## Belmont Music Department Fall Bulletin

Welcome back to school from the Belmont Music Department. It's hard to believe we have already started another wonderful year of school. This year is sure to be packed with music and fun! As fall comes upon us and the leaves begin to turn, things are already in full swing in the Music department. Fall is one of the busiest times for the music department and it shows with all the things that have happened in the first month alone! After an amazing year for drumline, they started things off early with their retreat on Friday September 14th. This year, drumline stayed close to home with an in-school retreat. They were treated to a day of fun with wonderful clinicians and friends. One week later on September 21st we had the absolute pleasure of welcoming the NADEN band to Belmont. They performed as a band as well as in small combos. Next up was Choir who on a very rainy pro-d day gave a wonderful performance with David Cameron and John Stubbs students for all SD62 staff and the Q centre. The same week we also launched our sales of Purdy's and Poinsettias! We have started selling earlier this year as students need to raise money to attend our Fall Retreat.

After their retreat, drumline was itching to get out and perform and will be performing at the Belmont Bulldogs Home football game on Friday October 18th at 5:00 pm. Be sure to come and support both the football team and drumline! Like every year, the Belmont Music Department is hosting a fall retreat! This years' retreat will find us "roughing it" at Camp Thunderbird from Friday November 1st to Sunday November 3rd.

Thank you to all the Parents, teachers, clinicians, students and musicians that make these opportunities possible. If it was not for you, these activities would not happen.

## Dates to remember

Friday October 18th-5:00pm at Goudy Field	Drumline performance
Friday November 1st to Sunday November 3rd at Camp Thunderbird	Belmont Music Department fall retreat

## Happy Fall from the BMD