

BAND REMINDERS- NOV 7-13TH



CONGRATULATIONS COMPETITION BAND

Competition band gave their best performances of the year at 5A State. We won Upper State Champions and also won a silver medal. We are very proud of each of you for giving your all. The entire stadium erupted into a standing ovation after your performance in finals. Now to put the final exclamation point on an incredible season at Grand Nationals!

GREAT JOB FOOTBALL BAND AT THE PLAYOFF GAME

Our football band did a fantastic job at the game Friday night. They helped spur our team to victory against Hillcrest HS. Thank you for your hard work and representing while competition band was out of town. The football team is now 2-0 with football band there to cheer them on!

COMPETITION BAND COMMUNITY SHOW/SENIOR NIGHT NOVEMBER 8TH

- 6pm Call Time (ready in full uniform by 6pm)
- STUDENTS DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR UNIFORM BAG AND HANGERS BACK SINCE WE WILL LOAD THE UNIFORM TRUCK TUESDAY NIGHT AFTER THE PERFORMANCE
- 6:45pm Senior parents meet in the end zone next to the field house (opposite end zone from the jumbo-tron) Mr. Bone will line you up in alphabetical order based on seniors last name – your senior will come join you at 7pm- you will walk across the front of the field when your senior is called- after that, the Senior will go to their prop in the end zone and parents/guests can go back up into the stands to watch the show. We will have band staff there to help you know where to go so no worries!
- There is no dress code for parents/guests- wear whatever you feel comfortable with
- 7:15pm Recognize Seniors and parents/guests
- 7:30pm Perform the show (Approximate time depending on senior time)
- Everything should be concluded by 8pm
- Students will need to put their hat box and uniform back in the band room so it can be loaded after the performance. Please hang up pants properly!

REGION AND ALL STATE BAND AUDITION

Students that signed up for Region/All State will need to sign a verification form- Mr. Bone will come by to get everyone to sign before we leave for nationals. SCBDA will send audition times in December.

AUDITION AND CLINIC DATES:

- All-Region Auditions Jan 7- Woodruff HS
- All State Callbacks Jan 21- Lexington HS (The top 15-20% highest scores get selected for callbacks)
- All-Region Band Clinic February 17-18th- Spartanburg HS
- All-State Band Clinic March 10-12th – Furman University

Students that signed up for honors credit with a second semester class are required to audition. You must score a minimum of 75 out of 200 to get honors credit. You would also be expected to attend the clinic (if you make it). That is not optional and required if you make All-Region or All-State Band.

PARADE PRACTICE AND PICTURE DAY THURS DECEMBER 1ST 4-6PM

This is for everyone in competition band and football band- band pictures will take place during the school day for 9-12th graders and after school for 8th graders

PARADES

Band members will choose one of the three parades to participate in (they will sign up by seniority in November)

- Reidville Parade- Dec 10th – 3pm (Call Time 2pm at Reidville Elementary)
- Duncan Parade- Dec 3rd – 10am (Call time 9:15am at BHS Band Room)
- Lyman Parade- Dec 3rd- 5pm (Call Time 4pm at Middle Tyger Community Center)

We will post sign up information next week

WINTER CONCERT (not required for middle school marching band members)

Dec 8th- 7pm (6:30 Call Time)