

Dear Parents and Band Members,

You are invited to attend the Annual Band Banquet to be held on Friday, May 18 from 5:00-8:30pm at Wilson Creek Elementary School. This will be a night of dinner, awards, and dancing. You are invited to attend this evening to celebrate a successful band year with your child(ren).

If you are a Band Booster member, the cost of this evening is \$5.00 a person, with a maximum of \$20.00 per family ("family" meaning band members, parents and siblings ONLY!) So if you are planning on having five family members attend the banquet, it will only cost you \$20.00! This price will include your dinner and entertainment for the evening. Any extended family that would like to attend the banquet (grandparents, aunts, uncles, etc) the cost will be \$10.00 per person. Doors will open at 5:00pm, with dinner being served at 5:30pm. The awards presentation and dancing will take place afterwards. Please try to arrive on time to ensure your preferred seating arrangements.

We are asking that everyone dress nice for this evening, for it is a night of recognition and celebration. This is also the 8th graders last formal evening with all of the other band members and I would really like to make it a nice evening for them in recognition of their four years of service to the band.

If you are unable to attend, your child will still receive their award, but I would like to see everyone attend. It is going to be a special and fun evening for all who attend.

Please return the attached form and payment to Mrs. Pedziwater by Wednesday, May 2 to reserve your seats. **All students must be accompanied by an adult.** If you are unable to accompany your child but they would still like to attend, they must be accompanied by another adult, such as the parents of their friend or an adult relative. Please be reminded that you are responsible for your children's behavior during the banquet.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (815) 531-3217 or through email at cpedziwater@manhattan114.org.

I am really looking forward to celebrating a great year with all of the band students, and I really hope you can attend the banquet on Friday, May 18!

Sincerely,

Carleen Pedziwater
Band Director

PLEASE FILL OUT AND RETURN THIS FORM WITH THE CORRECT
PAYMENT AMOUNT TO MRS. PEDZIWATER BY WEDNESDAY, MAY 2. YOU
MUST HAVE YOUR RESERVATION AND PAYMENT TURNED IN BY THIS
DATE IN ORDER TO ATTEND THE BANQUET.

Child's Name: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Total amount of people attending: _____

Amount of money enclosed: _____

Please place this form and payment in an envelope with your child's name and band
written on the outside. **Please make all checks payable to "Manhattan Band
Boosters".**
