

Danville Town Band 2021



August 29, 2021

Danville Town Band friends,

Our Summer 2021 season was incredibly successful! Despite a full year apart and a late start to this season, we offered two exceptional performances for the Danville community. Our little band of 25 musicians was well balanced, well-prepared, and incredibly musical. In just six rehearsals we prepared and presented 14 separate selections spanning the full spectrum of the concert band repertoire.

It was our hope that we could continue to rehearse into the fall with the possibility of an early fall concert. However, as the Delta Covid variant has become more widespread, even in Vermont, the CDC is now recommending that everyone wear a mask inside public buildings and in large gatherings. The mask recommendation, along with deep and abiding concern for the safety of every member of this band, makes it impractical to continue rehearsals at this time.

I will miss our weekly time together. Assuming there is an improvement in the virus conditions, we should be able to start our season earlier next year. It is my sincere hope that 2022 will bring us more opportunities to rehearse and perform together and to share the joy and excitement of bringing live music performances to the community.

Thanks for a wonderful, albeit shortened, 2021 season and for being a part of this great little band.

Phil