

CPSBB # 115:

Did you see the TubaChristmas on November 24th? It was really something, and you will never believe this that of the 39 musicians that performed in this concert, 18 were from the Pumpkin Show Band. The weather..as you know..it was lousy, but even so, a darn good audience was on hand, and they enjoyed what they heard.

Now we are ready for our Christmas Concert...scheduled for Sunday, December 22nd, at 2:00 in the afternoon, in the upper room of the Trinity Lutheran Church. The same place we have all of our Christmas Concerts.

Now the concert starts at 2:00, so, as you all know, Cliff likes for us to be on hand no later than half an hour earlier. So, be there no later than 1:30.

AND..this is a DRESS UP Concert. That means men and boys wear coats and Ties, and women and girls wear dress or dress pant suits.

After tonight's rehearsal, we will have only two more before the concert, so if YOU are planning to play in the Christmas Concert, please try to make both of them.

And guess what..Cliff has a Christmas present for us...no more rehearsals after the Christmas Concert until Tuesday, January 7th. At that time we will start working on our Spring Concert which will be held in late March.

And guess what, we have picked up three new members in the past two weeks: Tom and Jan Schweiterman, and Jennifer Tedrow.

Tom plays the saxophone..Jan the Clarinet, and Jennifer the flute. We certainly are glad to have these three new members. They are joining what many of us feel is an elite group.

And you know what, with the three new members, we now have 68 people in the band. Would'nt it be WONDERFUL if all 68 attended rehearsals on a regular basis? And if we get 60 or more at ALL concerts? Or better yet, how about 68 at the concerts?

REMEMBER, after our Christmas Concert, no more rehearsals until Tuesday, January 7th, 1979.

In the meantime..have a MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR. And what say in our list of New Year's Resolutions we include: "I hereby resolve to miss as few Pumpkin Show Band rehearsals as is humanly possible." "I further resolve to make it my duty to attend rehearsals, because I realize that without rehearsals, we cannot continue to be a GOOD band.

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