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Press Release:

The students and faculty of the Bremen Community High School District 228 Fine Arts Department cordially invite you to the 35th Annual Fine Arts Festival Concert and Art Exhibit to be held at Oak Forest High School on Thursday, March 5, 2009.

This year's Festival events will include concert performances by the District 228 Festival Concert Choir, Symphonic Band and Jazz Ensemble. This year, our guest conductors include three outstanding college educators and musicians. The District Chorus will be conducted by Albert Jackson, Professor of Music, and Director of Vocal Studies at South Suburban College, in South Holland, Illinois, Roxanne Stevenson, Director of Instrumental Music at Chicago State University, in Chicago, Illinois, will serve as conductor of the District Jazz Ensemble. Dr. Joseph Manfredo, Professor of Music, and Director of Bands at University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, will serve as conductor of the Symphonic Band. The Festival will be highlighted with an exhibit of outstanding artwork created by the art students of our four high schools.

The festival is free to the public. The art exhibit will be open for viewing from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The concert will begin at 7:30 p.m. We sincerely hope that you will be able to share with us the artistic accomplishments and musical talents that will be exhibited on this evening. Please join us on March 5, and support the efforts of these outstanding young artists and musicians.

Sincerely

Keith A. Anderson
District 228 Fine Arts Supervisor