

2006

NATIONAL GRAMMY SIGNATURE SCHOOL

♪ This Grammy Award is given to the number one high school music program in the country

2004 & 2005

GRAMMY SIGNATURE SCHOOL GOLD

♪ This Grammy Gold Award is given to the top seven high school music programs in the United States.

2001 & 2003 GRAMMY SIGNATURE SCHOOL

♪ This award honors excellent high school music programs as one of the top 50 high school music programs in the nation

2007 STATE SOLO AND ENSEMBLE FESTIVAL

♪ Sent more events to State Festival than any other school in Michigan.

♪ Largest number of nominations to Michigan Youth Arts Festival Soloist competition

2007 DISTRICT BAND FESTIVAL

♪ First Division ratings were awarded to both the Pioneer Concert and Symphony Bands, over 8 consecutive 1st division ratings

2006 MID-EUROPE MUSIC FESTIVAL – SCHLADMING, AUSTRIA

♪ Pioneer Symphony and Jazz Bands were the only American high school bands invited to perform at this prestigious international festival

2006 FESTIVALS OF MUSIC INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION – TORONTO, ONTARIO

♪ Pioneer Concert Band won the William D. Revelli Trophy for the overall highest scoring band

♪ Received the Esprit de Corps Award over exemplary attitude and personal behavior

♪ Only concert band in class AA to receive a superior rating

2004 DIXIE CLASSIC NATIONAL FESTIVAL - ORLANDO 2004:

♪ Pioneer Jazz Band won the trophy with highest score in the Jazz category

♪ Pioneer Concert Band won their category with the highest score.

♪ Pioneer Symphony Band received the Festival Honor Award as the overall festival winner with the highest score at the event



BUMP NOTE Speakeasy

Pioneer Band Gala & Silent Auction

4:00pm ♪ February 7 ♪ Cavern Club

Thank you for your generous support of the **Sixth Annual Pioneer Band Gala & Auction**. We appreciate your donation

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valued at \$ _____

This year more than 400 students are participating in the bands at Pioneer High School, and all band students practice and strive diligently to be at their best when representing Pioneer. Proceeds from the Pioneer Band Gala & Auction go directly to support these dedicated students, providing equipment, instruments, and music; funding performance trips and band camp; and assisting with repairs and lessons. And in these challenging economic times when the school district does not fund Pioneer Band activities outside the classroom, we want to ensure that all students are able to equally participate and develop their full potential. Thanks to generous community support like yours, no student ever sits on the sidelines because of financial restrictions.

We cordially invite you to hear the Pioneer Bands perform at *Bands in Review* in Schreiber Auditorium at Pioneer High School on March 20 & 21, 2010. In addition, on Saturday, May 22, 2010, the Pioneer Bands will play at *Picnic Pops*, a free all day event held on the front lawn of Pioneer High School.

The Pioneer Band Association is grateful for your support of the Ann Arbor Pioneer High School Band Program and its students. Our Pioneer Bands have received many accolades and opportunities, but this success would not be possible without support such as yours. Your contribution **truly** makes a difference in the lives and futures of our Pioneer Bands students, and we thank you!

Sincerely,
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