

JHS BAND NOTES JAMESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Upcoming Rehearsal Schedule

Tuesday, September 10 Wednesday, September 11 Friday, September 13 Saturday, September 14

Rehearsal 6PM – 9PM JEFFERSON Rehearsal 4PM – 7PM JEFFERSON Home Football Game FALL FESTIVAL OF BANDS!



Tag Days

We had a very successful tag day weekend! Thank you to our students, Chrissy Hazelton, the booster officers and parent drivers for helping to make it a success!

Fall Festival Admission Tickets

Money is due TODAY! If you need more tickets contact Tammy Nordwall. 708-7025 Tammy will be at Jefferson before and after practices this week if you need tickets!

Fall Festival Raffle Tickets

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Fall Festival Bake Sale

Attached is information on our Fall Festival Bake Sale! We need every family to provide a baked good. MAKE SURE TO READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON PACKAGING! ©

Baked goods should be brought to the concession stand at 3PM Saturday when you pick your child up from practice.

Fall Festival Volunteering

If you haven't volunteered to do ONE THING at next week's festival please contact Traci Stevenson (499-2661) or JoAnn Grey (450-4348). There are many spots to be filled! *Remember, we cannot continue to host this festival without your help*!

Schedule for Friday – Home Football Game

As members of the JHS Marching Band we have the great opportunity to help promote and support our school. This includes performing at the home football games. The students' role during these games is to enhance school spirit and pride. Plus, we get to perform our competitive show for a live audience! Here is Friday's schedule:

5:15PM	-	 Meet for warm up Winds meet in Jefferson Auditorium IN UNIFORM Guard meet in Jefferson gym (will change upon arrival) Pit meet under the bleachers IN UNIFORM Battery meet under the bleachers IN UNIFORM
5:45PM 6:20PM 6:30PM 6:45PM	-	 Winds/battery in aud for stand tunes, SSB and ORR Perform show Line up for Pre-Game Pre-Game Quarter 1 – sit in stands, play stand tunes Quarter 2 – leave stands to prepare for halftime performance Halftime – PERFORM! Quarter 3 – on your own Quarter 4 – play in stands
Approx. 9:45PM		- Students dismissed

Schedule for Saturday - Fall Festival!

IT'S THE MOST EXCITING TIME OF THE SEASON! Competitions begin and we get to host our first one on OUR FIELD! Here is the schedule for the day:

9:30AM -	Guard & Percussion Report for Practice
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12PM – 3PM Full Band Report for Practice

3PM – Senior Recognition practice (students only)

3:15PM – 6:00PM Dinner Break

Concession stand will be open at 4PM for any student wanting to buy dinner.

- 6:00PM All students and staff meet in the Jefferson Auditorium IN UNIFORM
- 6:30PM Stretch, warm up
- 8:01PM FIRST COMPETITION PERFORMANCE!!!
 - Students will go into the stands after our performance to hear the scores.

They will be dismissed when the show is over (approximately 8:45PM).

Senior Recognition – Saturday

ATTENTION SENIORS AND THEIR PARENTS:

As soon as Jamestown is done performing all parents who are escorting their senior must meet at the band entrance gate. You will be lined up alphabetically and process out onto the field. Don't worry, just follow Mrs. Murray! The announcer will then read your child's name and who they are escorted by to recognize their years in band. Let me know if you have any questions about this. Thanks!

GLOVES \$3

Gloves will be distributed tomorrow at practice. The first pair is free for students. Extras can be purchased for \$3 a pair. I STRONGLY ENCOURAGE YOU TO PURCHASE EXTRAS!

From this point on gloves must be worn to all practices. Having a practice pair(s) and separate performance pair(s) is a great idea. It would also be a good idea to keep \$3 in your backpack in case a pair goes missing!

Chaperone Form – Due Next Tuesday

Attached is the 2019 Chaperone Form. If you are interested in chaperoning any of our competitions this year please fill it out and return to me by Tuesday, September 17th. Please make sure to read the expectations for chaperones! Thanks in advance for your help!

DISNEY PERFORMANCE

I just received word on our Disney performance time:

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31 11:30AM MAGIC KINGDOM!

We are leading off the daytime parade in the Magic Kingdom!!!

A Note on Competitions...

As a staff we feel competition is important to the growth of our students. However, we never stress, or even talk about, numbers or places. We can only control what we do and if the students perform at 100% we feel successful and proud.

As a spectator for the upcoming competitive season please remember that **Jamestown does everything with class**. Please stand and cheer for ALL BANDS at all of the competitions. Every student who performs on the field works hard and deserves a supportive audience. In addition, please do not speak negatively about any other band while in the stands. This is something I stress to the students and it should reflect in our spectators, as well! Thanks!

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