

WELCOME TO THE 2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR OF THE PENDLETON HEIGHTS HIGH SCHOOL BANDS

Dear Students and Parents,

Welcome to the start of a new year. We are excited to have each of you be a part of the program at PHHS. We have planned a year full of opportunities to learn, grow, and perform. It is our hope that you will enjoy seeing the progress that your student makes throughout the year.

The Pendleton Heights Band program has a history of great things and we want to build and capitalize on those. A successful program has parents and students that have a strong shared vision, and parents and students that will work hard towards that vision. Compassion, determination, practice, and hard work are other parts. We have all ready seen that take place. We know we can and will continue to grow and serve the students of South Madison.

The final ingredient is communication. We are always willing to share our thought process and ideas we have for the students. Please know that everything we do will be in the best interest of students. We love working with young people and are passionate about learning through the arts. As we all work together, please feel free to communicate about these things throughout the year.

As always, we attempt to give you as much information as possible in the beginning. Please be flexible and patient as we continue to create the best program for each student each year.

As is happening throughout the school district, we have had our share of cutbacks as well. The performing arts secretary position has been eliminated, so we have changed some of our procedures in handling funds and collecting information. Parent help is being utilized and most things go through a director first.

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