Weekly Update

Delaware Hayes Band

Oct 27, 2024

It's State Marching Band Finals Week! This is a very important week as we cap off our Competition Season this Saturday. Please make sure to check rehearsal schedules and attendance is a must! I want to congratulate our Seniors on their final Home FB game performance and on all they've done to contribute and grow this program. THANK YOU!

After School Rehearsals Week of 10/14

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

MONDAY:	WW/Br - 2:45p - 4:30p (Music rehearsal)
	Color Guard - 3p - 5p (Clean)
TUESDAY:	Percussion - 6p - 8p (Music Rehearsal)
WEDNESDAY:	Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 4p (Clean!)
THURSDAY:	Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 4p (Clean!)

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.



Change in Rehearsal Times

Please note we will be ending rehearsals early on W/Th. This is impart of the other activities happening this week. Please make arrangements to be picked up at 4p.

Away Playoff FB Game Friday (Groveport Madison)

This Friday we have an Away Playoff Football Game. Students will stay after school. Please make sure to bring the following items with you to school on Friday. We will rehearse after school, eat, then load the bus for Groveport Madison.

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

State Marching Band Finals

Our final competition is Saturday, Nov. 2 at State Marching Band Finals in Medina. All parents and guests are encouraged to attend and support our students. There is a cost to attend this competition. Information regarding tickets can be found <u>here</u>. The address for the high school is

Medina High School - 2850 Medina Rd. Medina, OH 44256.

When you arrive, please make sure you have the following items:

- Compression Shirt
- Black calf-high socks
- Black Marching Shoes
- Gloves
- No Jewelry/Hair off of your neck.
- Money for concessions/SMBF Merchandise.
- Show shirt/sweatshirt/jacket for after the performance.



Here is the schedule for the day:

1:30p - Student Report Time 1:45p - 2:30p - Music Warm-up/Run Through Music 2:30p - 3:30p - Load/Eat/Change 3:45p - Depart for Medina 5:15p - Arrive/Unload/Bathroom 6:05p - Meet Guide

7:15p - Performance 7:30p - Load/Change/Snack Bag 7:45p - Support other groups/concessions 8:45p - Awards (We all sit together) 9:00p - Load Bus/Depart for DHHS

10:45p - Arrive/Unload/Go Home

6:10p - Warm-up

State Marching Band Chaperones/Pit Crew

A HUGE thank you to all the parents who have volunteered and supported our students this season. We are currently looking for individuals to help with both chaperoning and pit crew this Saturday at SMBF!

Sign-up Here

State Marching Band Finals Merchandise

Cash and credit cards will be accepted at all sites. Apparel will not be available to order online and can only be purchased onsite at all SMBF locations.

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Veterans Day Parade

We will be marching in the Veterans Day Parade on Sunday Nov. 3. Students will need to report to the Band Room by 2p ready to change into full uniform . The parade steps off at 3p and follows the 4th of July Parade Route. Students can be picked up in the parking lot of Selby Stadium or St. Mary's parking lot. Those students who need to return uniforms/instruments can do so after the parade until 5p. ALL **UNIFORMS MUST BE RETURNED ON MONDAY MORNING!**

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Dempsey Band Concert

Wednesday Oct. 30 Dempsey Bands will be performing a Halloween themed concert at 7p in the Hayes Auditorium. Please plan to attend and support our young musicians! If there are any HS students looking for hours, we could use students to help pass out programs, stage manage, and assist with other tasks. If you are interested in helping, please let Mr. Fowles know.

Marching Band Banquet

The Marching Band Banquet will be Thursday Nov. 7 at 7p. Students/Parents/Guests are welcome to attend as we reflect on the season, pass out awards/letters, and celebrate our students.

Senior Parents are encouraged to create/showcase senior boards for their students at this event.

Senior Class Photo/Cadence Club Fundraiser

Band Parents,

The Senior Class Photo project is a band fundraiser. Please share on your socials and promote, Promote and PROMOTE! Thx!

2025 Hayes Senior Class Photo

Seniors! Your Class of 2025 photo / image is available for purchase. Orders can be made at https://abovethelight.gotphoto.com/login and use code: VFHHS5ZL

Bonus: you get to choose the pose: traditional or "silly." (The traditional photo shows students in one large group on the gym bleachers and the silly photo shows three groups in the bleachers with aisles)

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Jazz Band/Combo Starts Nov. 11

Jazz band will begin Nov. 11 and will be every Monday and Wednesday. Jazz band will be from 2:45p -4:00p. Students will also have the opportunity to try out for Jazz Combo which is a student led group for advanced jazz students who can improvise. Jazz Combo will be Monday and Wednesday from 4p - 5p.



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. <u>Pacerbands.org</u> Like our Facebook page for pictures/postings of our amazing students. @delawarepacerbands

Schedule at a Glance

<u>WHAT</u>	WHEN	WHERE
Weekly Practice 10/28	M - Br/WW 2:45p - 4:30p Guard - 3p - 5p T- Percussion 6p - 8p W - Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 4:00p Th - Full Ensemble - 2:45p - 4:00p	DHHS
Dempsey Band Concert	Wednesday 10/30 @ 7:00p	DHHS
Away Playoff FB Game	Friday - Rehearse 2:45p - 4p Game starts at 7p	DHHS
State MB Finals	Sat, 11/2 - 7:15p Performance 1:30p Report Time	Medina HS
Veterans Day Parade	Sun. 11/3 2p Report Time/3p Step Off	DHHS
Marching Band Banquet	Th 11/7 - 7p	Auditorium