



JHS BAND NOTES

JAMESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL BAND

June 18, 2020

Welcome to the 2020 Season!

Welcome to the 2020 JHS Marching Band season! Thank you all for attending the meeting last Monday. I know it was a lot of information and somewhat strange to be online, but it is so important we start the season on the same page. The staff and student leadership are really looking forward to this new and innovative season!

These Band Notes will cover information and expectations for the week. Please remember to read these carefully. Band Notes will be distributed via Zoom, Charms and on our website.

Upcoming Rehearsal Schedule

Monday, June 22 Rehearsal 7PM – 9PM via Zoom
***Payment #1 Due (\$50)**

Monday, July 13 Rehearsal 7PM – 9PM
***Money/Orders for attire due! NO EXCEPTIONS**
***See Payment information below for details**

Wednesday, July 15 Rehearsal 7PM – 9PM

Charms & FamilyID Registrations due Monday!

Charms link:

<https://www.charmsoffice.com/>

FamilyID link:

<https://www.familyid.com/jamestown-high-school-marching-band>

If you have trouble registering or have any questions please contact me via email.

Lottery Ticket Fundraiser

Our first fundraiser has begun! \$50 is due June 30th (5 tickets @ \$10). *Please understand, this is a REQUIRED fundraiser. That means you are responsible for selling 5 tickets. Whatever is not sold will be added to your child's account and will be due along with the Activity Fees.*

More Tickets/Questions

Please contact Traci Stevenson 499-2661

Turning in Stubs

All money and stubs MUST be in before July 1. You have 2 chances to turn in stubs and/or money (money can also be paid online).

- 1) **Tuesday, June 23 3PM – 5PM JHS Parking Lot (by pool doors)**
- 2) **Tuesday, June 30 5PM – 7PM JHS Parking Lot (by pool doors)**

Again, all must be paid and stubs must be turned in by June 30! Any stubs not collected will not be eligible to win. *Please write legibility on the stubs so checks can be mailed to the winners!*

Selling Extra Tickets

If you go above the 5-ticket requirement you can earn money toward your child's fees! Every additional ticket sold is worth **\$6** and will be added to your child's account.

Squad Shirt/Backpack/Shoes/Shorts/Jacket Fees

Money and orders are due July 13th – NO EXCEPTIONS! You can order them 1 of 2 ways:

- 1) jhsmarchingband.com – Payment tab (preferred way)
- 2) FamilyID

Activity Fee #1 Due Next Week! \$50

The activity fee for this year will be **\$100**. The NON-REFUNDABLE \$50 deposit is due Monday! The remainder is due July 13th. You can pay for this fee using either method listed above.

Practice Expectations

It is the staff's expectation that your child practices regularly at home. We suggest developing a practice schedule and sticking to it. This includes both music AND marching practice. **Warm ups** are particularly important and the students must start with those every time they sit down to practice, *no matter what*. These are in their music binders. Please help us with this effort! The students must begin to build their endurance and strength in order to be part of this group!

Your staff has worked tremendously hard to create rehearsal videos for your child. These can be found in our 2020 Marching Band Google Drive. Here is the link:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1EVkBljN96lBe1Fntl8U2hfQdiau1hFyl?usp=sharing>

USE THESE AT HOME! Students can basically get a private lesson from our instructors to help them practice!

Marching Band Handbook

Here is the link to the Handbook in case you missed it.

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1grLjZxLAOEpU17m-nG42RYTZMKefWls?usp=sharing>

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