




BAND NOTES


The Newsletter of the Pride of PSL Band & Boosters

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**PERFORMANCE
 DATES & SPECIAL
 EVENTS:**

- Nov. 6th (Sat.)
 District Marching
 MPA Jensen Beach
 High School Stadium
 Report time: 2 pm
 Please refer to the
 detailed itinerary on
 the 2nd page of this
 newsletter and website.
- Nov. 15th (Monday)
 Golden Corral (PSL)
 to honor Veteran's
 Performance 5 - 8 pm
- Dec. 2nd (Thurs.)
 Booster Meeting 7 pm
- Dec. 4th (Sat.) 
 Holiday Parade
 Civic Center
 5:30 pm - Details TBA
- Dec. 10th (Fri.)
 Winter Concert
 PSL HS Auditorium
 7 pm - Tickets: \$5.00
 Tickets sold
 at the door.





*It's the Most Wonderful
 Time of the Year*

WINTER CONCERT

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10TH, 2010

SHOW TIME 7:00 PM

(DOORS OPEN AT 6:45 PM)

Invite your family and friends for
 a spectacular evening filled with
 Holiday favorites and more.

All Tickets: \$5.00 (Sold at the door)
 PSL High School Auditorium

Holiday Bazaar Table

The boosters will be selling t-shirts (with band insignias and cute sayings); bleacher seat cushions, megaphones and other Jaguar memorabilia. These items are ideal for stocking stuffers for your band student or favorite Jaguar fan! All proceeds go to the band.

**Welcome to our site....
 we are the "Pride of PSL"**

Stay up date on the latest news by logging into the band's website (either through the PSL HS website-click Band) or at: prideofpsl.yolasite.com
Also on FaceBook
 (Submit your questions on the website.)

**HOLIDAY GIFT WRAP
 FUNDRAISER**



**Treasure Coast Mall
 Jensen Beach**

**Begins November 29th
 through Dec. 24th**
Open during all Mall Hours

Weekday hours: 10 am - 9 pm
Saturday hours: 9 am - 9 pm
Sunday hours: 11 am - 6 pm
 (Shifts are broken into 4 hour shifts:
 10-2pm / 2-6pm / 6-9 pm - closing.)

Extended mall hours will apply as the date gets closer to Christmas.

The band's largest fundraiser of the year is upon us as we gear up to work Port St. Lucie HS Band's Holiday Gift Wrap booth. We need every student and parent to participate and to sign up for as many shifts as possible. If you have an adult friend or family member who is available during the weekday daytime hours, please ask for their help. Come out and enjoy spending time this holiday season with your band family.

**Call our Co-Chairs today to
 sign up for your shifts!**
Linda Hall (772) 398-3377
Brenda DeCara (772) 879-6225



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District Marching MPA Saturday, Nov. 6th

Jensen Beach High
School Stadium 2875
NW Goldenrod Rd,
Jensen Beach, FL 34957

Student Report Time
At band room: 2:00 pm

Leave for Jensen Beach
High School: 2:45 pm

Watch bands: 3:30pm

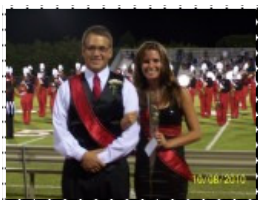
For dinner, students need to bring their own money with them to purchase food at the concession stand. Note: This meal will not be hosted by the boosters.

PSL Scheduled
To Perform: 7:40 pm
Cost for tickets: \$5.00
(Come out and support the PSL Band!)

Leave for PSL: 10 pm

Parent Pick Up: 11 pm

2010 Homecoming Court



Congratulations to our band students,
Kendal Hamblin
and Zachary
Borodemos
(pictured above)

for being elected to
represent the PSL



Band and to Alyssa Hedrick (pictured to
the right) for representing the National
Honor Society at Homecoming.

INFORMATION FOR FBA DISTRICT MARCHING MPA

The following is information for FBA
District Marching MPA that will help ensure
our success. Please share this with your
parents and make your plans for this
important event.

What to wear.... Students are to arrive
dressed in black shorts, Swing Time tee-shirts
and band shoes with black socks. Band will
dress in band uniforms before we leave for the
event. Students who show up not dressed
properly will not be allowed to perform.

Eating.... Make sure you eat a good lunch.
You need to bring money to pay for your evening
meal at the concession.

ITINERARY.... Please **KNOW** where to be
and **WHEN** to be there. This is your
responsibility, not your parents.

The Pride of Port St. Lucie Jaguar Marching Band earned Straight Superiors at Crown Jewel Festival!

On October 16th - the Jaguar band competed amongst the finest of high school marching bands in Florida performing their 2010 Swing Time Half-time show at the 29th annual Crown Jewel Marching Band Festival. **PSL earned straight superiors in all categories of the preliminary competition in the Emerald Division.** The Citrus Bowl Stadium at Vero Beach High School came alive with hundreds of spectators to see and hear the talented young musicians perform their half-time shows.

Other high schools that competed in this year's festival included: Ruby Division, Okeechobee (Best Music, Best General Effect, Best Auxiliary, Best Percussion and Grand Champion trophies.) Palm Beach Gardens earned Best Marching and first runner-up; South Fork second runner-up. Emerald Division, Jensen Beach gained Best Music, Best General Effect, Best Marching, Best Percussion and Grand Champion titles this year. Clearwater received first runner-up, and **Port St. Lucie was named second runner-up!** From the Diamond Division, Sebastian River received Best Music, Best General Effect, Best Auxiliary and Grand Champion trophies. J. P. Taravella from Coral Springs earned Best Percussion and first runner-up; second runner-up going to Melbourne.

The Crown Jewel Band Festival is sponsored by the Vero Beach HS Band and the Fighting Indians Band Boosters which was formed 29 years ago and is one of the oldest of its kind. This event provides invaluable constructive evaluation with placement, ratings, comments and education from leading clinicians in the industry. Thank you to all the Jaguar fans who came out to support the band.



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Fund Raising

An up-to date view:

- **2010 Fall Sports Program**
\$3,245.00 to-date
-1,507.50 to students
-1,747.50 to boosters
-439.33 for print cost
- **Dining to Donate**
(Homecoming Night)
Applebee's – TBA.
- **Huntington Learning Center**
Testing – TBA.
- **Home Candles**
\$1,397.00 total
-314.33 to students
-279.32 to boosters
-803.35 for cost
- **City Enjoyment Books**
\$4,060.00 total
-1,015.00 to students
-775.00 to boosters
-2,270.00 for cost

Cont'd.... Fund Raisers

- **Playing for Donations**
Big Lots.....\$340.48
Walgreens.....\$165.52
- **Mall Gift Wrap Booth**
(beginning on Nov. 29th thru Dec. 24th. Sign up today!

Further fundraising projects will be scheduled after the new year.

All information for fundraisers should be submitted to Maria Silva at mesilva312@gmail.com. The information submitted will be reviewed by the Executive Board and band director for presentation to the band boosters.

Due to the commitments already calendared for band students, the staff and boosters, we are limited to the number of fundraisers that can be accommodated.

Fundraising is a vital component to the success of this band and determines what activities the band can or can not participate in (due to the cost of transportation, meals, etc.)

Ongoing fundraising is a mission of this booster club and crucial to the success of the entire band organization. Thank you for your support of each of the fundraising opportunities presented.

Booster Promotional Items For Sale are:

1. **Sports programs ... \$5.00**
(limited number of copies left)
2. **T'Shirts \$5.00**
Misc band related insignias Music Notes; Bass Clefs; Treble Clefs; Color Guard and Dance; Band Parents shirts; and other promotional t'shirts.
For sizes and to purchase a shirt, contact Steve Shea at Cell: (772) 985-2524.
3. **Bleacher Seat Covers.... \$5.00**
Miscellaneous megaphones, and other band memorabilia including the items listed above will be on display for sale at our Winter Concert. These items make ideal stocking stuffers for your band student or Jaguar fan!

**Calling All Senior Parents !!!
Make sure your senior band student is included in this year's video presentation!!!**

We do not want any senior to be left out of the video production which will be featured at the 2010 Band Banquet & Award Ceremonies.

Please forward up to 3 pictures of your graduating senior from baby pictures to current to: Maria Silva mesilva312@gmail.com and Michelle Romano at ccheller@aol.com.

Have a safe and happy Thanksgiving!

