The Adelphi Community Band



Adelphi, Ohio Established 1880

Newsletter



Date: April 21, 2017

This week Glenn provided the following information for the 2017 season. Dates with question marks (??) indicate the arrangements are not yet confirmed. The other items within () are my comments.

Practices in May will concentrate on four books of music. They will be held at the Hallsville School House and begin at 7:30pm on the following Mondays:

May 8

May 15

May 22

Performances:

May 28 – 1pm at Pleasant Hill Church, on S.R. 327 south of Adelphi.

May 28 – 2pm at Green Summit Cemetery in Adelphi.

May 29 – 9:30am at the Hallsville Community Church on S.R. 180.

10:30am meet at the Hallsville School House for parade to the cemetery.

June 17 – 12:30pm at the Pickaway County Fair Grandstand – play for horse racing.

July 4 – 11am at Ashville for the July 4th parade.

July 22 – 11:30am for the Lancaster Music Festival, Fairfield County Fairgrounds.

July ?? - Laurelville Fireman's Festival. ??

(In recent years we have performed the same day as the Lancaster Festival, noted above. This included a 4pm concert, followed by the parade at 6pm.)

August 5 – 11:30am for the Ross County Fair horse racing.

August 6 – 11:30am for the Ross County Fair horse racing.

September 9 - ?? Hallsville Fun Day ??

September 23 - ?? Jackson Apple Festival ??

(In recent years we have performed in the parade at 7:45pm.)

October 13 – 11:30am for the Fairfield County Fair horse races, Lancaster.

October 20 – 8pm Circleville Pumpkin Show parade

October 21 – 7pm concert at the Pickaway Visitors Pavilion, Circleville.

(In 2016 the concert was held at 6pm)

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Glenn only provided three (3) practice dates, all during the month of May. It is anticipated that additional dates will be announced at a later time.

Those with internet service might want to review the Adelphi Community Band web site at: http://adelphiband.weebly.com/. Included are photos from our 2016 performances, including the Lancaster Fair and Circleville Pumpkin Show. Recent additions include some of the classic stories that have been part of the Adelphi Band experience for decades. Among them:

- A "Why I joined the band" conversation with Dave Pontious.
- How a band member selects a car.
- What ever happened to the music for Fort Gay?
- The difference between Darbydale and Darbyville is only 13 miles, which is the difference between making a concert and missing one.

Lastly, if you know area musicians, talk to them about playing in the band. Sometimes that's all it takes to grow a group.

See you this summer!

John Mathew

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