#### **Delaware Hayes Band**

# Weekly Update

Jul 3, 2024

#### **JULY 4 PARADE**

The July 4 parade will be this Tomorrow. Students need to report to the HS at 10a dressed in the Summer Uniform. (Orange Shirt - Band; Gray Shirt - Guard; Black Shorts; Tennis Shoes) From the HS we will walk to the Fair Grounds where the parade starts at 11a. This is a change in time from what I originally posted. The parade will travel down Sandusky street where the parade will finish at the Hardware Exchange. Students can be picked up in the parking lot of Selby Stadium/St. Mary's parking lot on South Henry St. The parade should last approximately an hour. Students are encouraged to take instruments home after the parade. However, any percussion/tuba students are responsible for getting their equipment back to the HS after the parade. The HS will be open immediately after the conclusion of the parade till 1p.

In the case of inclement weather, please look for an email/text from section leaders regarding the parade. UNLESS YOU RECEIVE AN EMAIL/TEXT THE PARADE IS STILL HAPPENING.

## Food Allergy/Dietary Needs

Please fill out the following information, so our Food parents can prepare for our Band Camp/Season meals.

**Food Form** 



#### PRE/BAND/POST CAMP

Band camp starts on July 22 from 9a to 3p. These dates are mandatory for attendance. We will be spending these 3 weeks learning the bulk of our competition show, as well as learning pre-game and other requirements for the season. Please make sure you are preparing in advance so we can have the most successful camp as possible. Below is a list of required items:

- Instrument/Music Folder (3-ringed binder w/page protectors)
- Pencil
- Large Water Bottle (32oz)
- Packed Lunch (Cadence Club will provide dinners only during Band Camp Week)
  - NO ONE IS PERMITTED TO LEAVE THE HS FOR LUNCH!!!
  - IT IS NOT RECOMMENDED TO ORDER FOOD TO BE DELIVERED. LUNCH MAY NOT BE AT THE SAME TIME EACH DAY. YOU WILL NOT BE DISMISSED TO ORDER/PICK UP FOOD WHEN REHEARSING.
  - Plan to pack HEALTHY. Extra Sugar, Caffeine, and junk food will only make you feel sick.

    We need everyone feeling good/healthy.
- Athletic Shoes We will be outside moving A LOT. Please make sure to keep your feet comfortable. Running Shoes are the best option here!
- Wear comfortable clothing that you can move freely in. We will also be outside the majority of the day. Please **DO NOT** wear long pants/shirts, sweatshirts, etc. when it's 80+ degrees outside. If you are cold in the morning, please wear layers to ensure you're not overheating in the afternoon. If you DO NOT dress appropriately for rehearsal, we will provide attire for you. We had too many students overheating last year due to wearing the wrong attire.
- Sun Protection Sunscreen, Sunglasses, Hats are all encouraged during rehearsals. Please note that once we go inside, sunglasses should be taken off!

# **Uniform Fittings**

We will be having uniform fittings the week of July 22 (Pre Band Camp) from 3p to 6p. Please click the link to sign-up for a time slot.

**Uniform Fitting Sign-up** 



#### PACERFEST DATE CHANGE

The date for Pacerfest has changed. Please note the new date and let Mr. Fowles know immediately if you are unable to attend. We are trying to work on some additional information/parent preview so please look for that information shortly.

Pacerfest will be Aug. 9 - 6p; report time is 5:15p in Summer Uniforms.

#### **BAND PICTURES**

Band Pictures will be held on Aug. 6. Students will need to bring all items needed for their competition uniform in the morning. This includes:

- Compression Shirts
- Black Socks
- Black Marching Band Shoes
- Black Gloves
- Hair items (to keep hair off the collar)

Pictures will be taken from 1p - 3p. We will rehearse in the morning, so please be mindful of attire that day. Students will still have the opportunity to eat lunch and get ready for pictures after rehearsal.

#### **Senior Band Pictures**

Senior Band Students will get their pictures taken on July 30. These pictures will take place from 8a to 9a in the choir room. The reason for the earlier date is so Senior Banners can be ready for Pacerfest. Seniors should come already dressed to change into their Full Uniform. We will be starting rehearsal on time, so please review your pose beforehand so this process can move quickly. If you need suggestions, ask Mr. Fowles.

#### **Music for Next Season**

Please locate music for next season in the attached folder. You can find music for all parades, stand tunes, and competition music. Items will be continually updated throughout the summer.

Music Folder



#### **Next Season Information**

Below is the season performance/rehearsal schedule for our 2024 Marching Band season. Please make sure to look over the dates and begin planning around our Band Camp. We are already WELL into the planning stages and are looking forward to another SUPERIOR season.

**2024 Marching Band Schedule** 

#### **COMPETITION SCHEDULE**

Below is our competition schedule for the 2024 season. Please keep the entire day open, as we will likely have rehearsal before most of the competitions. Rehearsals will be set once we have our performance times closer to each event.

- Sept 14 Hilliard Bradley Competition This will be a morning/afternoon competition
- Oct 12 Canal Winchester Competition This will be a morning/afternoon competition
- Oct 12 Buckeye Invitational We will look to compete in the evening
- Oct. 19 Thomas Worthington Competition This will be an evening competition

#### **Marching Band Fee Schedule**

Below you will find our Marching Band fee payments.

Marching Band Fee: \$175 (please make checks payable to Delaware City Schools

- First installment (\$100) due 7/3
- Second installment (\$50) due 7/24
- Third installment (\$25) due 8/7

Marching Band Food Fee: \$35 (please make checks payable to Cadence Club

Due 7/3

Instrument Rental Fee: \$25 (please make checks payable to Delaware City Schools

 This is only for students using school owned instruments/equipment (including all percussion/guard members).

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



#### Passing on Pacer Pride

Cadence Club has a box in the Band Room for those students who no longer have need for gently used band clothing, shoes, or pacer gear. If you have anything at home, please consider donating. We continually have students who need items or forget something on competition days.

### **Order Items for Marching Band Season**

Orders should have already been placed, however if you haven't done so please call and get these items ordered ASAP. We do have some Summer Uniform items available at the HS to borrow/buy, however it's first come first served. If you have any questions, please let me know.

- Band/Orange Polo
- Guard/Gray Polo
- Black Shorts
- Band/Sublimated Band Undershirt
- Band/Black Shoes
- Guard/Black Jazz Shoes

You can select to have all items shipped to the HS and we will pass out items once they arrive. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out.

#### **Kroger Rewards**

Link your Kroger Rewards card to help support the Delaware Pacer Band program.

- Sign into your digital account
- Enter/search for Cadence Club as the name of the organization you wish to support
- Click Save and start shopping!

Any transaction moving forward using your Kroger Rewards card will directly support our organization!

# Sign-up for Weekly Emails for Next Season!

<u>Sign-up</u> to receive emails for next marching band season/school year. I will keep this link available throughout the summer.



### **Help support the Band!**

With the School year winding down, Cadence Club is beginning to look ahead to next year! Our committee chairs are often asked, "What do you need?" and we've put together a few Amazon lists with the answers

Uniforms: https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/FN1137TANA3I...

Food: https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1IU2AB3EI89OO...

Spirit: https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/KXIVH0NZJXVN...

If you'd rather simply donate money, you can use this PayPal link:

https://www.paypal.me/CadenceClub?locale.x=en\_US

#### Visit our Website/Facebook Page

Please check it out! It is a one stop shop for all details and information you need to know. <u>Pacerbands.org</u>
Like our Facebook page for pictures/postings of our amazing students. @delawarepacerbands

#### Schedule at a Glance

WHAT	<u>WHEN</u>	WHERE
July 4 Parade	7/4; 9:30a report/10a Parade	DHHS
Pre-Band Camp	7/22 - 7/26; 9a - 3p	DHHS
Uniform Fittings	7/22 - 7/26; 3p - 6p	DHHS
Band Camp	7/29 - 8/2; 9a - 8p	DHHS
Senior Pictures	7/30; 8a - 9a	DHHS
Post Band Camp	8/5 - 8/8; 9a - 3p	DHHS
Band Pictures	8/6; 1p - 3p	DHHS
Pacerfest	8/9; 5:15p report/6p start	DHHS