band with Avryl Muckle on Saxophone – 7:30pm @ Oshawa Band Shell

July 26, 2007 – Royal Regiment of Canada Band with Danielle Bourre guest vocalist– 7:00pm @ Bowmanville

July 26, 2007 – North York Concert Band – 7:30pm @ Mel Lastman Square

July 26, 2007 – Whitby Brass Band – 7:30pm @ Rotary Park – rain location – Centennial Bldg

July 31, 2007 – Bill Askew Orchestra – 8:00pm @ Oshawa Band Shell

August 1, 2007 - Etobicoke Community Concert Band – 7:00pm @ Applewood – 450 The West Mall, Etobicoke

August 6, 2007 – Northdale Concert Band – Orillia Aquatheatre – 7-9pm

August 7, 2007 – Bill Askew Orchestra – 8:00pm @ Oshawa Band Shell

August 9, 2007 – Northdale Concert Band @ Oshawa Band Shell – 7:30-9pm

August 9, 2007 – Whitby Brass Band – 7:30pm @ Rotary Park – rain location – Centennial Bldg

August 12, 2007 – Pickering Concert Band – 1:00pm – Heritage Square – 65 Harwood Avenue S, Ajax

August 15, 2007 – Oshawa Civic Band with Ashleigh Young - Vocalist – 7:30pm @ Oshawa Band Shell

August 20, 2007 – Northdale Concert Band @ Black Creek Pioneer Village

August 23, 2007 – Whitby Brass Band – 7:30pm @ Rotary Park – rain location – Centennial Bldg

August 29, 2007 – Oshawa Civic Band with Jennifer Stewart – Vocalist – 7:30pm @ Oshawa Band Shell



MOVING SOON?

This is a reminder to please advise our membership secretary Dr. Diana Brault regarding any changes of your personal phone number, address or email address. Diana can be contacted at: 16 Royaleigh Avenue, Etobicoke, Ontario, M9P2J5 or telephone #416-244-3745 or email: dianabrault@rogers.com

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