

Delaware Hayes Band

Weekly Update

Oct 12, 2025

WOW! What an absolutely fantastic weekend. We had a great half-time performance on Friday night, A superior performance (GRAND CHAMPIONS!!!!) at River View, and a fun time at the Fall Party today. I can't begin to express how proud I am of our students. Also, I need to thank all our parents/volunteers who supported our students over the past several days. Whether it was chaperoning, being on pit crew, providing food, setting up and supervising at Lehner's, you all truly make a difference.

Rehearsals This Week

All rehearsals until the end of the season are extremely important. Please make sure you are aware of all times. Students will need to remember to bring their rehearsal items with them to school in the morning. Students can leave bags or equipment in the band room once they arrive.

Monday:

- Brass/WW - NO REHEARSAL
- Percussion/Guard - 2:45p - 4:30p
 - Sectionals

Wednesday/Thursday:

- Full Ensemble 2:45p - 5:15p
 - Focus will be on reviewing/cleaning.

Home Football Game

This Friday is a home football game. Students are to report to the band room by 5:30p. Please remember to bring everything for Full Uniform. If you are deciding to wear layers under your uniform, please make sure nothing is baggy. All items worn under the uniform should also be black.

Senior Night Oct. 17

Seniors and Parents, we will be honoring our graduates with a dinner provided by the Cadence Club before the Football Game on Oct. 17. All seniors and 2 guests will be fed starting at 5p. Once dinner is complete, all students and parents will report to the stadium at 6:10p. Senior Night festivities will start at 6:20p.

Newark Competition

Our competition on Saturday, Oct. 18 is at Newark High School. All parents and guests are encouraged to attend and support our students. There is a cost to get into the competition. General Admission is \$10. Please reference this [link](#) for parking information and further details!

Here is the address for the stadium is White Field; N 11th St, Newark, OH 43055

Students will report at 7:30a to load. We will be traveling to Newark High School to rehearse before the competition on Saturday. This will give us an opportunity to do one final run before the competition.

Please make sure to bring the following when you arrive.

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

Here is the schedule for the day.

7:30a - Report Time/Load	12:20p - Warm-up
8:15a - Depart for NHS	1:30p - Performance
9:15a - Arrive at NHS to Rehearse	2:45p - Load/Eat/Watch other groups
9:30a - Rehearsal	3:30p - Awards (We all sit together)
10:45a - Load/Change	2:30p - Load/Depart for DHHS
11:15a - Arrive/Unload/Bathroom	4:30p - Arrive/Unload/Go Home
12:00a - Stretch at Buses	

State Marching Band Finals

We are still awaiting our official day/times. However, we are looking at performing on SUNDAY OCTOBER 26 at Piqua High School. Once we have official times, I will send a more detailed itinerary.

Parent Help/Volunteers Needed

Please consider helping out and volunteering. We are looking for more parents and volunteers to help with chaperoning, loading & unloading the trucks/trailers, helping with field crew at FB games and Competitions, helping with feeding our students, etc. Be on the lookout for sign-ups from the Cadence Club. If you are not receiving communications from Cadence Club please email them at: pacerbands@gmail.com

Chaperones/Pit Crew

Games

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084EAEAF2DA1FBC16-57923723-cadence>

Competitions

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084EAEAF2DA1FBC16-51231998-marching>

2025 Marching Band Schedule

Attached you will find our entire Marching Band schedule for the 2025 Marching Band Season. Please make sure to check dates for all Competitions, Football Games, and parades.

[Marching Band Schedule](#)

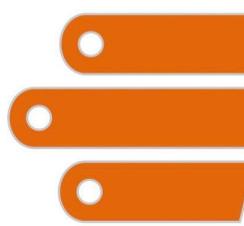
Competition Schedule:

Oct. 18 - Newark Competition: Late Morning/Afternoon (1:30p)

Oct. 25/26 - Week 1 State Marching Band Finals: TBD

Nov. 1/2 - Week 2 State Marching Band Finals: TBD

- We will only participate in one of the following weekends.



Music/Drill for the Season

Please use the following link to access all music for the season. You will find different folders containing music for the parade, competition show, pre-game, and stand tunes. Find your individual parts and print them if you'd like. All students will receive physical copies at the first rehearsals.

[Drill Folder](#)

[Music Folder](#)

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

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 10/13	Monday: WW/Brass No Rehearsal Percussion/Color Guard 2:45p - 4:30p Wed/Thursday: Full Ensemble 2:45p - 5:15p	DHHS
Home FB Game 10/17 Senior Night	Senior Night (senior/guests report time 5p) All other band members report time 5:30p Kickoff: 7:00p	DHHS
Newark Comp. 10/18	Report Time: 7:30a Performance: 1:30p	NHS
Weekly Practice 10/20	Monday: WW/Brass/Per. 2:45p - 5:15p Color Guard 3:30p -6:30p Wed/Thursday: Full Ensemble 2:45p - 5:15p	DHHS
State Marching Band Finals	Oct. 26 - TBD Once we know dates/times I will update immediately.	TBD
Veteran's Day Parade (FULL UNIFORM)	Sunday Nov. 2. 2:30p Report at HS 3:00p Step Off	DHHS