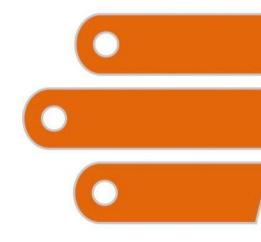
#### **Delaware Hayes Band**

# Weekly Update

Jul 29, 2022



We had a great week of "Pre" Band Camp. Our Pre-game routine is on the field and we've learned drill for the first 10 pages of our show. I'm extremely proud of all our students for working hard and accomplishing our goals. Next week is Band Camp and I'm excited to see how much we can accomplish.

#### **Band Camp**

Band camp is next week August 1 - 5. Please avoid scheduling any appointments or missing any time from camp. This is our opportunity to learn as much of our show/season as possible. It's also a time to connect with each other and build relationships that will last a lifetime. Please bring the following:

- Everything from Pre-Camp
  - o Instrument/Music, Dot Book, Pencil, Water Bottle, Sun-Screen/Hat/Sun-Glasses
- Packed Lunch (If you need lunch provided please let us know.)
- THEME DAYS (You are encouraged to dress up each day, but are not required)
  - Monday Movie/Show (dress from your favorite movie/show)
  - Tuesday Twin Day (find a friend & dress alike)
  - Wednesday Wacky Wednesday (the crazier the better)
  - Thursday Decade (dress from your favorite decade)
  - Friday Color Day (each section will dress in a specific color)
- Cadence Club will be providing dinner for our students the week of Band Camp and throughout the season. Please fill out the form below to let us know of food preferences/allergies.
  - https://forms.gle/usNG5sTMLPBvzeK39
- We are also needing parent volunteers to sign up and help during the dinners. Please help where you can!
  - Band Camp Food Help



## **Band Camp Schedule Update**

We had to update our schedule a little bit next week. Please make these changes!

Monday - Wednesday - 8a - 8p

Thursday - 8a - 7p; Band Dance will be 8p - 10p

Friday - 8a - 4p; Report to the HS at 5p in Summer uniform for Pacerfest.

### **Uniform Fittings**

Thank you to our WONDERFUL uniform moms for making uniform fittings a huge success. If you forgot to sign up or missed your time, please let us know so we can get you fitted.

#### **Band Shoes**

If you need to purchase marching band shoes, please click the link below and order them. You will pay and purchase completely online. All shoes will be delivered and distributed at the school. Please have shoes ordered no later than 8/5.

**Marching Band Shoes** 

#### **Pacer Fest**

On Friday, August 5th the school will be having Pacer Fest! This is our community-wide Pep Rally. The Band will be performing their Pre-View immediately following the event. We will be ending rehearsal on that Friday early so students can go home and change/eat before they need to report back to the HS at 5p. Please plan to come and support our students!



## **Marching Band Fees**

Marching Band fees were sent home the last day of July 4th practices. Below is what the fee structure is, and when money is due. If you need to break down payments even more, please reach out and we will set up a payment plan that best fits your situation.

Marching Band Fee - \$175.00 (paid to Delaware City Schools)

Instrument Rental Fee - \$25.00 (anyone using school instrument/equipment; paid to DCS)

Meal Fee - \$20.00 (paid to Cadence Club; deposit in the white box outside of Mr. Fowles's office)

- Marching Band Fee Payment Schedule
  - 0 7/25 \$100.00
  - 0 8/8 \$50.00
  - 0 8/22 \$25.00
- Instrument Rental Fee
  - 0 7/25 \$25.00
- Meal Fee
  - 0 7/25 \$20.00

Also, if you haven't already paid for your Summer Uniform shirt/short, please make sure to go to our facebook page store and do that.

- Click the store button near the top of the facebook page
- Click on the items you ordered
- Check out & pay

All items were already ordered before the parade. You just need to pay for the items you received. If you have questions, please let us know.

#### **Post Band Camp**

Post Band Camp will be the week of Aug. 8. We will only be rehearsing 3 days that week. Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 6p - 9p. Please make sure you make this adjustment in your schedules. These rehearsals will be crucial as we reinforce what we learned at Band Camp.



### **Pictures**

We will be having pictures taken on Monday Aug. 8 from 4p to 6p. This will be an opportunity for parents to purchase pictures/buttons of students in their uniforms. Please try and wear a black T-shirt to wear under your uniform. You may bring other clothes to change into before our rehearsal that evening.

# Sign up for Remind Texting

You can join a texting service that will give you immediate updates from the director. This will primarily be used as a reminder for upcoming events. This also may be used as a quick way to let parents/students know about any changes to our schedule.

Text @pacerband to 81010

# **Schedule at a Glance**

WHAT	<u>WHEN</u>	<u>WHERE</u>
Band Camp	Aug. 1 - 5 8a - 8p	High School
Pacer Fest	Aug. 5 5:30p	High School
Post Band Camp	Aug. 8,9,11 6p - 9p	High School
School Rehearsals start Aug. 15.	M/W/Th - 2:45p - 5:15p	High School
Teacher Convocation	Aug. 15/16 - TBD	High School



# **Other Comments**

- GET OUTSIDE
  - o The more you get acclimated to the weather/heat, the better prepared for rehearsals you'll be.
- DRINK WATER
  - Please make sure you're getting hydrated. Even now the more water you drink on a daily basis the better prepared for rehearsals you'll be.
- PRACTICE
  - Practice a little each week. The more you practice and prepare now the better you'll be when rehearsals start.