

# Handsworth MUSIC NOTES



April 2010

**UPCOMING FINALE CONCERTS** – Plan to attend our final concerts of the year which include our annual Music Award Presentations:

**JUNIOR NIGHT** - **Tuesday, May 18, 2010**  
**Highlands United Church, 7:30 p.m.**

featuring Junior Blue, Junior Gold & Intermediate Concert Bands, Junior & Intermediate Jazz Bands, and Toccati Strings

**SENIOR NIGHT** - **Wednesday, May 19, 2010**  
**Highlands United Church, 7:30 p.m.**

featuring Senior Wind Ensemble, Senior Jazz Band, Chamber Strings, and Concerti Strings

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## **UPCOMING TOURS, FESTIVALS & PERFORMANCES**

- Intermediate Concert & Jazz Bands on performance tour to Kamloops, May 13-16, 2010
- Chamber Ensembles and Solos at Spring Fair, May 1, 2010, all day
- Concerti & Chamber Strings to Kiwanis International Festival, Langley, May 14, 2010 (depart at 8:30 a.m., return by 3:00 p.m.)
- Concerti & Chamber Strings at the Orpheum for Graduation Ceremonies, June 17, 2010

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## **BOTTLE DRIVE - THANKS!**

Thank you to all who supported the Bottle Drive on Saturday, April 17th - \$3130 was raised! A big thanks to all parents and students who helped out; to Deb Burian and Sarah Norbury for organizing the drive; and to Cheers Restaurant for donating the delicious lunch.

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## **MPAC ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - Tues. May 25th, 7 p.m.**

MPAC's Annual General Meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 25, 2010 at 7 p.m. in the music room. All music parents are invited and encouraged to attend. We will discuss the budget, calendar for next year, and any other current issues. Please come out and support the Music Program - it gives our kids a place to belong in a large school, it provides continuity from year to year, it exercises a non-academic part of the brain, it involves teamwork which requires no athletic ability, it gives your kids a chance to go on trips with peers, AND IT NEEDS YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT! If you attend the AGM, you will not be pressured to take on a volunteer position (although there are several available if you are interested!). If you would like to see the proposed budget in advance, please email Carol at [piercyburge@shaw.ca](mailto:piercyburge@shaw.ca)

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## **UNIFORM COLLECTION**

All uniforms will be collected immediately following the Finale Concerts on May 18th (Junior Night) & May 19th (Senior Night); with the exception of Concerti & Chamber Strings students performing at Graduation on June 17th (Mr. Van Ooyen will collect your uniforms at that time). We appreciate your assistance. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact one of us.

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