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Summer 2018

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#### FILL THE TRUCK EVENT



### Saturday, August 4th 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

The donation collection truck will be located in the OF Middle School front parking lot: 27045 Bagley Rd.

(in front of Middle School near circular drive)



#### **Support OFHS Band**

## 2ND ANNUAL OLMSTED FALLS HIGH SCHOOL MATTRESS FUNDRAISER



When: Saturday, August 4

Time: 10AM-5PM

Where: THE MIDDLE SCHOOL Event Link: bit.ly/beds4olmstedfalls



See flyers for Fill the Truck and Mattress Sale at end of newsletter for more details and to be printed and distributed to family and friends.



Visit the OFMA tent at
Heritage Days, August 2-4,2018
Spirit gear, water and other items will be available for purchase.

Follow OFMA on twitter or facebook for details on how you can help.



#### Middle School Music News



#### The REIGN of OFMS's choirs and bands

The 7th Grade Women's Ensemble, 8th Grade Chamber Ensemble, 7th Grade Symphonic Band and 8th Grade Symphonic band received Superior ratings at large group contests.



The 8th Grade Chamber Ensemble not only received a Superior rating, this group was the only Class A choir at contest to received straight 1's!



OFMS's Golden Harmonies received Gold (the highest rating) at the Spring Music Festival at Cedar Point.



OFMS's Jazz Band received Superior rating and 1st place at Music In the Parks festival sponsored by Cedar Point.

Congratulations to all participants!!

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#### Honors & Recognitions





Hope Burkart, a 2018 Olmsted Falls is the recipient of the Baldwin Wallace Outstanding Community School High School Senior Pauline Diamond Award and the 2018 Girl Scout Gold Award.

Hope has been involved with the BW Conservatory Community Outreach Program since

2012 with participation in the Youth Honors Wind Ensemble, Youth Orchestra-Philharmonic, Conservatory Summer Intensive (CSI), Leader-In-Training (LIT),

band and piano camp.



Debby Barber from the Friends of the BW Conservatory presenting award to Hope.

It was Hope's deep involvement with BW's Conservatory Outreach department that led her to a project that garnered her the 2018 Girl Scout Gold Award.

During her time working with BW's Conservatory Outreach department she found that percussion equipment would get lost and damaged in the storage area. After presenting her concern and ideas to her band director and the school's Dean, Hope designed and installed padding on the walls to keep the instruments safe. She then built stairs and installed carpeting in the area. In order to keep the instruments organized and out of harm's way, she installed shelves and hooks around the area. Future students and visiting artists from around the world will benefit from Hope's Gold Award project.

Hope has been a Girl Scout for 13 years and in addition to this year's Gold Award, Hope has earned the Girl Scout Bronze and Silver Awards.

As a student in Olmsted Falls schools, Hope was very involved in band and choir. During her years at OFHS, Hope was involved in the Treble Choir (women's ensemble), marching band, pit orchestra, jazz band and wind ensemble and wind symphony. Hope was a member of the Cleveland Youth Wind Symphony – Group I for the 2017-18 season. She plans to attend Bowling Green State University this fall as a percussion performance major.

Congratulations Hope!!!!



Dominic's entry was sent on to compete at the National Contest representing Ohio. He composed a woodwind quartet piece.



Congratulations to OFMS 5<sup>th</sup> grader, **Dominic DiFilippo**, who received the Award of Excellence (1<sup>st</sup> place) in the State of Ohio PTA Reflections Music Composition Contest in the Intermediate Grades (3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>) division.



Dominic, along with other Award of Excellence recipients

#### **Cleveland Youth Wind Symphony Recognition**



At the final concert series in April, The Cleveland Youth Wind Symphony (CYWS) recognized & presented certificates to the seniors. Congratulations to OFHS seniors Hope Burkart, Colleen Gareau, Andrew Barnard, Abby Gaba, Emily Kovach and Kevin Kruichuk (not in above picture).

Colleen & Emily were members of CYWS for 3 years. Hope, Abby, Andrew and Kevin were members of CYWS for 1 year.

Congratulations to OFHS freshman Emma Barnard and sophomore Jacob Burdette who completed their first year as members of CYWS.



#### Awards & Scholarships



#### **OFHS Band Awards**

John Phillip Sousa Award Abby Gaba & Andrew Barnard

**Louis Armstrong Jazz Award** Adam Shand & Colleen Gareau

Patrick Gilmore Award
Joe Bertrand & Kayla Mandak

**Director's Award**Hailey Smith & Hope Burkart

Musicianship Award
Catie Shambaugh, Andy Milligan &
Alex Milligan

Merit Award Kai Falcone & Emily Kovach

#### **OFHS Choir Awards**

Quincy Jones Creative Musicianship Award

Marlee McMahan

Fred Waring Director's Award Lizzie Vukovic

National School Choral Award Bill Wendling

> Arion Music Service Award Autumn Knierim

#### **OFMS** Awards

**Band Students of the Year** Sara Schuff & Noah Young

Choir Students of the Year Greg Smith & Madelynn Badowski







#### Tri-M Music

Congratulations to the following seniors who received the honor of becoming members of The Tri-M Music Honor Society

Andrew Barnard Oli
Nikki Egel Kai
Meredith Gardner Col
Emily Kovach Kay
Adam Shand Cas
Grant Young

**Fri-M Music Honor Society**Olivia BongiovanniMaya DaeufelKai FalconeAbby GabaColleen GareauAutumn KnierimKayla MandakDevon McQuillanCassie UrryBill Wendling

#### What is Tri-M?

The Tri-M Music Honor Society® is a program of NAfME (National Association for Music Education) which focuses on creating future leaders in music education and music advocacy.

#### 2018 Senior Music Scholarships

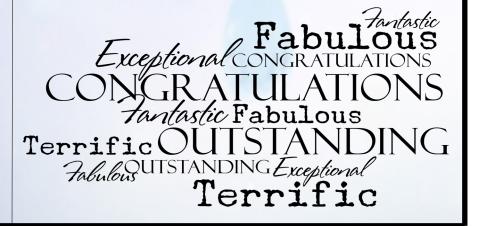
Congratulations to:
Emily Kovach, Hope Burkart, Andrew Barnard &
Andrew Gluvna

Each recipient received a \$1,000 scholarship from OFMA.

#### **2018 Music Camp Scholarships**

Recipients are: Cameron Nelson, Giana Formica & Cara Myers

OFMA will reimburse each recipient up to \$250 after the completion of the camps and the students have submitted the required paperwork.





#### Alumni Music News • Singers Rock



#### From Student to Teacher



Congratulations to **Joe Fudale** (OF class of 2014) for receiving his Bachelor of Music Education from Baldwin Wallace University - Conservatory of Music.

Joe will be the Band Director at Cloverleaf Middle School and the Assistant Director for the Cloverleaf Marching Colts.

Congratulations Joe. We're Bulldog Proud of you!

#### **Pushing to New Heights in Music**



Congratulations to **Zoë Clayburg** (OF class of 2017) for being selected to be a member of the 2018 Guardians Drum and Bugle Corp. The Guardians Drum and Bugle Corp is an Open Class competitive junior drum and bugle corp based in Houston, Texas. From July to August The Guardians will be performing in various cities including at the

Shoremen Brass Classic at Avon Lake High School Memorial Stadium on August 4<sup>th</sup>.

The title of the show The Guardians will be performing is "Damned" and features music of Kendrick Lamar, Kanye West, Kesha, Chance the Rapper, Childish Gambino, Beyoncé, Gustav Mahler, Daniel Montoya Jr., Doug Bush, and Patricia Islas.



"As a member, Guardians will push me to new levels and heights as a musician", say Zoë. Last summer Zoë was a member of the Columbus Saints Drum and Bugle Corp.

To purchase tickets for the Shoremen Brass Classic, click on this link: https://www.dci.org/events/shoremen-brass-classic.

#### **Olmsted Falls Music Alumni**

Are you involved in music? Let us hear from you and all the musically endeavors your are involved in. Send your information to Kathy Green at bgreen9339@aol.com to be posted in upcoming issues of Musical Notes.



Lainey Rambert & Alexis Nelan

#### OFMS singers rocked out with Kenny Loggins at Severance Hall

On May 21st, the Contemporary Youth Orchestra & Chorus rocked Severance Hall with the legendary Kenny Loggins. OFMS students Lainey Rambert and Alexis Nelan were members of the chorus and had the time of their lives rocking out on stage and performing songs such

as Danger Zone, Celebrate Me Home, Footloose and many other iconic songs of Kenny Loggins.

This was not the first time that Lainey and Alexis got to perform with a rock legend. Last year, they performed in the chorus for the Contemporary Youth Orchestra rock

concert with Melissa Etheridge.





Kenny Loggins's daughter joined him on stage.



#### **Expanding & Going Places**



The Olmsted Falls High School is going thru a building construction and expansion which include expanding the music wing. Once completed, the music wing will include enlarged band and choir classrooms, a scene shop for masquers, green room area and increased storage capacity for music and theater equipment and props.

Choir room before demo and expansion



Band room cleared out before demo and expansion.



Choir room during demo and expansion



Rendering of what the band room may look like after expansion.





OFHS Marching Band will travel to Universal Studios in Orlando, Florida February 14- February 19, 2019. For more details click on this link: http://ofcsband.weebly.com/ofhs-band-trip-2019.html



#### Summer Summer Summertime



#### What are you doing musically this summer?

Are you attending a music camp?
Are you taking music or voice lessons?
Are you performing in a concert or musical?

If so...

Submit a brief narrative about your summer musical experience to be included in OFMA's 1st Musical Notes newsletter for the 2018-19 school year.

Submissions should be emailed to Kathy Green at bgreen9339@aol.com by Sunday, August 20th. If you have a picture to go with your narrative, send it too!





#### Save the Dates

Aug. 1st @ 7 p.m.
OFMA meeting (Place TBA)

Aug. 4th 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Fill The Truck event OFMS front parking lot

Aug. 4th 10 a.m. -5 p.m. OFHS Band Mattress Sale Inside OFMS

#### Congratulations OFCSD for the 12th consecutive year!!!



#### 2018-19 OFMA Officers

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#### Cast, Crew & Pit of OFHS's musical Guys & Dolls



















To see more pictures of Guys & Dolls and previous musicals and plays, go to OFHS Masquers' facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/OFMFP/



#### OFMS's spring play A Midsummer Night's Dream & Macbeth









OFMS Pit Orchestra

















To view more pictures click on the following links: http://ebartkowski.wixsite.com/bulldogtheatreco/amidsummer-night-s-dream

http://ebartkowski.wixsite.com/bulldogtheatreco/macbeth



Our Mission: To support, encourage, advance, and cultivate, through volunteerism and fundraising, the musical education of students in the Olmsted Falls City School District.

#### YOUR SUPPORT IS NEEDED FOR THE 2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR!

Donor contributions and fundraising moneys are used to provide additional equipment, extra support, and new learning experiences for all music programs in the Olmsted Falls School District.

Your contribution is tax deductible, as allowed by law. OFMA is a non-profit, 501c3 organization. Many employers match contributions. See if yours does.

For more information contact OFMA Treasurer, Dawn Reigle, at 440-570-8833 or email at dawnreigle@yahoo.com.

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#### FILL THE TRUCK EVENT!



OFMA is partnering with Savers in a donation drive. Savers will compensate OFMA based on the pounds of cloth items collected.

#### Acceptable items are:

- Clothing and shoes
- Accessories (scarves, belts, purses, hats, book bags, cloth lunch boxes)
- Linens, curtains, draperies, towels,, bedding and fabric

OFMA will not accept household items, toys, books, or items that are not cloth.

All donors will receive a tax-deductible receipt! Bring donated items in bags or boxed. Need bags? No problem, we'll have bags. Questions? Contact Gary Andrus at andrusgary@yahoo.com.

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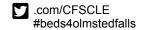






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