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The Long Island Music Hall of Fame Announces Recipients of High School Recognition Program

(February 3, 2017 -- Melville, NY) The Long Island Music Hall of Fame is proud to announce the recipients of their first High School Music Department Recognition Program. Seven Long Island High School music programs will be honored at a ceremony at 7:30PM on Monday, April 3, 2017 at Northport High School.

Based on an extensive application submitted by the schools, the Hall of Fame will recognize seven high schools. The schools receiving this prestigious recognition include Freeport High School, Great Neck North High School, Herricks High School, Huntington High School, Long Island High School of the Arts, Northport High School and Uniondale High School.

The LIMHoF School Recognition Program is designed to identify Long Island High School music programs that are creating notable music experiences for their students and that are incorporating the National and NY State Standards for The Arts in creative and meaningful ways. Application categories included program details, inclusion of national and state standards for music in curriculum, facility, staffing, and community and board support. Applications were reviewed by a panel of music educators, some of whom have been recognized as the Long Island Music Hall of Fame's "Educators of Note." At the April 3 event, each school will present a performing ensemble prior to the acceptance of their award.

Northport High School is located at 154 Laurel Hill Road, Northport, NY. The ceremony on April 3 is open to the public without charge.

For more information on this event please visit / limusichalloffame.org/schoolrecognitionprogram

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Long Island Music Hall of Fame (LIMHOF) is a 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to recognizing the significant achievements of musicians who herald from Long Island, including Nassau, Suffolk, Queens and Brooklyn. Beyond the recognition of famed composers, musicians and artists, LIMHoF has made significant inroads in support of music education on Long Island, including Educator of Note recognitions, scholarships for music students, and a new mobile music museum designed for school visits.

For more information about the Long Island Music Hall of Fame, visit www.limusichalloffame.org.

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