## CARLISLE HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BAND



The Carlisle Area School District and CHS Band Boosters proudly present Lost in the Woods.

As our show opens, a carefree young girl frolics in the yard, says a blithe goodbye to her mother and father as her play dances her down the road towards the alluring thoughts of adventure in the forest.

The forest and its intrigue draw the young girl ever so subtly deeper into its shadowy framework. As she plays, the dark envelops and entrances her sweet spirit. Realizing that she has become lost in the gloom of the forest she searches longingly for home, her family...safety...security...and peace. In the search for her childhood joy, her spirit longs for the time when she was loved and honored...when she played as a child and when things were good. The girl's spiritual awareness and longing for something familiar, something wholesome, is cloaked beneath shadows of adversity and feelings of abandonment.

As the pull of home becomes stronger on her spirit, the young girl is freed from the gloom that once entangled her. Finding her way back, she returns home to all that is familiar. Her spirit is restored and she feels alive once again!

Students are led on the field by drum major Aidan Piper. Featured musicians include Emili Masci and Andy Hankes on flute and Cameron Fritz on clarinet.

The band is under the direction of Mr. Byron Mikesell, assisted by Dominick Raimato and Reid Ellinger. Music arrangements are by Jonathan Zuniga and Brian Stockard. Visual design and instruction is by Timothy Newlin, Dave Wiley, Dustin and Kelly Smith. Color Guard staff includes Dave Wiley, Lizzie Gehman, Toni Tunstall, Maria Smith, and Amberly Eisenhuth.

Percussion instruction is by Dustin Smith, Noah Mariano, Isaak Bonilla, Charity Kennedy Bixler, Megan Hupfer, Bryce Doane, Braden Kronheim, Joe Brown, and Miguel Alvarez.

The band wishes to thank the Carlisle School Board of Directors and School District Administration for the value they place on music in our school and community. We also thank the tireless parents and volunteers of the Carlisle High School Band Boosters for their continued support of our band!