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Second Wind Community Band invites players with a high school proficiency or better to join Second Wind for the 2009-2010 season. This group has been developing, rehearsing and performing since 1993 -1994 and are excited to announce the beginning of the 16th season starting Sept. 3rd.

We invite **students** who are staying in the Cape Breton area for post secondary education or work or those with woodwind, brass or percussion experience at about a 300 level.....or maybe anyone who has **played years ago** and has their instrument tucked away in a box in the bottom of their treasured keepsakes. It's time to **dust** off the instrument **and make some music**.

The Band resumes rehearsing on **Thursday**, **Sept. 3**rd, **2009 at 7:00 p.m.** at Malcolm Munroe JHS Band Room following registration. Registration is \$100.00 for the year and ½ price for students.

We have some exciting events that are being planned for **2009-2010** and as always Second Wind has a lot of fun at rehearsals, events and performances.

The events that are in the works for 2009-2010 are starting right in **September 25-27**, where the band is hosting the Cape Breton Community Band Fall Fest at the Gaelic College in St. Ann's. We are planning on a performance in Wentworth Park hopefully in Oct and our annual Christmas presentation for the Every Woman's Center **Dec. 13**th and playing for CBC's skating party to close the "Light Up A Life" campaign for Feed Nova Scotia's Foodbanks. We will round out our season with our annual "Spirit of Friendship" concert for l'Arche Cape Breton in the **spring of 2010**.

So you can see it is a great group to make some great music and the group this year will be under the direction of Conductors **Laura Mercer** and **Sean McLennon**.

Come out and join us and mark the registration date **Sept. 3**rd in your day-timer and perhaps over the summer you can get out that instrument and start getting yourself in shape to play.

For more information about Second Wind, you can go to our website www.secondwindcommunityband.ca which is being developed or e-mail us at info@secondwindcommunityband.ca

Thank you for your support in helping us to promote this. **Have a great summer**.

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