

Wolcott High Music News!

This year on September 26, the Wolcott High School marching band and Tyrrell middle school band participated in the 25th annual UMass Band Day half time show. The UMass Band Day band consisted of 2,500 students from all over New England. Led by George Parks, this year's "theme" was Elton John, featuring Saturday Night's Alright for Fighting, Crocodile Rock, and Don't Let the Sun Go Down on Me. The band also played America, The Beautiful and the UMass Fight Song. Along with the band, the Wolcott High School Color guard also participated in the band day performance. The color guard spends the morning learning their routine for the show while all the bands come together to practice. It is truly an amazing experience for all involved. For some, this was their first time playing with the UMass Minute Man Marching Band. They all had an amazing time and are looking forward to going back next year. Freshman Tom Lourenco hilariously commented, "It was an exciting experience that made me very happy about myself". That's a drummer for you. In addition to an exciting and fun day, UMass band day also teaches students a lot about music and working together to put on a fabulous show.



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