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RHS BAND &  
RMS BAND

# Ross Band Newsletter



JANUARY 2015

Congratulations to the following students who auditioned and were chosen to participate in the District 13 Honor Bands.



Derek Johnson—percussion

Brandon Armstrong—tuba

Josh Koons—percussion—4th year

Zach Wurzelbacher—percussion—every year possible-6 years

Austin Baldwin made Honor Band at Bowling Green University and plans to major in Music there.

## Welcome!



RMS Band would like to welcome Andy Hartman.



He will be a long term substitute for Mrs. Duncan through the month of May.

He is the drum line instructor for the high school band. Andy has a degree in music education from Ohio State. If you need to contact Mr. Harman please email him at [Andy.Hartman@rossrams.com](mailto:Andy.Hartman@rossrams.com)



**Dates to Remember**

- Jan 6th Band Booster Meeting 7pm
- Jan 9th Pep Band Basketball Game 6:30pm
- Jan 14th Eli's in Ross, Dine to Donate 4pm—11 pm
- Jan 28th Fudge Orders Due
- Jan 20th DC trip payment due \$80
- Feb 7th Fudge Making Day—RHS
- Feb 13th & 20 Pep Band Basketball Game 6:30pm
- Feb 15th Solo and Ensemble contest Blanchester HS
- Feb 25th Fudge Money Due



**Solo and Ensemble Contest**

*The contest will be held at Blanchester High School on Feb 15th. Students are working on their music now. We have over 22 events registered.*

**Fudge Sale**

The fudge sale kicked off on December 15th, 2014. If you are interested in purchasing delicious home-made fudge, just see any Ross Band member, 5th—12th grade, to put in an order.

The band is selling peanut butter and chocolate fudge for \$5.00 per pound. All orders need to be turned in to your child's band director by January 28th, 2015.

The fudge making day is set for Saturday February 7th beginning at 8am in the high school's home economics room. Many volunteers are needed to help make fudge. You can help as much or as little as your schedule allows. Please contact Rick Giuliano (868-9678) or Diann Bielefeld (756-9107) if you can help. They will let you know what to bring and where to enter the high school that morning. Fudge orders will be delivered on February 9th and all money will be due on February 25th.



**Band Booster Officers**

- President:: Leslie Ellis iago@zoomtown.com
- Vice President : Rick Gulliano rggiuliano@aol.com
- Secretary : Sharlene Vanlandingham sharlenev@roadrunner.com
- Treasurer : Mary Ann Henninger henrdmnr@aol.com

**JANUARY**

***Happy Birthday!***

**RHS BAND**

Lindsay Gottlieb

Jacob Reid

Jack Kluener

Ashley Pugh

Stephanie Rosenbalm

Joshua Toney

Nick Woolum

**RMS BAND**



Dawson Hawkins

Claire Bulach

Jake Kahmann

Kevin Bunger

**Fundraising Event**

Visit Eli's in Ross Wednesday January 14th between 4pm-11pm. The band will earn 10% of the sales. After placing your order, drop your receipt in the basket marked "Ross Band Boosters".

**Band Savings Card**

The cards are \$5.00 each with discounts at many local businesses. These discounts will be good for all of 2015 and can be used as much as you want. You can buy cards from Mrs. Duncan, Mr. Roemer and at certain home varsity basketball games. You can also request cards to buy or sell by emailing a request to rossbandsupporters@gmail.com.

see the band website for more information

[www.rossbandofclass.com](http://www.rossbandofclass.com)