



***Joliet Township High School Band Alumni Association***  
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Dear JTHS Band Alumni,

The JTHSBAA is excited to invite you back to perform together on a light Summer concert in cooperation with current members of the bands at Joliet Central and Joliet West High Schools. We have scheduled a performance at the Bicentennial Park for the “Concert in the Park” on Thursday evening, July 13, 2017. We will be preparing the program with the following rehearsal schedule:

Saturday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 a.m. – Noon at Joliet Central High School  
Wednesday, July 12<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. at Joliet Central High School

A pizza party, social gathering is planned for Wednesday evening after the rehearsal and will take place in the beautiful new Student Center Galleria at Central Campus.

Conductors for the concert will be Ron Polancich, Joliet West Class of 1971, retired Director of Bands from York High School in Elmhurst, and Mike Fiske, Joliet East Class of 1972, retired Director of Bands from Joliet Central High School. We are excited to present this new format in which we will be able to share a special musical experience with current members and new graduates of the Joliet High School Bands.

This has been conceived as a “local” event, and we certainly welcome Alumni from near and far who would like to participate. The program will be lighter than past Alumni Band Concerts. Ron and Mike are selecting music fitting a good old fashioned “Concert in the Park” to include marches, show tunes and light concert fare. A link has been prepared on our website, [www.jthsbaa.org](http://www.jthsbaa.org) where you can [sign up to participate](#) and [get update-to-date info about this alumni band concert event](#).

We are looking forward to a fun time of music making and reunion as we share this program with our Joliet community. The Thursday evening Bicentennial Park “Concerts on the Hill” series always draw a large and appreciative audience. We hope to see you this July!

Best regards,

The Board of the JTHS BAA Board

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