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STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC NEWSLETTER

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THE TRADITION CONTINUES



SENIOR NIGHT



ELEMENTARY TOURS

POSITIVE NOTES!

MICHAEL D. SEKICH, DIRECTOR OF BANDS



Drum Major Kole Micakaj, AKA Freddie style! Aaaaaaaayooooo

Congratulations to the Stevenson Titan Marching Band on your 1st Division Rating! Thank you so much to all of the Parent volunteers that assisted in making this year's festival a HUGE success for all students! All of the bands are working very hard, and we are transitioning into Concert Season. Everyone has music to practice! There should be PLENTY of musical sounds coming from everyone's home! Thank you for your support!

DATE CHANGE-We had to move our Marching Band Banquet to DECEMBER 16th @ 6:30pm due to a MSBOA last minute change of the MSBOA Honors Band Concert. Have a safe and Happy Halloween!

Musically Yours,
 Mr. Sekich

Upcoming Dates

- November 1st- Home Playoff Game! 5pm call time.
- November 3rd- Winter Guard Auditions
- November 4th- Solo and Ensemble DEADLINE.
- November 5th- No School, Election Day.
- November 6th- Band Booster Meeting, 7pm.
- November 27th-Thanksgiving Day Break.



MSBOA Festival Night!



Homecoming 2019



Friday Night Lights!

BAND BOOSTER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Good morning,

Wow, what a finish to the season! The 28th year of Division 1 is very strong. Another marching band season is in the books and as I write this, we find out that we are hosting a home playoff game! What a culture that has transpired over the last couple of months not only in our band but the fall sports scene at Stevenson High School! Not only has our football team made the playoffs but the ladies swim team improved this year as well as ladies golf and others I have may have missed. It's a proud time to be a Titan!

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of the parents who have stepped up to help with an incredibly challenging but rewarding October for our band program these past three or four weeks. We hosted two wonderful events – Band-A-Rama and MSBOA Festival both of which shined a light on the quality of our band program and support of our band families. Compliment after compliment were received and heard, not only from Mr. Sekich but the UCS community. A huge round of applause to all of you for your dedication and hard work making this band season a success. The kids in our marching band really appreciate it even though they might not say it all the time!

Even though marching band season is winding down (with maybe a couple of playoff games!!), band is not over! We have many things coming up soon that need your attention including fundraising, Christmas concerts, Solo and Ensemble competitions, and marching band banquet. Please stay tuned to the Booster Facebook page as well as the website to stay updated with any changes!

Thank you again for a wonderful marching band season, Happy Halloween and Happy Thanksgiving!


Signed,
Darren Petras


Executive Board Members

Darren Petras - President
Amy Kies - Vice President
Brigita Tuller - Treasurer
Kathleen Benka - Fundraising
Juli Elkins - Secretary

WINTER GUARD INFORMATION

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Chimera Essence Winter Guard

Auditions 2019-2020

Come audition for Chimera Essence Winter Guard for the 2019-2020 season!

When: November 3rd from 10-4

Where: Stevenson High School Band room in Sterling Heights

Winter guard is a mixed performance activity of music, dance and spinning equipment such as flags and rifles. We perform in the Michigan Color Guard Circuit in the Independent Regional A division.




No experience is needed to audition! We will teach you everything you need to know if you attend. Current 9th-12th graders are eligible to audition.

We will also be having rifle line auditions. If you have rifle experience and have your own rifle, please bring it to auditions.

Please wear comfortable clothing and gym shoes to auditions. Please bring a lunch as we will be giving a break in the middle.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us! You can email the Chimera Essence coaches at SHSTitanGuard@gmail.com. We also use the Remind app. You can add yourself to our class and contact a coach through there using this link <https://www.remind.com/join/chimeraes>.

We can't wait to see you there!

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