

South High's Battle of the Bands--June 2



On Friday, June 2, beginning at 7:30 p.m., the South High School Performing Arts Department will present its seventh annual "Battle of the Bands," in the school auditorium, 341 Lakeville Rd. The concert will feature five live bands that will each perform a 15-minute set of music. Styles will range from classic rock to pop and alternative music. Featured will be songs from these famous recording artists: The White Strips, Foo Fighters, and Kansas. All performers are Great Neck Public School students. Most of the South High students began their studies in music through Guitar Program, Music Technology, Symphonic Band, or Jazz Band. Some learned to play independently. The winner of Battle of the Bands will receive a \$100 gift certificate to Sam Ash Music stores and solidify their place in history on a plaque that is proudly displayed at South High. In addition to a panel of Great Neck teacher judges, the audience will also participate in selecting the winning band. Tickets: \$5 (in advance); \$10 (at the door). To reserve advance tickets, e-mail Anthony Virgilio, event organizer/music teacher, at avirgilio@greatneck.k12.ny.us. Mr. Virgilio is enthusiastic that this year's Battle of the Bands will again showcase contemporary music in an authentic live concert setting.