

Mt. Enterprise Wildcat Band Department



7/22/2020

Dear Band Students and Parents,

Unfortunately, the COVID situation has caused us to alter our Summer Band Camp schedule for the safety of all involved. Essentially, we have cut about a week from the schedule and altered some times. Please see the new schedule below. The following safety precautions will need to be taken:

1. Masks should be worn at all times, unless we are rehearsing.
2. Students are to practice safe social distancing when not wearing masks.
3. Students are to congregate outside, and NOT in the band hall.
4. No more than 15 students at a time in the band hall.
5. All FULL BAND rehearsals will take place either outside, or spread out in the auditorium.

I know this sounds like a pain, but it is necessary for the health and wellness of everybody! But don't worry! We will still have fun and make great music! It's going to be a little different this year, but I think it will be the most exciting year for our marching band yet!

Let me know if you have any questions or concerns, otherwise, I will see you in a few weeks!

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2020 REVISED Summer Band Calendar

Mon, Aug 3rd	Color Guard Camp 9:00a.m. – 11:30a.m. Drum Line Camp 1:00p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Tues, Aug 4th	Color Guard Camp 9:00a.m. – 11:30a.m. Drum Line Camp 1:00p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Wed, Aug 5th	Color Guard Camp 9:00a.m. – 11:30a.m. Drum Line Camp 1:00p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Thurs, Aug 6th	Band Registration (all 7-12th) 5:00p.m.- 6:30p.m. <u>\$30.00 Band Registration Fee will be due at this time!</u>
Fri, Aug 7th	Marching Band Camp 3:00p.m. - 9:00p.m. Dinner will be from 6:00p.m. - 7:00p.m. (bring your own)
Mon, Aug 10th	Marching Band Camp 3:00p.m. - 9:00p.m. Dinner will be from 6:00p.m. - 7:00p.m. (bring your own)
Tues, Aug 11th	Marching Band Camp 3:00p.m. - 9:00p.m. Dinner will be from 6:00p.m. - 7:00p.m. (bring your own)
Wed, Aug 12th	No rehearsal
Thurs, Aug 13th	Marching Band Camp 3:00p.m. - 9:00p.m. Dinner will be from 6:00p.m. - 7:00p.m. (bring your own)
Fri, Aug 14th	Band Pictures/Media Day No rehearsals.
Mon, Aug 17th	First Day of School

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2020 Fall Calendar

Monday, Aug 17th	First Day of School!
Thursday, Aug 20th	MEET THE WILDCATS. Scrimmage vs. Carlise. We will perform. TBD
Friday, Aug 28th	AWAY Football Game vs. Cayuga. Call time 3:30 p.m. \$8.00 for dinner.
Friday, Sept 4th	HOME Football Game vs. All Saints. Call time 3:30 p.m. \$5.00 for dinner.
Friday, Sept 7th	Labor Day. No School.
Friday, Sept 11th	AWAY Football Game vs. Timpson. Call time 3:30p.m. \$5.00 for dinner.
Friday, Sept 18th	HOME Football Game vs. Burkeville. Call time 5:00p.m.
Friday, Sept 25th	No Game, Open Weekend
Friday, Oct 2nd	Homecoming Dance. TBD
Saturday, Oct 3rd	Homecoming Parade. Call time 9:30 a.m. at CJ's Hardware HOMECOMING Football Game vs. Cushing. Call time 5:00p.m.
Friday, Oct 9th	AWAY Football Game vs. Overton. Call time 4:00 p.m. \$5.00 for dinner.
Friday, Oct 16th	HOME Football Game vs. Tenaha. Call time 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct 21st	UIL Twirling at Lufkin. TBA
Friday, Oct 23rd	AWAY vs. Lovelady (Early Release). Call time 1:30 p.m. \$8.00 for dinner.
Tuesday, Oct 27th	Harvest Festival. Band will run several booths. TBA.
Friday, Oct 30th	HOME Football Game vs. Colmesneil. Call time 6:00 p.m.
Friday, Nov 6th	AWAY Football Game vs. West Sabine (Early Release). Call time 1:30 p.m. \$8.00 for dinner.
Friday, Dec 11th	Junior High All-Region Band Auditions at Carthage
Saturday, Dec 12th	High School All-Region Band Auditions at Henderson
Thursday, Dec 17th	Band Holiday Concert.

From the 2nd day of school through October, the school day begins on the marching field at 7:40 a.m. sharp! The busses do arrive in time. Call times are subject to change, but advance notice will be given.