Dear Kathy:

Here's the up to date index of City Band Music. I've been meaning to get it to you for a long time, but the times I've been to your place you weren't there. Here's a few other notes.

I keep a marking pen on the top shelf by the music in the library. I've made a practice of marking 2 or 3 numbers on the upper Right edge each time I've been there. It's easier to spot them there rather then on the upper middle. I have regularly put any surplus music from any folder in order, and putting it behind the music we have used.

Theme From "Cheers" is indexed under C. We are lacking 3 - 1st & 2nd Whoopee John Cornet books. In Pop Classics we need 2 Bass Clef Baritone books (for Bassoons), 1 more 2nd Alto Sax, 1 more Bass Horn. In Fillmore we need 1 more each of Flute, Bass Clarinet, 2nd Alto Sax, Bassoon, 1st Cornet, 2nd Cornet. The Sousa Band book needs 1 each of 3rd Clarinet, Bassoon, 2nd Alto Sax, 3rd Cornet, Bass Horn. Bombasto lacks 1 - 3rd Cornet. El Capitan needs 2 = 2nd Cornets.

Remember, if you need any help, I'll do it if I can.

Sincerely,

May

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STEVENS POINT CITY BAND

To: Prospective Stevens Point City Band Advertiser

From: Kathy Kawleski, Director Stevens Point City Band 4008 East Maria Drive Stevens Point, WI 54481 (715) 345-0061

The Stevens Point City Band hopes you will consider supporting the band by running an ad in our programs for our Summer Concert Season.

The City Band, a non-profit community band, performs 9 weeks of concerts at the scenic Pfiffner Pioneer Park band shell along the Wisconsin River and attracts crowds of several hundred each week. In the event of rain or inclement weather, concerts are held at the downtown CenterPoint MarketPlace (mall).

Your ad would appear in three of the programs; however, the name of your business would appear in each program for nine weeks in our listing of commercial sponsors. The cost for the ad is \$50.00.

If you are interested in supporting us with an ad, please send a copy of your ad (business-card size) to the address above. If you wish to include payment at the same time, please make the check payable to "Stevens Point City Band". If you prefer, we can bill you later, and you need send only your ad copy now.

Thanks for considering supporting the Stevens Point City Band!

STEVENS POINT CITY BAND

April 24, 1997

Mr. Max Kopchinski 6545 Music Drive Stevens Point, WI 54481

Dear Max.

The Board of Directors and I are looking forward to another fine summer of the "musical tradition" of Stevens Point City Band Concerts on Wednesday evenings at Pfiffner Pioneer Park. I know how much our audience appreciates our efforts.

We will continue with the policy of auditions, with the exception that anyone that auditioned previously will not be required to audition again. We can use past years taped auditions. Everyone is welcome to audition, including those that did audition in the past and wish to re-audition.

The policy adopted is as follows:

- 1. A set instrumentation will be used to determine the nucleus of the band.
- 2. The nucleus and seating will be determined by auditions.
- 3. All qualified players will be welcomed and urged to participate on a regular basis. However, only those selected as part of the nucleus of the band will be "on contract" to be paid.
- 4. If a "contracted" player is absent, the player next in line will be paid for that service. For example: if the nucleus of the cornet/trumpet section was six players, and one of those six players was excused, player number seven would move up and be paid for those services.
- 5. If a "contracted" player is absent an excessive amount of time, that player would be moved down and the player next in line would move to the nucleus roster.
- 6. The board of directors anticipate enough funds to pay all contracted players \$5.00 per hour (two hour rehearsal and one hour concert).

<u>First concert - Monday, May 26</u> (Memorial day) 10:15 a.m., Pfiffner Pioneer Park. No rehearsal is necessary (marches and patriotic tunes). Please be at the Band Shell at 9:45 a.m. in white top/dark slacks or skirt. <u>Don't forget to bring a music stand</u>. <u>Everyone that participates in this concert will be paid</u>.

CONCERT SCHEDULE Every Wednesday, June 4 thru July 30. Band Shell, Pfiffner Pioneer Park, 7:30-8:30 p.m. AND Tuesday, July 29. River Pines Nursing & Rehab. Center, 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE Every Tuesday, May 27 thru July 22, and Wednesday May 28, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Room C-100 UW-SP Fine Arts Center.

<u>AUDITIONS</u> will be short, and as painless as possible. You will be given a copy of music which you can take to a practice room for 15 minutes. You then return to tape your audition in room A-201 (with no one present if you wish).

AUDITION SCHEDULE. Auditions will be held on May 5 and 13 from 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. and on May 6 and 12 from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. in Room A-201 of the UW-SP Fine Arts Center. The music will be available in room A-201 at those times. Tentative seating arrangements based on the auditions will be mailed by May 22nd. If you cannot appear for an audition at any of those times, please call me at 341-2690, and I will attempt to make other arrangements.

Sincerely,

Donald E. Greene, Director - Stevens Point City Band