

DATES TO

REMEMBER

MARCH
2010

March 16—RAIDER FOR
A DAY AND PARENT
NIGHT

March 18—GRADE 9/10
BAND TO REGINA OPTI-
MIST FESTIVAL

March 19—GRADE 11/12
BAND TO REGINA OPTI-
MIST FESTIVAL.

March 23—JAZZ NIGHT
AT YORKTON MUSIC
FESTIVAL

March 24—CONCERT
BAND NIGHT AT YORK-
TON MUSIC FESTIVAL

April 15—HONOUR
BAND AND CHOIR
AUDITIONS DUE

May 8—FOOTBALL
NIGHT IN SASKATCHE-
WAN (MARCHING
BAND)

May 11—YRHS SPRING
ARTS NIGHT

May 19 - 25—YRHS CON-
CERT BAND, JAZZ AND
MARCHING TO CHI-
CAGO

June 2—BAND FINAL
CONCERT

July 10—YORKTON
FAIR SUMMER PARADE



YRHS MUSIC DEPARTMENT

MARCH 8, 2010

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE YRHS MUSIC DEPARTMENT

MUSIC TECHNOLOGY

FINALE 2010—We now have Finale 2010 installed on our Mac computers. This music notation software allows students to create professional looking musical scores and parts. In addition, the new version of 2010 allows students to play back their compositions using real sounding instruments.

PRO TOOLS 8—Pro Tools 8 is music recording software that allows students to record music onto the computer and edit/mix it. Some of the editing features includes, changing tempo, adding effects, changing mic sounds, changing amp sounds, and auto tune.

BAND STORAGE

We have started the process of adding brand new Wenger Band Storage Cabinets to our instrument storage room. The first set of cabinets will arrive in April 2010.



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BAND LIBRARY

We have started the process of entering all of our music library onto a new program. This new process will have all concert, jazz, marching, choir, and music festival titles on one program.

CHICAGO TRIP

MAY 19 -25

- Chicago Symphony
- Blue Man Group
 - Wicked
- Music In The Parks Festival
- Boat Tour of Chicago
 - Art Museum
 - Magnificent Mile
 - Sears Tower
- Major League Baseball Game
- Museum of Science and Industry
- Six Flags Great America Park

JAZZ AND VOCAL JAZZ TRAVEL TO DR. BRASS SCHOOL AND BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA

The YRHS Vocal Jazz and Jazz Band performed at Dr. Brass School on January 28 before leaving for Bismarck ND. Thank you to Dr. Brass staff and students for hosting us! Congratulations to Joelle Bode, Lauren Dobko, Holly Fritzke, and Matricia Shwaga for receiving improvisation awards. Both groups performed well and received positive comments

from the adjudicators. Congratulations to Brandyn Rodgerson for receiving an Outstanding Musician ship award. Thank you to our chaperones Mrs. Fritzke, Mrs. Langley, and Mrs. McLaren!

