2007 Whale Holiday Carol Marching Band

To march at Christiana/Concord Malls, Dec. 24th

Pardon our English, but once again, it's time to join the mostest awesomist Marching Band to play in the area during the holidays. Join us as we play the following songs of the year:



Amy Winehouse – "Santas's Kneecap" Finger Twelve – "Paralyzer" Matchbox 25 – "How Much I Got"



and a special Guitar Hero tribute

Join our band of merry 'ol rock musicians called Whale *(with friends, school musicians, some college buddies, and kids young and old)* as we don horns, reeds, flutes, sousaphones, marching drums, bagpipes, and electric guitars to **bombard** our way through the Christiana and Concord malls **blasting** out Christmas carols. The **WHALE Holiday Marching Band** has been reuniting this way spreading holiday cheer for many years at the Christiana and Concord malls. We play traveling music, standard holiday carols, weird drum cadences, and special "theme songs of the year", as we work our way down corridors, up escalators, and around the storeowners and crowds. This event is **Loud**, **Fun**, and **Free** to the public.

Themes of the past years have included:

- "Hoof Beat It", by Michael Jackson
- "Sled Hammer" by Peter Gabriel
- "If you Wanna Beanie Baby" by the Sugar-and Spice Girls
- "Pokemambo #5" by Lou Bega
- "Who Let the Deer Out" by the Baha Ho Ho Ho Men
- "I'm the Slim Santa" by Eminem
- "Oops! I Voted Again" by Britney "Litany" Spears
- "Cranberries, Turkey, and Gravy Right Now" by Beyonce ("Beyon-sleigh")
- "Holiday" by Red and Green Day

We started doing this when we were in high school, but now that we're older, we need **you** to help us join in the fun. And it's **LOTS** of fun. People really don't believe it when all of a sudden a large marching band comes riding up an escalator into Sears playing songs like **"Big Red Sack and the Christmas Tree"** by **K T Tinsel**. In fact, many people come to the mall just to hear us each year. You also get to annoy people making phone calls in the lobby, watch babies drool at us, and feel really cool when people remember the magic of the holidays and start to smile.

We always can use your help at the Christiana mall, but **especially we need your help** at the Concord mall. Newark and Glasgow high students have helped us at the Christiana mall, and often come back, even after they go to college. So show support from your school. After all, you **ARE** the **best musicians** from the **best school** in the area, **AREN'T YOU?**

We rehearse right at the malls just before we start, so you should be able to sight-read music reasonably well. Don't worry if you don't, you can pick it up as you go along. I can help you with further directions and information, so please give me a call at the number listed on the next page.

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Marching times are as follows December 24th:

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- 10:00 a.m. meet near the former Community Room (park by / walk straight through the J.C. Penney's entrance, go slightly right, and through the doors and walk down the corridor, then left to the restrooms, and management offices.) Ask any storeowner if you have trouble finding this area. We will rehearse until 11:00, reviewing the marching tunes, drum cadences, and special songs.
- 11:00 a.m. -12:30 p.m. March, starting from the J.C. Penney's entrance.

Concord Mall

 1:00 - 1:15 p.m. - meeting at Center Court open space just to the right of H&M. (Where the old Woolworths was). The mall will provide Sodas & Pizza. Suggest you park behind the mall, and then go in the back entrance. One you have gone through the corridor past security and restrooms, turn left, and go about 50 - 60 feet. The location is between Burger King and Footlocker. If you are lost, ask security. Say you are with the WHALE Marching band. (Note: if no one is there yet, just wait... we might be fighting traffic coming from the other mall. We'll get there soon)

HAPPY

HOLIDAYS

• 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. - March, starting from mid-mall

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