



JHS BAND NOTES

JAMESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL BAND

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MINI CAMP

Mini Camp 2017

Mini Camp was HUGE success! The staff could not be happier with how the kids worked. We got much further than we anticipated and that is because the kids came ready to learn! Let's all keep this momentum up as we head into the final weeks of the summer season!

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

Upcoming Rehearsal Schedule

Wednesday, August 2 FULL BAND REHEARSAL 6PM-9PM

Monday, August 21 – Friday, August 25 – INTENSIVE WEEK! (see rev. side)

EXTRA CANDY

Candy Bar Fundraiser

If you are selling extra candy the money is due this Wednesday, August 2nd. Accounts will be adjusted accordingly and emailed.

ACTIVITY FEE

Activity Fee

The final \$50 payment is due Monday, August 21st. Before that date you will receive an updated account statement in your email so you know where you stand financially. As always, email me with any concerns or questions.

CAR WASH

Car Wash

Our second car wash was even more successful than the first! All together, we raised over \$2700 on the car washes! Great job, everyone! Here is the breakdown from this weekend:

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| Hillcrest - \$330 | Kmart - \$207 | Auto Zone - \$285.61 |
| First Covenant - \$189 | Immanuel Lutheran - \$257 | Jock Shop - \$285.65 |

Thank you to all of the parents who helped on both weeks! We could not do it without you!

UNIFORMS

Uniforms

If you were fitted for a uniform today make sure you read the accompanying notes on Uniform Care and Maintenance. If you have any questions about this please call/email me.

APPAREL

Apparel

Wondering how to get those JHS Marching Band shirts, hats, duffle bags or sweatpants? Now is the time to order! We plan to offer apparel online this year. That website will be up in the next week. If you cannot pay with a credit or debit card online we will still offer paper forms. *I will send everyone an email and Remind text with this info so you can begin looking and placing orders over the break.* Again, this is optional! Most likely orders will be here the first week of school (plenty of time before Fall Festival!).

Practice Expectations/Memorization Tests

Many students DID NOT PASS the song 2 memorization test. Make sure you know whether or not your child did. This must be made up ASAP in order for us to move on in our process. If your child requires help from our staff please communicate that with us.

SONGS 3, 4 AND 5 WILL BE TESTED DURING INTENSIVE WEEK! This is a great deal of music so your child **MUST** be working hard over the next 3 weeks. **USE THE ONLINE RESOURCES FOR PRACTICING.** All parts are on there! Have your child listen and play/spin along at home! **Everyone must play/spin every day between now and August 21st!**

Intensive Week

Intensive Week is a short 3 weeks away! Once that starts our fall season has basically begun! Here are some notes for that week:

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| Monday, August 21 st | 9AM – 12PM; 1PM – 4PM; 6PM – 9PM *Final Activity Fee payment due (\$50) *Important Band Notes this week! Info on picnic/preview night, Pie Sale, Happy Ad form for Fall Festival and picture day info handed out |
| Tuesday, August 22 nd | 9AM – 12PM; 1PM – 4PM |
| Wednesday, August 23 rd | 9AM – 12PM; 1PM – 4PM; 6PM – 9PM |
| Thursday, August 24 th | *Bring full uniform today *Ads for Fall Fest program due 9AM – 12:30PM 1:30PM – Gong Show (students only) 3:00PM – Pictures 5:30PM – Family Picnic 7:00PM – Final Parent Meeting of the season (Receive admission and raffle tickets for Fall Fest) 8:00PM – Community Preview Show! |
| Friday, August 25 th | 9AM – 12PM; 1PM – 4PM |

This is a busy week! Here are some additional reminders for the kids to keep them going at 100%:

- Be prepared physically and mentally – get a good night's sleep each night.
- EAT A GOOD BREAKFAST!
- Don't forget your water!
- Bring sunscreen and hats!
- Bring a good lunch for in between sessions – NO POP OR ANY SUGARY SNACKS
- You must go home during the 4-6 dinner breaks.
- Make sure you have multiple pencils.

Drum Corp Show – Sunday, August 6th

The drum corp show in Buffalo on August 6th is going to be amazing! We strongly encourage everyone to do whatever you can to get up there to see it! There will be a bus going up. The cost is \$40, which includes your ticket and bus ride (\$30 for kids under 12). The bus leaves JHS at 5:30PM. If you're interested call Bill Stevenson at 488-9000. For more info on the show visit www.dci.org.

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