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Subject: NMC Concert by the Bay

Traverse City – Members from the community and NMC students make up The Northwestern Michigan College Concert Band. Since its inception 37 years ago, it has grown from a small group of musicians to a group of more than 100 artists. Besides the normal concert series during the academic year, the band performs four concerts throughout the community in the summer months.

Join the NMC Concert Band as they perform a free concert on the shores of Grand Traverse Bay at the Traverse City Senior Center, 801 E. Front Street. The concert is on Wednesday, June 21, at 7:30 p.m. and everyone is welcome. Bring a chair or blanket to sit and listen to the band's performance, featuring marches and highlights from your favorite musicals. Not only can you take pleasure in the music, but you can also enjoy the view from the beach as the band performs.

The concert band is directed by Patricia Brumbaugh, who received her BA degree in Music Education from Olivet College in 1972, her Masters of Music Education from the University of Michigan in 1986 and is A.B.D. in a Doctoral program in French Horn Performance at the University of Memphis. Brumbaugh retired as director of bands at Traverse City West Senior High School after 37 years of teaching.

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