

Delaware Hayes Band

Weekly Update

Sep 28, 2024

Thank you all for handling Friday night's game with such class. I know it wasn't what we wanted or expected, however it was a fun evening. Please review the update as A LOT is happening in the next couple weeks.

After School Rehearsals Week of 9/30

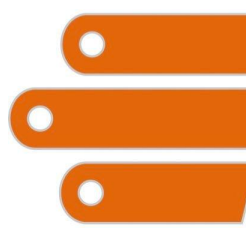
ALL STUDENTS are required to be at these rehearsals. The schedule for weekly rehearsals are as follows:

- MONDAY:** WW/BR - 2:45p - 5:15p (Music/Visual Rehearsal Mvmt 4)
Guard - 3p - 6p (Mvmt 3/Mvmt 4)
Percussion - 6p - 8p (Mvmt 4)
- WEDNESDAY:** Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 5:15p (Mvmt 4 Visually/Review Mvmt 3)
- THURSDAY:** Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 5:15p (Review Mvmt 4/Review Mvmt 3)

Students will need to remember to bring the following items to school on rehearsal days. Anyone needing to keep items in the band room can store them before school starts.

- Athletic Shoes/Athletic clothes/Hat/Sunglasses (be mindful of the weather)
- Water Bottle
- Dot Book/Pencil
- Music

Please make sure once the last period is over to make your way down to the band room quickly to change/prepare for rehearsal.



Home FB Game Friday (Westerville South)

This Friday we have a Home Football Game. Students will go home after school and report to the school at 5:30p. Please remember to come dressed ready to change into full uniforms:

- Compression Shirt
- Black Marching Band Shoes/Black Calf-High Socks
- Black Gloves
- Items to pull hair up
- No piercings
- Money for Concessions 3rd Quarter

It is Homecoming that evening, which means a few changes in our normal routine. The choir will be singing the National Anthem/Alma Mater. We will still perform our normal halftime performance. Again, please be flexible as things will be different this week.

October 11 Academic Option Rehearsal/Dempsey Night

We will be having a morning rehearsal on the FB field during Academic Option Friday Morning. Students should report to school as if it were a normal day (M - Th). This is a required rehearsal for ALL Marching Band students. Rehearsal will be from 7:25a - 8:30a. Because that evening is Dempsey Night, we will not have a chance to practice our competition show before Saturday's competitions. This rehearsal will be our last opportunity to prepare. Students at DACC, if you are able to join us please plan to be there. If you have class at that time you are excused.

After School, we will be rehearsing with Dempsey to prepare for our halftime performance. We may also do a run of the show at that time. This is a special evening where we encourage the next generation of Marching Band members. We will feed all band students that evening before the game.

Canal Winchester/Buckeye Invitational

We have our next competition Saturday, Oct. 12 at Canal Winchester and the Buckeye Invitational. All parents and guests are encouraged to attend both competitions and support our students. However, if you can only choose one I would recommend coming to the Buckeye Invitational that evening. It's a REALLY cool experience seeing our students perform at the Horseshoe!

Students will need to report to the High School at 9a dressed ready to change into uniform. We ask that each student EAT a good breakfast before arriving. Please remember to bring the following:

- Compression Shirt
- Black calf-high socks
- Black Marching Shoes
- Gloves
- No Jewelry/Hair off of your neck.
- Money for concessions/souvenirs (after we perform at the Buckeye Invitational)
- Show shirt/sweatshirt/jacket/jeans for after the performance.

Here is the schedule for the day:

9:00a - Report to HS/Change/Load	4:00p - Meet at Buses
9:45a - Depart for Canal Winchester	4:30p - Warm-up
10:45a - Arrive/Unload/Use Restrooms	5:30p - Superior Performance
11:20a - Stretch at Buses	5:45p - Picture at Rotunda
11:40a - Warm-up	6:00p - Load/Change
12:45p - Superior Performance	6:30p - Watch other Groups/Eat
1:30p - Awards	9:00p - Watch TBDBITL together
1:45p - Eat Lunch (provided by Cadence Club)	9:30p - Awards
2:45p - Load Buses/Head to OSU	10:00p - Load/Depart for DHHS
3:30p - Arrive at OSU/Unload	11:00p - Arrive/Unload

This is a VERY long day, however I know it will be one that creates many memories for our students. Please make sure to drink plenty of water and get lots of sleep!

Buckeye Invitational Information

- Buckeye Invitational Ticket Information Cost & Purchase Location:

The tickets for the Buckeye Invitational will be sold online at go.osu.edu/BI2024 until October 10th or at Ohio Stadium at GATE 5 (on the Northwest side of the Stadium). The cost will be \$20.00 online and \$25.00 at the gate (Credit Card or Cash – EXACT CHANGE ONLY). Kids 6 & under are free and parking is included in the ticket price. Ohio Stadium A, B, & C Decks will be open on the west (press box) side of the stadium for all spectators and all seating is general admission for bands and the public. Students and fans may exit and re-enter Ohio Stadium at any time. Please retain ticket stub for re-entry. *Enclosed is a posting with ticket information, which you may duplicate as needed.

- Concessions:

Concession stands on the west (press box) side of the stadium will be open throughout the day. **Concessions in Ohio Stadium are now cashless. No cash will be accepted at any stand.** Personal food and beverage are not permitted inside Ohio Stadium. Please keep this in mind when planning for the day!

- Merchandise:

You are encouraged to pre-order your merchandise if interested in getting a shirt/sweatshirt. All orders must be completed by Oct. 9 and can be picked up at the Buckeye Invitational. No orders will be shipped. There will also be day of sales, however they will have a limited number of sizes. You can view/order at the following link. www.kkyeta.org/shop

Senior Picture Opportunity

See the attached [flier](#) about an opportunity for our Senior band students.

Music/Drill for Next Season

Please locate music/drill for next season in the attached folders. You can find music/drill for all parades, stand tunes, and competitions.. New rehearsal tracks have been updated for individual practice. Items will be continually updated throughout the summer. There are now VIDEOS in the Drill Folder to help students practice/critique their marching.

[Music Folder](#)

[Drill Folder](#)

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.

- 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

Kroger Rewards

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

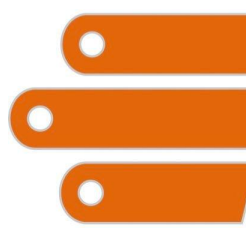
- Sign into your digital account
- Enter/search for **Cadence Club** as the name of the organization you wish to support
- Click Save and start shopping!

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

Visit our Website/Facebook Page

Please check it out! It is a one stop shop for all details and information you need to know. [Pacerbands.org](https://www.pacerbands.org)

Like our Facebook page for pictures/postings of our amazing students. @delawarepacerbands



Schedule at a Glance

<u>WHAT</u>	<u>WHEN</u>	<u>WHERE</u>
Weekly Practice 9/30	M: WW/BR - 2:45p - 5:15p Guard - 3p - 6p Percussion - 6p - 8p W: Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 5:15p Th: Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 5:15p	DHHS
Home FB Game 10/4 (Homecoming)	Report Time 5:30p	DHHS
Weekly Practice 10/7	M: WW/BR - 2:45p - 5:15p Guard - 3p - 6p Percussion - 6p - 8p W: Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 5:15p Th: Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 5:15p	DHHS
Academic Option Rehearsal 10/11	Report to School at Normal Time Rehearse from 7:25a - 8:15a	DHHS
Home FB Game 10/11 (Dempsey Night)	Stay after school and rehearse w/Dempsey 4p - 5p	DHHS
Canal Winchester/Buckeye Invitational Competitions 10/12	Report time is 9a	DHHS