

FRIENDS OF HISTORIC NEW UTRECHT

Presents A Band Concert

Susan E. Wagner High School

Wind Ensemble

at the

New Utrecht Reformed Church

Editors: We invite your coverage Saturday, March 9, 2019 at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish House at the New Utrecht Reformed Church, 18th Ave. and 84th St. in Bensonhurst. Contacts: mail@historicnewutrecht.org and 718-256-7173.

PHOTO ATTACHED: Susan E. Wagner High School Wind Ensemble

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BROOKLYN: The Susan E. Wagner High School Wind Ensemble, a 54-member student band, directed by Mr. Paul Corn, will perform in a Concert on Saturday evening, March 9, 2019, at 7:30 PM in the Parish House of the New Utrecht Reformed Church, 18th Avenue and 84th Street in Bensonhurst. The event, sponsored by the Friends of Historic New Utrecht, is free to the public.

The Wind Ensemble has been part of Susan E. Wagner High School's highly-rated music program for the past thirteen years. Under the direction of Mr. Paul Corn, Wagner's Assistant Principal for the Arts, the Wind Ensemble has achieved first place recognition at the National Festival Disney Competition in Orlando and at Heritage Festival in Washington, D.C. and Williamsburg, Virginia.

The 1892 Parish House is part of the landmarked campus of the New Utrecht Reformed Church, home to a congregation organized by Dutch settlers in 1677, which also includes the 1828 Church, now undergoing interior repairs and restoration, and the 1783 New Utrecht Liberty Pole. The Parish House is at 18th Avenue and 84th Street in Bensonhurst, with bus (B8, B1) and subway (D train) lines nearby.

The March 9 concert is one in a series of free concerts and history-related events offered each year by the Friends of Historic New Utrecht. Persons interested in learning more about the lecture and other Friends activities about New Utrecht's landmarks and its history are invited to contact 718-256-7173 or mail@historicnewutrecht.org, and to visit www.historicnewutrecht.org or on Facebook: www.facebook.com/FriendsofHistoricNewUtrecht.

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