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Old Man Winter is fleeing south. Many thanks to the Winter Guard, Jazz Ensemble, Concert Band, Orchestra, and Winter Percussionists for helping us through these frosty times. McMahon's buzzing with springtime activity. Here's an abbreviated listing.

Bottle and Can Drive—The first Saturday of each month, at BHMS and at Fox Run. This Saturday, April 5, from 9AM to 1PM is our next collection time. All proceeds are funneled back into Band and Guard activities.

Winter Guard MAC Championships—After dropping off your bottles and cans this Saturday, why not head up to Trumbull and cheer our kids onto victory? It's a fantastic day of entertainment—Let's Go BMHS! Visit our website (www.bmhsband.org) for directions/times/...

Band Parent Association/Celebration of Sound General Meeting—Tuesday, April 8, 7PM, in the BMHS Band Room. Lots of items will be discussed—Trip, Raffle Fundraiser, COS organization, candidates for next year's Band Parent Association officers, our financial situation, Dinner/Dances, Awards Banquet, Please make every effort to attend!

Raffle—We're aiming for a kickoff during the week of April 22. Prizes will include Gift Certificates to local businesses which have been supportive of BMHS Band activities. The raffle is an easy way to reduce, eliminate, or build up credits for your children's Band Accounts. More details to follow.

Senior Scholarships—The deadline for all applications is Friday, April 25. All Forms, Instructions, and general information is posted on our website (www.bmhsband.org). Applicants must have an on-schedule Band Acct!

Band Accounts—Thanks to all Band/Guard members and families for maintaining your Band Account payments. A reminder to all: Band Account payments should be made in full no later than May 15.

NHS-BMHS Dinner/Dance—On Sunday, April 27, parents, guardians, and friends of BOTH bands will party hearty at Continental Manor. Karen Coe has graciously offered to organize the BMHS donations to the Dinner/Dance Auctions. If you'd like to help, give Karen a call at 854-5014. There's also an RSVP form on—you guessed it—our website (www.bmhsband.org). So print it out, fill it out, and stick it in the mail soon, so we can get an accurate head count. Twenty Dollars a person (over 21, please) for an evening of fun—hard to beat that!

Band Awards Banquet—Tuesday, June 3 is our tentative date; time TBA. WARNING: Only Band/Guard members with no outstanding Band Account balances will be eligible to purchase Awards Banquet tickets!

Senior Scholarships, continued—To be awarded at our last Band Parent Association meeting on June 9, 2008, 7PM, in the BMHS Band Room.

Raffle, continued—Prize drawing will take place on Monday, June 16, in the BMHS Band Room. Winner need not be present to win!

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