

JHS BAND NOTES JAMESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL BAND

DOME WEEK!

The time is here! Championship week! It's hard to believe we are finishing our season in just a few short days! We want everyone to keep the momentum going as we give our final push to the end!

Thursday, 10/25 Friday, 10/26 Saturday, 10/27 Rehearsal 6PM – 9PM Rehearsal 4PM – 7PM Rehearsal 12PM – 2PM 2:30PM Community Performance!

Sunday, 10/28 - Monday, 10/29 - CHAMPIONSHIPS!

Syracuse Trip Schedule & Handbook

Attached is our Syracuse trip schedule. Tonight the students received their Syracuse Handbook. READ THROUGH THIS WITH THEM!!! It is extremely important that all students AND FAMILIES are on the same page in regard to our schedule and expectations. The completed Dome checklist is their ticket in the door on Sunday morning!

Championship Show Info

*Students are to arrive <u>NO LATER THAN 5:00AM</u> on Sunday morning! All items should be packed the night before so they don't have to rush around that morning. Help them get up and ready in the morning so they are not late!

SHOW TICKETS

There are no presale tickets for Championships. Tickets will be available at the door (\$19 adult, \$13 65+ senior and 18- student price).

CLEAR BAG POLICY

PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT ABOUT SYRACUSE'S CLEAR BAG POLICY. In addition, you may NOT bring any kind of noise makers, food/beverage, backpacks, recording devices.

SPECTATOR SEATING

Attached is a diagram of the Dome and where we try to sit as spectators. It's easier for the kids to find you this way!

October 23, 2018

JAMESTOWN BAND AND CHORUS ASSOCIATION, INC.

DIRECTIONS TO THE CARRIER DOME

Irving Ave. Syracuse, NY From I-90 take exit 39 toward I-690E Keep right at the fork, follow signs for I-690E/ Fairgrounds/Syracuse Continue onto I-690E Take the Interstate 81S exit toward Binghamton Merge onto I-81S Take exit 18 toward Harrison St/Adams St Keep left at the fork, follow signs for Adams St Turn right onto Almond St. Turn right toward Almost St/Van Buren St Slight left onto Almost St./Van Buren St Turn right onto Renwick Ave Turn right onto Fineview Pl Turn left onto E Raynor Ave Turn left onto Irving Ave

These directions came from Google Maps You may be rerouted once you get closer depending on the parking situation.

LS2 Championship	
Schedule	
2:50	Sachem
3:03	West Seneca
3:16	Lindenhurst
3:29	JAMESTOWN
3:42	Webster
3:55	Orchard Park
4:08	Corning-Painted Post
4:21	Horseheads
4:34	Huntington
4:47	Kingstom
5:00	UB
5:15	Retreat

Championship Spectator Bus

There are still seats on the bus! The coach bus will leave Sunday, October 29th 10:00AM and drop the group off in front of the Dome. You would arrive in plenty of time to see our class. After the retreat for our class is done (approximately 5:30PM) the group would meet back on the bus and return to Jamestown.

The cost is \$45 per person. (Checks to "Jamestown Band and Chorus Association, Inc"). This does NOT include your ticket to the show (\$19 for adults, \$13 seniors 65+ and students). Keep in mind parking usually costs between \$10-\$20 for this event. Taking the bus will eliminate this additional cost to you. It is also extremely difficult to find parking there. No matter where you go there is a long walk to the stadium!

Call Traci Stevenson (499-2661) to reserve your spot! This is open to all friends and family of the band! LET'S FILL THE BUS!

Championship DVD's

Championships DVD's are now for sale! This is your chance to order a DVD of our class's Championship performances! FORM IS NOW ATTACHED. Contact Traci Stevenson (499-2661) with questions.

2018 Community Performance Saturday

Next Saturday, October 27th we will hold a Community Performance of our 2018 show, *Canon*, as a *THANK YOU* to everyone who has supported us this year. The show will begin at 2:30PM at Strider Field. If weather is bad we will cancel, so hope for a great day! Please invite friends, family, alumni and community members!

Banquet

Monday morning we will hold our end-of-season breakfast banquet at the hotel. This is for students, staff, chaperones and pit crew only.

Thank You

To the parents and guardians of these amazing young ladies and gentlemen – THANK YOU. Thank you for your continued support of the kids in this crazy thing we call Marching Band. Thank you for dropping them off and picking them up at all hours of the day and night. Thank you for making the extra trips home to bring them the things they forgot. Thank you for the financial sacrifices you have made to allow them to participate. Thank you for volunteering in the concession stand and at Fall Festival. Thank you for giving rides to others when necessary so all students could participate fully. Thank you for encouraging them when they felt they couldn't handle it.

Thank you for showing them that you support what they love so much.

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To the students of this amazing organization – THANK YOU. Thank you for your dedication to this group. Thank you for pushing yourself and others to keep going when things got hard. Thank you for wanting to get better. Thank you for being the best of what Jamestown has to offer. Thank you for maintaining the tradition of the Jamestown High School Band.

YOU are the heart of what we do. YOU are the reason the staff comes to practice energized and ready to work. YOU are the ones who make your school and community proud. YOU are the ones who have paved the way for future generations, just as others did for you. YOU ARE the JHS Red Raider Marching Band.

Congratulations on an incredible season. EYES WITH PRIDE!