

Music Department Receives Grant

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Instead of Liberty being “alive with the sound of music...” I’d say Liberty is “alive” with the sound of praise for Mr. Whitmire and his spectacular writing abilities. In case you hadn’t heard, February 10th was quite and exciting day for our music teacher. Mr. Whitmire and Mr. Doney both attended an awards ceremony where Mr. Whitmire received a Music Grant from the Huntington Harbour Philharmonic Society. This grant was given to Mr. Whitmire because he had previously written a grant proposal-his first one! And it was accepted by the Music Reinvestment Committee. Mr. Whitmire remarked, “I was a little nervous writing the proposal because I had never written one before, but when Mr. Doney got the letter from the Committee accepting the proposal, I was shocked!” Mr. Whitmire said that with the money, “We have enough money to purchase a new handbell case! We are thrilled to work with the HHPs, and we are looking forward to making new connections in our community through them!” As you can see, Mr. Whitmire did a great job in writing the grant proposal and now, our music department will really shine! Or, ring, in this case!