



JHS BAND NOTES

JAMESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL BAND

September 7, 2021

West Seneca Competition

Congratulations to the students on an excellent first competition! The staff was so proud of not only their performance, but also how they carried themselves all day. They were focused, calm and all business. That's exactly what we want on competition days! Great job to all – let's keep it going!

Upcoming Schedule

Thursday, September 16	-	Rehearsal 6-9	
Friday, September 17	-	Home Football Game	
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18	-	FALL FESTIVAL OF BANDS!	
Monday, September 20	-	Rehearsal 6-9	<i>Note the dates and times</i>
Wednesday, September 22-	-	Rehearsal 4-7	<i>next week!</i>

Fall Festival – SATURDAY!!!

1) Admission & Raffle Tickets

Ticket money AND RAFFLE TICKET STUBS are due today! **Contact Tammy Nordwall with questions or to request extra tickets (716) 708-7025. Don't forget the raffle stubs!**

THE TICKETS SAY THE SHOW BEGINS AT 5:30 – THIS IS INCORRECT. THE GATES OPEN AT 5:30; SHOW BEGINS AT 6:30! PLEASE TELL ALL WHO BOUGHT TICKETS FROM YOU!

2) Volunteering

HELP! We need help with parking!!!! If you can help please contact Traci at 499-2661. Your job is before the show – you won't miss any performances! Thanks!

If you signed up to volunteer at our last parent meeting you will be getting a call from the chairperson with details on when to arrive and what to do. If you don't hear from them by Friday contact Traci at 499-2661.

3) Bake Sale

Please see attached for bake sale information! EVERY FAMILY NEEDS TO CONTRIBUTE SOMETHING. This year we will only accept store-bought items. DO NOT TAKE THEM OUT OF THE PACKAGE! We will take care of bagging them up for sale. Items should be dropped off Saturday at the concession stand at 3PM.

Saturday's Schedule – see back

Saturday, September 18

- 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.
- 5:30PM - Gates open for the Festival
- 6:00PM - All students and staff meet in the Jefferson Auditorium IN UNIFORM
- Warm Up
- 7:22PM - **PERFORM!!!**
- Students will go into the stands after our performance to watch Lancaster, Senior Recognition, and hear the scores. They will be dismissed when the show is over (approximately 8:30PM).

Important Reminders for the Day

EAT LUNCH BEFORE YOU COME TO PRACTICE

For practice – you don't need to come wearing anything specific today, just regular rehearsal attire

When you arrive after dinner – you need to be dressed in full uniform, including squad shirt and hair ready for the hats

SENIOR PARENTS

We will hold Senior Recognition immediately after Lancaster's performance. DURING Lancaster's performance find your child along the fence by their banner to line up!

Gloves \$3

A reminder that extra gloves are \$3 each.

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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