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"Bach gave us God's Word. Mozart gave us God's laughter. Beethoven gave us God's fire. God gave us Music that we might pray without words."

-- quote from outside an old opera house

Reflections

What a fabulous week this has been! On Tuesday, the Concert Band and Wind Ensemble performed wonderfully at the SCSBOA Festival in Baldwin Park. Both groups earned Excellents and one judge even gave Concert Band a Superior Rating. Regardless of their scores, they both performed extremely well. One judge even commented that the Concert Band played "Amparito Roca" so well that they could not have played it better.

Then, String Orchestra and Symphony Orchestra traveled to Long Beach to perform at Long Beach Poly at a "String Only" festival. Symphony Orchestra received Unanimous Superiors and String Orchestra received an Excellent rating. Even though it rained and we ended coming back to CV around 8:30 at night, it was a great evening. I'm proud of all our performing groups and know that we'll be extremely successful in Hawaii.

Last Friday was our annual Spring Concert. We had a remarkable full house as all of our groups performed for friends and family. As always, it was our best concert yet. We continue to grow musically and produce memorable concerts. Dvd's and CD's of the concert are available. Mr. Schick has forms at School.

Lastly, I would like to thank the Krispy Kreme Crew who worked on Saturday, at Dominics, they sold out their 15 doz in 45 minutes!! Kudos to the dynamic crew! We still need volunteers to work Krispy Kreme. Please sign-up NOW.

Important Dates this week: check <http://falconmusic.org/Instrumental/Calendar/detailed.htm> for more details.

Tuesday, 3/29 – Hawaii Trip Meeting. 7:00-8:15pm, CV Auditorium.

EVERY Hawaii-bound student AND THEIR PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN must attend.

Friday, 4/1 – Choral Spring Concert, Auditorium. 7pm

Important Dates next week: check <http://falconmusic.org/Instrumental/Calendar/detailed.htm> for more details

Tuesday, 4/5 – NO boosters meeting. Postponed to Tuesday, 4/19, 7-8pm

Thursday, 4/7 – HAWAII Trip Departure day! Pre-dawn departure times: check schedule!!

Friday, 4/8 – End 3rd Quarter, Minimum Day

Saturday, 4/9 – Sunday, 4/17 – Spring Break. NO SCHOOL

See's Candy is in

See's candy was delivered on the 16th of March. We still have about 15 – 20 students who have not picked up their order. Please pick them up in the music room.

Hawaii Meeting – Mandatory – 3/29 7:00 p.m.

This Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. is our mandatory Hawaii meeting. You will have a chance to meet your chaperones and discuss any special needs you may have. We will also be passing out bus lists and itineraries.

General Fundraising Opportunities

KRISPE KREME - (\$5.00 per hour per person)

Click on the Krispy Kreme link on the homepage for more info, or contact Michelle Pashayi for more information. - (818)-249-9718 or by email: Falcondonuts@yahoo.com

Download order form from www.falconmusic.org and turn in to Mr. Schick to get a box of 50 bars.

ESCRIP – **Electronic Scrip fundraiser.** . Go to www.falconmusic.org and click the link "escrip."

This is the easiest fundraiser to help the music department. Our group name is Falconmusic and our ID number is **149030987**.

KOREAN SCRIP – Contact Eunice Cho (sahron4689@aol.com) for scrip from Korean Grocery stores in Glendale.

Web Page Update – www.falconmusic.org

Newsletter, Calendar Updates, Jazz Band Pictures, Festival Results, Concert Band Pictures

Musical Joke of the week:

Q: How do you get a guitarist to turn down? A: Put a chart in front of him.

Until next week...

Musically yours,

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