

Friends of Mt. Lebanon Percussion

Celebrating 26 Years of Excellence

January 2010

Dear Supporters of Mt. Lebanon Percussion Ensemble:

The Mt. Lebanon High School Percussion Ensemble's upcoming concert series, *An Evening of Percussion*, scheduled May 27th, 28th, and 29th 2010, as well as *Holiday Bells, Mallets and Drums*, scheduled in December 2010, will mark the 26th year of our Percussion Ensembles. Without the critical support of sponsors, contributors, and our loyal advertisers, the Mt. Lebanon Percussion Ensemble program could not continue.

Proceeds from these concert series help to support:

- ***Seven Percussion Ensembles (Grades 4 – 12)***
- ***Superior Music Instructors & Master Classes***
- ***Musical Fieldtrips & Summer Programs***
- ***Upgrading & Expansion of Percussion Instruments***
- ***Musical Competitions & Leadership Development***
- ***Continued Growth of Mt. Lebanon Percussion Programs***

Mr. Richard Minnotte, through his vision and remarkable energy, has worked, since 1984, to develop a music program, emphasizing a superior level of musical excellence, seldom available to public school students. Through his many years overseeing the program, Mr. Minnotte continues to highlight the musical talents of all Ensemble Members, building a foundation through dedication and respect. This coming May, the Concert Percussion Ensemble will be perform the opening night concert for the *2010 National Conference on Percussion Pedagogy* to be held at The University of Oklahoma. MTL Percussion will be the first high school percussion group to ever perform for this prestigious conference.

The Mt. Lebanon Percussion Family is inviting you to support this wonderful program through advertisements placed in the upcoming May and December 2010 Playbill Programs. Whether you can offer sponsorship, place a full page, half page, quarter page, or eighth page ad in either or both playbills, we ask for your consideration, and hope that your company will take this opportunity to support this remarkable program, the Ensemble Leaders, Ensemble Instructors, and especially the talented Ensemble Members.

What does a sponsor or advertiser receive for support?

- ***Sponsor & Advertiser in Playbills* Seen by More Than 2000 Members of the Community***
- ***Sponsor's Prominently Listed in Lobby During Concert Series***
- ***Sponsor's Included in Mr. Minnotte's Concert Opening Remarks***
- ***Sponsor's Listed on Mt. Lebanon Percussion Web-site***

****See Enclosed Mt. Lebanon Percussion Ensemble Playbill for Review***

On behalf of Rick Minnotte, the Friends of Mt. Lebanon Percussion, and our talented students, we thank you for your support in guaranteeing the success of this fundraising campaign in this, our 26th year! Your support will ensure the continued growth of the Mt. Lebanon Percussion Programs. Please see the attachment for sponsor and advertising specifics. If you have any questions, please call Lucy Albrecht at 412-344-6858 or email lalbrecht863@verizon.net.

Sincerely,

Lucy Albrecht
Anne Lutz Zacharias

Advertising Committee for Friends of Mt. Lebanon Percussion