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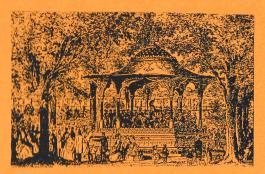
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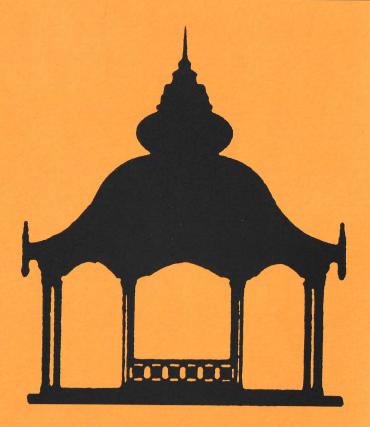
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Whether it's an antique clock or a stately old house, perhaps you have felt the sense of satisfaction that comes from restoring and breathing life into some relic of a bygone day. That same preservationist philosophy is the driving force behind the Compton Heights Concert Band of St. Louis and our efforts to promote and perform the fine concert band literature of yesteryear.

The band was organized in 1976 by Band President and Executive Director, Harry Swanger, who formed the band to provide music for Compton Heights neighborhood events. From this modest beginning, Swanger has strived to build the band, now numbering over 60 volunteer, student and professional musicians who annually present 30 concerts in St. Louis and outstate Missouri.

Musical Mondays, the band's eight week summer series of old-fashioned band concerts, presented annually since 1980, is held in the Henry Shaw Memorial Bandstand in Tower Grove Park. The band's other popular series, Sunday Serenades, held in Francis Park in south St. Louis, began in 1986. These musical traditions attract 50,000 listeners annually.

Featuring a Sousa-style program, each concert includes outstanding soloists. Some of the nation's most talented musicians have appeared, including William Warfield, Debbye Turner (Miss America 1990), The Nuclear Whales Saxophone Orchestra, and trumpet virtuoso, Arturo Sandoval. In 1988 the band hosted the national convention of the Association of Concert Bands. Since then, the band was selected for the 1990 and 1993 ACB national conventions, showcasing at the latter its model schools education program which includes students playing in concert with the band. Under the Missouri Arts Council touring program, the band has been acclaimed by audiences in Hermann, Joplin, Farmington, St. Joseph, St. Peters, Jefferson City, and Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

Gregory Fox was appointed Conductor of the band in September 1992. Inspired by "the people and the music", Greg returned because band members are "a wonderful group of people to work with -- dedicated to making good music and to having a good time doing it". Greg calls the opportunity to present 30 concerts a year "unique" and finds the audiences "the greatest!" Greg holds the Doctor of Education in Music Education from the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana, studying conducting under the noted Harry Begian. A founding member of the Arch Brass, he has organized and conducted the annual Merry TubaChristmas concert at the St. Louis Galleria since 1989. Greg is also Choir Director at Grace Community Chapel in St. Peters, where he makes his home with his wife, Pat, and two children, Lars and Cherstin, both members of the band.

The announcer for our concerts is Lucille Schroeder, wife of band vice-president and tubist Jon Schroeder. In addition to her pleasant voice and professional demeanor, Lucy injects a lively sense of humor and energy into every concert, and helps the audience gain a deeper understanding and appreciation of the music the band is presenting.

To help finance its many expenses, the band depends upon individual and corporate donations, concert sponsors' fees, a weekly Bingo, Bandwagon memberships, the Missouri Arts Council, The Regional Arts Commission, The Arts & Education Council, and the Monsanto Fund.

For more information, please call the band office at 776-2227, or write to the Compton Heights Concert Band of St. Louis at 2335 S. Grand, St. Louis, Missouri, 63104.

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Dr. Gregory C. Fox, Conductor Lucy Schroeder, Announcer Mary Sinclair, Soprano Soloist

#### **Program**

Aida March	Giuseppi Verdi
Pique Dame Overture	Franz Von Suppe'
Habanera Mary Sinclair, Soprano	Georges Bizet
Quando me'n vo (Musetta's Waltz) Mary Sinclair, Soprano	Giacomo Puccini
Sandpaper Ballet	Leroy Anderson
Operatic Masterpieces	Arr. V.F. Safranek
Intermission	
March And Chorus From Judas Maccabeaus	George Frederic Handel
Naughty Marietta Overture	Victor Herbert
Je dis que rien ne m'epouvante Mary Sinclair, Soprano	Georges Bizet
All I Ask Of You Mary Sinclair, Soprano	Andrew Lloyd Webber
	Andrew Lloyd Webber Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
Mary Sinclair, Soprano	

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Blue Tango	National Emblem March
British Eighth	Overture 1812
Country Gardens	Poet And Peasant Overture
El Capeo (Paso Doble Flamenco)	Salute To Bob Hope
Fantasia In G	Semper Fidelis
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