

Dear Musician,

I am writing to let you know about the Waconia Area Community Band. WACB provides area residents with opportunities to enjoy and play band music in a variety of styles and settings. Since 2003, the band has presented several concerts each year in the park, for seniors, at parades, at churches, for community and corporate functions. WACB is a valued and significant part of civic life in Waconia and in surrounding communities, providing musical performance opportunities for members as well as recreation, entertainment and community development benefits for the entire area. I encourage you to participate this year to help make the concert a success and to keep the WACB going strong.

The 2008 WACB concert band spring session begins this week. I am especially pleased to welcome James Dulas back this year as Director. Rehearsals will be Wednesdays at 8:30 PM at Mayer Lutheran High School beginning Wednesday, April 16. WACB is scheduled to play for the first "Concert in the Park" at the gazebo in Waconia on Thursday, June 5. This concert will feature the Concert Band, Jazz Band, and possibly, additional small combo or ensembles. The Jazz Band will play additional gigs through the summer.

I am also asking for your assistance in helping to grow and develop WACB. In addition to actively recruiting new members, we are also looking for additional performance opportunities. I hope you will consider joining. Visitors are always welcome to sit in. No audition is necessary. I also hope you will help us to promote WACB by passing this along to anyone whom you think might be interested. Our current members include music teachers, band directors, college and high school students as well as adults who just like to play.

I look forward to seeing you on Wednesday.

Regards,

Scott Smith (trombone)

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