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H-F's "High Energy Rock and Roll" Band to Perform in 2 Area Festivals

Flossmoor, Ill. Sept. 7, 2010 –The members of H-F's Staff Infection and the South Side Horns are putting together the finishing touches for their performances that will kick off the 2010-11 school year.

Members of the H-F community, and surrounding communities, can watch the group perform at Flossmoor Fest on Sat. Sept. 11 at 9 p.m., and two weeks later at Fall Fest on Sat. Sept. 25 at 7:30 p.m.

The group came together eight years ago and have been performing in and around the Chicagoland area ever since. The unique sound of Staff Infection is due to the five-piece horn section-the South Side Horns. With a large set list of songs that ranges from classic rock to Motown and songs from the 80s, 90s and today, Staff Infection and the South Side Horns attract a variety of listeners.

The band itself is made up entirely of H-F faculty, alumni and students. Staff Infection and the South Side Horns' combined musical experience amounts to over 50 years of performing. Five teachers exhibit their "hidden" talents; these teachers include: Jon Elfner, Social Science teacher, guitar; Paul Fasse, Math teacher, guitar; Brian Dvorkin, technology facilitator, bass guitar; Alicia Rodriquez, Guidance Counselor, lead vocals; Steve Banasiak, Science teacher, trumpet. Elfner also poses as the band's musical director.

“We are really looking forward to playing both Flossmoor Fest and Fall Fest. They are great family events that showcase the best of Homewood and Flossmoor,” Elfner said, “Staff Infection and the South Side Horns has a long relationship with Flossmoor Fest and Fall Fest, and our performances have been very well received at both events. Because of our close connection to the community, we view these shows as our ‘homecoming.’”

The members of Staff Infection and the South Side Horns look forward to seeing many community members at their upcoming shows. “Everyone will know the music we play, and should be able to sing along to most of our songs. And don’t be afraid to dance!” Elfner said.

More information on Staff Infection and the South Side Horns can be found on their website: http://www.sonicbids.com/epk/epk.aspx?epk_id=232946.

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