

Band Updates and Road Closures



Several new pieces of information that have been confirmed even since this week's band newsletter:

1. Road Closings Affecting Laurelville:

1a).

Rt 56 should be closed now to sometime next week for road work happening not far from the Dairy Shed...*the 2nd happiest place on earth.*

While that is scheduled to be completed before the band plays at Laurelville on 6-10, we all have been around to know that road construction dates are merely suggestions. Plan accordingly.

1b). Many thanks to Tom Spring for bringing this construction project to my attention since I had not read this one yet, but 56 is **also** scheduled to be closed between 159 and 180 (*Coming out of Adelphi*) from June 5 to July. (*Graphic from Tom's note is below*)

My **guess** on this one is that the construction is actually just west of Salt Creek School.

NEW IMPACTS

SR 56 between SR 159 and SR 180 will close starting 7 a.m., Monday, June 5 through July 2023 for culvert replacement.

Detour: SR 56 to SR 159 to SR 180 or reverse.

I figure that most of you already know your way around to know what some good alternate routes are. But, if you need some ideas for routes based on where you

are coming from, just let me know and I can send you a map of either primarily state routes, or back roads, whichever you prefer.

Regardless, though, you will probably want to allow yourself some additional time to get to Laurelville.

Many thanks to Bryan for agreeing to haul the band wagon around Laurelville for us in Tom's absence.

Sadly, this means that Bryan won't be playing on the wagon with us. However, I have not yet told him that Circus Band Director Merle Evans would play cornet with one hand and direct the band with the other. So...there's that.

2. Ashville

We just got the Ashville job confirmed....long story.

Many thanks to Tom Vandette for again agreeing to haul us around Ashville on the band wagon.

Our plan is to do the same as we did last year, as that seemed to work well for the ones who were a part of it.

a. The band wagon will be at the Village Chapel *(like last year)* at 9:30. I will be bringing the chairs and steps with me, and we can load the band wagon there for anyone who wants to park there and save some steps.

At 10:00 the organizers want us to move to our staging area on East Main Street just east of Park Street..in the shade...which is just on the road from the Village Chapel.

Here is a map of Ashville as a reminder of what we did last year.

https://adelphiband.weebly.com/uploads/4/6/0/1/46013629/map_of_ashville.pdf

Contact me if there are questions.