

BAND NOTES

August 29, 2023

BAND CAMP A SUCCESS!

We had a hugely successful band camp last week! Thank you for everyone who came to the picnic and Preview Show! Your support is so appreciated! Now...onto the fall season!

Upcoming Schedule

Wednesday, August 30 3:30 - 6:30

Friday, September 1 Home Football Game (see below for details)

Wednesday, September 6 6:00 - 9:00 Thursday, September 7 6:00 - 9:00 Friday, September 8 4:00 - 7:00

Saturday, September 9 WEST SENECA COMPETITION!

Friday - Football Game

6:00PM - Meet in Jefferson Auditorium (arrive by **5:45** OR YOU WILL BE LATE)

Warm up/go over stand tunes and pregame

6:35PM - Line up for Pregame in hallway
6:45PM - Walk to field in Pregame lines
6:50PM - March on field for Pregame

7:00PM - Enter stands and play stand tunes

Halftime - you may leave stands to get food, but MUST be back in seats at start

of quarter 3

9:45PM - Approximate dismissal time - after game is over

COME WEARING: Marching Band pants with Squad Shirt underneath

Long black socks
Black marching shoes

- Jacket will be in your garment bag. You will put that on before lining up for Pregame.

No hats tonight - hair can be done however you like.

Color Guard - this is an optional night for you. If you'd like to come cheer in the stands with the band, please do!

Apparel & Show Shirt Orders

Jackets and all apparel sold on the online store, including show shirts, are here! They can be picked up by Nicole after practice Tuesday and Wednesday by the Jefferson gym doors.

Fall Festival Info

<u>Program Ads</u>- At this point all ads (program and happy ads) should be in. Contact Kim

Lombard with questions. (716) 499-1755

Admission Tickets - Due Tuesday, September 12th.

<u>Raffle Tickets</u> - Due Tuesday, September 12th.

Contact MaryGrace Anderson with questions:

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A look ahead...West Seneca Competition 9/9

Here is the likely schedule for next Saturday, September 9th:

11:00 - 2:00 - Practice

2:00 - Eat snack, Load buses 3:00 - Depart for West Seneca 4:30 - Arrive, change, warm up

6:26 - PERFORM! 9:30PM - Return home

Students should eat BEFORE arriving.

Students must bring a dinner for the bus.

Attendance Policy Reminders

Now that school is starting here are a few reminders on the Attendance Policy:

- 1) If you are in school you must be at practice.
- 2) If you are not in school, you cannot come to practice.
- 3) If you miss 2 or more practices in a week you CANNOT perform on the weekend.

Let's all do everything we can to stay healthy so our season can continue to move forward successfully!

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