

Parent Meeting/Show Reveal

2023 Marching Season

DATES TO KNOW

MAY:

12 - REGISTRATION DEADLINE FOR DISNEY 2024

19 - FIRST PAYMENT FOR DISNEY DUE

JUNE:

22 & 23 - LEADERSHIP TRAINING | 9a - 12p

26 & 27 - NEW MEMBER TRAINING | 9a - 12p

28 - 30 - FULL BAND JULY 4 REHEARSAL | 9a - 12p



MARCHING BAND HANDBOOK



DATES TO KNOW

JULY:

3 - FULL BAND JULY 4 REHEARSAL | 9a - 12p

4 - JULY 4 PARADE | 1p REPORT TIME/3p PARADE

24 - 28 - PRE-BAND CAMP | 9a - 2p

AUGUST:

JULY 31 - AUG. 4 - BAND CAMP | 9a - 8p

7 - 10 - POST-BAND CAMP | 9a - 2p



MARCHING BAND POLICIES & EXPECTATIONS

1. **ALL REHEARSALS AND PERFORMANCE ARE MANDATORY**
 - a. All anticipated absences must be reported to Mr. Fowles with at least ONE WEEK'S notice via email with "Absence" marked in the subject line.
2. **PLEASE BE PUNCTUAL TO ALL REHEARSALS.**
 - a. Showing up to rehearsal at the scheduled time will be considered late.
3. **TREAT ALL MEMBERS, STAFF, CHAPERONES, AND ANYONE ELSE WITH RESPECT**
4. **ALL BEHAVIOR SHOULD BE CONDUCTED AT THE HIGHEST STANDARD**
 - a. No public displays of affection
 - b. No profanity/insubordination
 - c. You represent our school, community, and the band program
5. **STUDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR HAVING ALL EQUIPMENT/MATERIALS AT ALL TIMES**
 - a. Instrument in working condition
 - b. All music/warm-ups
 - c. Dot book/pencil at ALL rehearsals

MARCHING BAND PRACTICE/PERFORMANCE ATTIRE

PRACTICE ATTIRE:

- **CLOSED-TOED ATHLETIC SHOES**
 - No Boots, Crocs, etc.
- **CLOTHING MUST BE SUITABLE FOR ATHLETIC MOVEMENT**
 - Pay attention to the weather! (i.e. wearing black hooded sweatshirts when it's 80 degrees)
- **WEAR CUSHIONED ANKLE SOCKS**
 - This is to avoid blisters!

Once school starts, please make sure to have your clothes with you. There will be time to change before rehearsal.



MARCHING BAND PRACTICE/PERFORMANCE ATTIRE

PERFORMANCES:

1. SUMMER UNIFORMS

- a. Orange Pacer Band Polo
- b. Black Athletic Shorts
- c. White Socks
- d. Athletic Shoes

2. FULL UNIFORM

- a. Orange Compression Shirt
- b. No Bulky Pants/Shorts
- c. Black Calf-High Socks
- d. Clean Black Marching Band Shoes



BAND CAMP TIPS/TRICKS

- **HYDRATE! HYDRATE! HYDRATE!**
- **MAKE SURE TO GO TO BED EARLY!**
- **EAT A GOOD BREAKFAST BEFORE YOU COME TO BAND**
 - We are very active and your body needs the energy!
- **You will need to bring a packed lunch each day!**
 - Try and pack healthy! The healthier you are the better your body responds!
- **Bring a LARGE water jug/bottle.**
 - You will be able to refill water jugs/bottles throughout the day. We **DO NOT** provide cups/water bottles.
- **Sunscreen!**
 - We are outside A LOT!

- **Additional Items to consider bringing:**
 - **Hat/Sunglasses**
 - **Extra socks/shoes**
 - Especially if it's raining!



MARCHING BAND FEES

BAND CLASS FEE - \$35 (COLLECTED BY DCS AT REGISTRATION)

MARCHING BAND FEES:

- **PARTICIPATION FEE - \$175 (TURNED INTO MR. FOWLES/PAYABLE TO DCS)**
 - UNIFORM USAGE
 - DRILL WRITER
 - MUSIC ARRANGER/CHARTS
 - SUMMER/ADDITIONAL STAFF
 - PROPS/ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT

ADDITIONAL FEES:

- **INSTRUMENT RENTAL FEE - \$25**
 - ANYONE USING SCHOOL OWNED INSTRUMENT/EQUIPMENT
 - TURNED INTO MR. FOWLES (CHECKS PAYABLE TO DCS)
- **MARCHING BAND SUMMER POLO - \$25**
- **MARCHING BAND SUMMER SHORTS - \$22**
- **CONTEST COMPRESSION SHIRT - \$25**
- **CONTEST MARCHING SHOES - \$35**
 - PURCHASED FROM RETTIGMUSIC.COM
- **MARCHING BAND GLOVES - 1 PAIR FOR \$3 OR 2 PAIRS FOR \$5**
 - CASH ONLY

- **BAND CAMP/COMPETITION FOOD FEE - \$20 (CHECKS PAYABLE TO CADENCE CLUB)**



MARCHING BAND FEES

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

1. **6/28 - \$100**
 - a. This confirms your spot in the show
2. **7/25 - \$50**
3. **8/7 - \$25**

If you need to spread out payments further, please contact Mr. Fowles.

UPCOMING SEASON

WE HAVE A LOT OF EXCITING EVENTS/PERFORMANCES THIS COMING SEASON!

- PACERFEST
- PARADES
 - 4TH OF JULY
 - LABOR DAY
 - CHRISTMAS
- ALL FOOTBALL GAMES
- 4 COMPETITIONS
- STATE MARCHING BAND FINALS
- DISNEY TRIP SPRING 2024

DISNEY 2024

- **OVER SPRING BREAK 2024**
- **MARCH IN PARADE THROUGH MAGIC KINGDOM**
 - IN FRONT OF 10,000 PEOPLE!
- **WORKSHOP WITH DISNEY PROFESSIONAL**
- **SPEND 3 DAYS AT DISNEY PARKS**
 - MAGIC KINGDOM
 - HOLLYWOOD STUDIOS
 - ANIMAL KINGDOM
- **SPEND 1 DAY AT UNIVERSAL STUDIOS**
 - VISIT BOTH PARKS.

CADENCE CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

- WHAT CADENCE CLUB IS/DOES
- HOW TO GET INVOLVED
- WHAT ARE SOME
UPCOMING EVENTS
 - FUNDRAISERS
 - EVENTS



SHOW REVEAL

RUMORS:

- SEVERAL DIFFERENT MUSIC ARTISTS
- STAR WARS
- THE MUPPETS!
 - I LOVE THIS IDEA!!!!
- WIZARD OF OZ



SHOW REVEAL

HINTS:

1. THE SHOW HAS RELEVANCE TO OHIO.
2. THERE IS A TIE TO SOMETHING THAT HASN'T HAPPENED IN OVER 50 YEARS!
3. THE SHOW WILL TAKE US ON AN ADVENTURE!

A hand holding a smartphone against a dark, textured background. The phone's screen displays a close-up of the moon. The phone's case is black with white text and a logo.

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 SYNCED UP DESIGNS