The Adelphi Community Band



Adelphi, Ohio Established 1880

Newsletter



Date: April 28, 2018

This week Glenn provided the following information for the 2018 season. Glenn did note that there may be some adjustments as the year unfolds, but this is the schedule as it is currently known.

Practices:

They <u>will not</u> be held in the Hallsville School house for the foreseeable future. They have had issues with heat, which resulted in broken pipes, which resulted in no restroom facilities.

Instead, we will be practicing at the Adelphi Fire House, which also serves as the Adelphi Senior Center (http://www.adelphiohio.com/community.html). It is located at 11759 Market Street, Adelphi, OH. Some of our longer-term members will recall this as the former Adelphi School where we practiced back in the 60's.

Practices will begin at **7:30pm** on the following **Mondays**:

May 7

May 21

June 11 (strawberries & ice cream)

Performances:

May 27 – 1pm at Pleasant Hill Church, on S.R. 327 south of Adelphi.

May 27 – 2pm at Green Summit Cemetery in Adelphi.

May 28 – 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 16 – 12:30pm at the Pickaway County Fair Grandstand – play for horse racing.

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

July 21 – 12:45pm for the Lancaster Music Festival, Fairfield County Fairgrounds.

July 21 - Laurelville Fireman's Festival: 4:30pm concert, 6:00pm parade

August 4 – 11:30am for the Ross County Fair horse racing.

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

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

October 19 – 8pm Circleville Pumpkin Show parade

October 20 – Circleville Pumpkin Show: 6:30pm concert, 8pm parade

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Glenn only provided three (3) practice dates, all during the months of May and June. If additional dates are added, they will be announced.

Those with internet service might want to review the Adelphi Community Band web site at: http://adelphiband.weebly.com/. Included are photos from our 2017 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:

- How a band member selects a car.
- How far some members travel to attend engagements.
- What ever happened to the music for Fort Gay?
- A "Why I joined the band" conversation with Dave Pontious.
- 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
