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STARS, STRIPES AND THE BIG SCREEN FOR LOCAL COMMUNITY BAND

May 27, 2005. Houston, Texas. The Lone Star Symphonic Band is planning a concert of giant proportions. The Band is planning a concert slated for Tuesday, June 28th, 2005 at the Houston Community College Town and Country Campus. The concert will be held in the Fine Arts Building, Theater 1. Tickets will be \$5.00 for adults and \$2.00 for students 17 and under.

The Lone Star Symphonic Band has titled the concert "Star, Stripes, and the Big Screen." Selections include The theme songs from the movies "Gettysburg" by Randy Edelman, "1941," "Jaws," "Star Wars," "Empire of the Sun," and "Far and Away" all by John Williams, and patriotic selections including "Colonel Bogey" by Kenneth Alford, "Stars and Stripes Forever March" by John Philip Sousa, "Armed Forces Salute" arranged by Bob Lowden, "American Salute" by Morton Gould, "Second American Folk Rhapsody" by Clare Grundman, "The Ultimate Patriotic Sing-Along" arranged by Jerry Brubaker, and "The Star Spangled Banner" arranged by Dr. Clancy Weeks.

The Lone Star Symphonic Band is an adult semi-professional wind ensemble dedicated to bringing performances of artistic merit to the Houston area community. Founded in 1993 as the West Houston Concert Band, the band is comprised of musicians from all walks of life and instills the value that music is a life-long event, continuing well beyond high school and college, and awards the Jon K. Fisher Memorial Scholarship to students majoring in Music. The band performs roughly 4-5 concerts per year in varying styles. The band is under the direction of Dr. Clancy Weeks.

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