

The Adelphi Community Band

Adelphi, Ohio
Established 1880



Newsletter



October 25, 2022

Greetings!

When temperatures are in the 70's and you are considering wearing shorts to a parade, it is hard to describe this past weekend as Pumpkin Show weather. Earlier that week? Absolutely!

Try as we might to slow the march of time, November is literally just around the corner. As you may have guessed, Jeff Mathew has provided the details for our next practice, in preparation for our performance on November 11th.

See you in November!

John Mathew

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PUMPKIN SHOW REFLECTIONS:

Thanks much for everyone who was able to play either night at the Pumpkin Show. Actually, all of you guys played **both** nights, which is probably a record for the band.

After the rough weather to start the week, and with many of you playing in multiple bands all week, by the time summer temps returned Friday and Saturday, I'm sure sitting on the porch with your feet up, seemed pretty inviting....to you too. I'm not sure why my back hurts so much when it is my feet that I'm walking on.

You guys sounded great both nights. And, as always, thanks to Mr. Vandette for pulling the band wagon for us.

All of us have done a lot of parades in our musical careers, but for me, it is hard to beat the excitement of a Pumpkin Show evening parade. I love the lights and the music of a night time parade.

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I will share one story (paraphrased), without naming names:

One of our musicians was sent to the Pumpkin Show with a list of Pumpkin Show specific food items to be picked up and brought back for multiple family members. When this musician got back home, I checked to see if everything passed “inspection”, and this person said that the loving Spouse apparently made mention that if the musician had taken the fold up wagon, then more food could have been brought back...or something like that.

Several other Pumpkin Show things of interest

a). A few Pumpkin Show pics have been placed on the band web site:

<https://adelphiband.weebly.com/2022-pictures.html>

You guys definitely clean up well.

b). A “Thank you” to Tom Spring for giving us some official recognition for the Saturday night concert.

Here was his exact message from Friday night:

“Tonight when the Adelphi Band goes through the parade, the announcers at the East Franklin/South Pickaway stage are going to promote our concert on Saturday. Had I thought it through more, I would have emailed the announcers at the other platforms as I didn't see our concert listed in the written program”

c). The Friday Night Parade (Fraternal Organizations) is available to watch on YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AU3kBo4vO88&t=234s>

The band comes in at @ 2:50 mark

Harold Collins, the Trumpet player from Lancaster/Pigeon Forge who sat in with us at the Fairfield County Fair, was nice enough to send this message:

“The band looked and sounded great, all the way down here in TN “

d). The Saturday Night Parade (Queens Parade) is available to watch on YouTube:

(NOTE: as of 10-23, the Saturday night video is labeled on YouTube as “10-21” instead of “10-22”)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SuUiaQj3gKU&t=142s>

The band comes in @ the 2:00 mark.

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SCHEDULE:

We have just 2 things happening before we finish out the year.

NOVEMBER 2022:

CONFIRMED PRACTICE:

Monday November 7, 2022, 7:30 PM,

Calvary UM Church, *(same as in September. 427 South Washington Street, Circleville, use the door with the ramp in the back off the alley.*

The November Practice List will be sent out later, as will the Concert List for the Veterans Day Performance. They are supposedly still making decisions on what they want us to do.

Friday November 11, 2022, Pickaway County Veterans Day Program

Time to be determined, but probable start @ 11:30 AM

We have accepted their offer to perform at the **Pickaway County Veterans Day Program** at the Pickaway County Fairgrounds. Details to follow.

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