

Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School Band Newsletter



The Bees marching season has come to an end with great work from all the students and faculty. This season provided many fun and memorable experiences for the students. One marching band student reflects on his favorite band experience this year in the following article.



My favorite band experience of this year was the Senior Show. This final time marching at home with all my senior friends was a mixed bag of emotions. I felt glad that we would no longer have to endure the cold weather, but I also felt sad knowing this could possibly be the last time I would march with them. Over this marching season, I grew an even stronger bond to the friends I had made last year in band. Although this was a moment of sadness seeing friends I had made over the last 2 years have to go, I wouldn't have had it any other way. From watching my fellow saxophone seniors be recognized before pregame to the last moments of Le Regiment as I bowed to the departing seniors, I loved every second of it. As the night ran to a close, I realized once again that band is more than just friends, band is family.
– Andrew Flis

Holiday Concert

The Bees made a grand entrance into the concert season with their holiday concert. The students did an outstanding job performing and getting people in the holiday spirit. The concert was opened with an amazing performance by the Jazz Ensemble. The Woodwind Choir and Brass Choir were also featured throughout the concert. The students played a wide range of music from traditional Christmas music to mixed melodies of Christmas music. The concert was finished with the Wind Ensemble performing the traditional Sleigh Ride, really getting people into the Christmas spirit.



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Holiday Field Trips

On December 16th, the Woodwind Choir and Brass Choir went on their annual field trip to local businesses and nursing homes in Brecksville. They played Christmas carols and got people in the Christmas spirit.

Jazz Band Field Trip

The Jazz Band went on their annual trip to the IX Center. They performed many arrangements and helped get people in the holiday spirit.



Band Truck

The Band was extremely fortunate to get a new truck this year and are looking for donations to help pay for it. To help spread awareness, our Publicity Officer, Katy Bilek, made a promotional video to let people know. If you are interested in donating money please go to the GoFundMe link below.

<https://www.gofundme.com/bbhhsbandtruck>



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