

PARENTS MUSIC CLUB



August, 2015
Musical Greetings!

The Parents Music Club welcomes you to the 2015-2016 musical school year!
The PMC is a non-profit parent-driven organization that raises money for all the Performing arts programs (music and drama) in the Portsmouth Public School System.

This last school year was outstanding, filled with lots of musical accomplishments by our students! And thanks to the generosity of PMC supporters, membership dollars contributed to many musical activities in the Portsmouth schools. Here are just a few....

- Scholarships for elementary instrumental students
- Additional financial support for elementary music teachers
- Scholarships for summer music and drama programs
- Scholarships for college-bound music students
- Assistance for Middle School band and chorus participating in the Great East Music Festival
- Support for the purchase of audio equipment and instruments
- Financial assistance to all schools for trip competitions

Most of our money is raised through membership and concert ticket sales. Concerts are held throughout the year at the Portsmouth High School and feature a combination of elementary, middle and high school students.

Will you help us? Please fill out the membership form and mail it to the supplied address or return it to your child's music teacher. (That information is on the flip side!!)

We welcome you to join us at the Parents Music Club meetings held once each month in the choir room at Portsmouth High School. And please consider joining our board!

We thank you in advance for your support of the Parents Music Club and hope to see you at our concerts.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive that reads "Lori P. Lampert".

Lori Lampert
PMC President

A handwritten signature in cursive that reads "Steve Cirillo".

Steve Cirillo
Dept Head of the Performing Arts, K-12

Vice President – Dyann Tuttle
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Musically speaking... some 2015-2016 events and dates to remember:

PHS Marching Band performances at home football games

Marching Band Competitions: NESBA (New England Scholastic Band Assoc)
Wakefield H/S 10/10 Billerica H/S 10/17
MICCA Finals - 240 Osgood St, Lawrence Veterans Memorial Stadium 10/25
NESBA Finals - 240 Osgood St, Lawrence Veterans Memorial Stadium 11/1

Seacoast Choral Festival 10-27
PHS Fall Musical: 11-19 11-20 11-21 11-22
Portsmouth Holiday Tree Lighting/Parade: 12-5 (Weather 12-6)
PMS Holiday Concert 12-9 (snow 12-10) / All-City Holiday Concert 12-16 (snow 12-17)
Chocolate Festival/Chamber Concert 2-10 (snow 2-11)
NH Regional Drama Festival March TBD

PARENTS MUSIC CLUB
2015-2016 MEMBERSHIP FORM

Please note that you are automatically a member if your child is in the Performing Arts Department.

NAME(S) _____

ADDRESS _____ E-MAIL _____

CITY/TOWN _____

PHONE _____

STUDENT(S)	SCHOOL(S)	MUSICAL GROUP(S)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

MEMBERSHIP CONTRIBUTION:
\$5 _____ \$25 _____ Raffle Donation _____
\$10 _____ **\$50 _____

_____ I would like to volunteer my time as a Membership Contribution (Keep an eye out for invitations from VolunteerSpot)
_____ Yes, I would like to volunteer to help at concerts.

**** Donors making contributions of \$50 or more will be given a laminated 'Gold Member Card' and be on our list for free admission, free water and chocolate for two family members to all concerts. There will no longer be reserved seating, but you can bypass the Admission/Ticket table. Please make checks payable to Parents Music Club.**

You can either return them to school with your child, or mail them directly to:

Portsmouth High School Performing Arts Dept.
Attn. Steve Cirillo
50 Andrew Jarvis Drive
Portsmouth NH 03801

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