

NOTES



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"Perfection in music is elusive, but excellence is attainable and sustainable."

BAND MEETINGS

The next Band Board meeting is April 5, 7 p.m., Community Conference Room, Morris Lawrence Building, WCC.

There are no other known meetings scheduled.

KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS APRIL RE-ENROLLMENT (84108)

This message is from Walt Hancock, chair of the YCB Fund-Raising Committee:

"Kroger Members have to re-register in April. [Here is what we have received from Kroger:]

. . . .[C]ontact members of your organization and encourage them to re-sign up for Kroger Community Rewards this April. ***All participants must sign up for the program in order to earn funds for your group during 2010.***

Even if you have members who sign up for Kroger Community Rewards in February or March—which will earn your organization funds as part of the 05/01/2009 to 04/30/2010 program—they must sign up again in April to continue earning rewards

during the coming year 05/01/2010 to 04/30/2011.

It's easy for your members to enroll or re-enroll in Kroger Community Rewards.

They can visit www.krogercommunityrewards.com, click on "Michigan" and click on "Enroll" or "Re-enroll" All participants must have a valid online account at Kroger.com and must sign up online to participate. **Organization members can no longer scan their group's barcode at the registers or service desk**

Step by step instructions:

Go to

www.krogercommunityrewards.com

Click Michigan

Click "**Re-enroll**" if you were registered in the program last year.

1. Put in your e-mail
2. Put in your password -(If you forgot the password you set up please go thru the "Forgot you password")
3. Find your organization by typing in your organization's NPO number
4. Click the "**Select Your Organization**"
5. Click the "**Save Changes**"

--or--

Click "**Enroll**" If you have *never* been a part of Kroger Community Rewards.com,

Kroger.com or registered with the scan bar method last year.

1. **“Sign up today”** (to the right)
2. Enter your zip code and click **“Search”**
3. Click on the arrow to display the list of stores in your zip code and highlight your preferred store
4. Enter in your email and password
5. Click **“Next”**
6. Key in you Kroger Plus Card Number (If it says that this card has already been used, please call the number on the back of your card)
7. Enter the security code (from the box above it)
8. Enter in your contact information.
9. Click on **“next”**
10. Verify that your account information is correct. Check box for agreement of the terms and conditions and click **“complete information”**
11. Kroger will send an email that you entered earlier in the process. (this can take up to 10 minutes)
12. Open the email that Kroger sent. Read the email and either click on the link within the email or copy and paste it into your browser.
13. Sign in: click on the **“Click here”** button and then type in your email and password.
14. Under Kroger Community Rewards Section at right, click **“Edit Kroger Community Rewards Information.”**
15. Find your organization by typing in your organization’s NPO number
16. Click on the organization name that you want. Please make sure that you click on the circle to the left of your organization so that it becomes highlighted.
17. Click on **“Save Changes”**
18. Scroll over the page and make sure all information is accurate

You are now **“registered”**

FORTHCOMING MUSIC

See YCB Notes²⁵ for information and links to "William Tell," "Warsaw Concerto," and "Federal March." See YCB Notes²⁹ for information and a link to "Suite of Old American Dances." See YCB Notes³⁰ for links and information about "Mary Poppins," "Fortress Variations," "Amazing Grace," and "Hungarian Dance."

Strike Up the Band. We will open the concert with the Whitmore Lake High School Band with a portion (measures 12-43 and 112 to the end) of "Strike Up the Band." Written by George Gershwin, with lyrics by his brother Ira, the musical "Strike Up the Band," a 1927 political satire, was a flop. However, the title song has remained in use. A link to a complete performance of this piece is

<<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jRSfl4VXUmQ>>

Crosley March. Henry Fillmore (1881-1956) as a highly prolific (under several names) composer and arranger for band. He grew up in Ohio and was a circus band member and bandmaster in his youth. He lived for some years in Cincinnati, where he was the conductor of the esteemed Syrian Temple Shrine Band before organizing the professional Fillmore Band.

That Band appeared regularly on radio station WLW, owned by Powell Crosley, in whose honor the "Crosley" march is named. Fillmore spent his "retirement" years in Florida, organizing and conducting high school bands.

A link to the "Crosley March" is:
<http://www.jwpepper.com/sheet-music/mp3player.jsp?song_url=2465680.mp3&song_title=CROSLEY_MARCH,THE&filename=/dbload/B/B_2465680.xml>