



**WARREN CONCERT BAND
MARY LEE FITZ
STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP
2024**

February 2024

Dear Band Director or Sponsor,

Since 1997, the Warren Concert Band has offered scholarships to qualified high school musicians. Several of our scholarship recipients have achieved excellence in their fields of performance through leadership in school bands or performance in adult bands.

Our goals are to encourage long term involvement in performance of band music and to make students aware of the opportunity to continue performance after high school with a community group, such as the Warren Concert Band.

The purpose of our program is to provide monetary incentives to musically talented **middle and high school band members** to be used either for private instrumental instruction from a qualified teacher or for purchasing of equipment, materials, repairs, or upgrading their primary band instrument.

The award of scholarship money is based upon the completion of the application and recommendation forms as well as a competitive audition in April of each year. Through this program, we are able to award scholarships to deserving students in the Warren and surrounding area.

Scholarship applicants must currently be in the seventh through eleventh grade and must be current members of their school band program. The guidelines for middle school students is different than those for high school students. Please find the guidelines, application form, and all reference/recommendation sheets necessary for completing the application either online (warrenconcertband.com) or with this packet.

Please note that previous scholarship recipients from this program are still eligible for these awards.

Please feel free to make additional copies as needed and note that all Application and Reference forms are due by **Friday, March 15, 2024**. All applicants with complete applications will be contacted regarding being scheduled for an audition time on **Tuesday, April 9, 2024**, in the music wing of **Warren Lincoln High School**, 22900 Federal Warren, MI 48089.

If you have any questions, please email Carly Turcios at scholarships.wcb.mi@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

Carly Turcios, Chair
Scholarship Committee
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