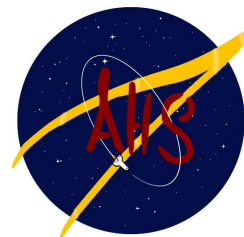


AHS Band Newsletter

Welcome Band Members of old and new!



As we progress into the new school year, we say farewell to our beloved seniors and welcome all the fresh faces with open arms.

Important dates, requirements, and the new 'Survival Guide' are included below. At the end of the newsletter is an optional summer music camp and 2021 show announcement. Again, the Astronaut Band welcomes you with open arms and we hope to see you in the new school year!

Below, we have listed important dates for the school year:

Officer, Guard, and Percussion Camp

→ July 19-23

→ 9am - 3pm

New Members Camp

→ July 22-23

→ 9am - 12pm

Band Camp

MANDATORY FOR ALL MEMBERS

→ July 26-30

→ 8am - 6pm

Summer Rehearsals

→ July 6 & 13

→ August 3 & 5

→ 5pm - 8 pm

Officer Workdays

→ June 4

→ 9am - 3 pm

→ July 6 & 13

→ 1pm - 5pm

First Day of School

→ August 10

Competitions (ALL DAY) → TBD

Football Games → TBD

Marching Equipment and Requirements

- Bibbers and jackets (this wardrobe will be provided to you by the band)
- Band Shoes -**\$40**
- Gloves - **\$3** (we recommend that you buy at least three or more pairs)
- Band Shirt - **\$12**
- Show Shirt - **\$15** (**may vary**)
- Parent Polo - **\$30**
- Drill Book Next - **\$2.99** (on the app store of your mobile device)
- You must have a pencil to write down where you march to on field.
- Band-App - **free** (on the app store of your mobile device- this helps you stay up to date on band events and rehearsals)
- Standard Sport's Physical- these forms are located in the front office and can be done at (location) for roughly \$20
- Out of County Travel Form- required for competitions and away football games

****Marching Band is very rigorous, but also a lot of fun and we want to make sure that all our band members stay safe and healthy. In order to ensure your well-being, a physical by a doctor is required. Please bring in your physical and medical form by the first day of Band camp on August 1st!! (Both must be notarized) ****

Band Fees

- **\$50** - band camp fee **Due first day of band camp (July 26th)**
 - **\$30** - Instrument fee per semester (if renting a school instrument) **due when instrument is checked out** (We strongly encourage that all players purchase their own mouthpiece if using a school instrument.)
 - **\$300** - Fair Share Fee (Color Guard include.)
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Fair Share Payment Plan:

- **August 15th - \$60**
- **September 15th - \$60**
- **October 15th - \$60**
- **November 15th - \$60**
- **December 15th - \$60**

Marching Band Uniform:

- **\$40** - Band Shoes (Marching Band Only)
- **\$3** - Gloves
- **\$12** - Band Shirt
- **\$15** - Show Shirt
- **\$30** - Band Parent Polo (required for Football Games)

Color Guard Uniform:

- **\$18** - Fingerless Gloves
- **\$20** - Body Tight
- **\$40** - Jazz Shoes
- **\$20** - Duffel Bag
- **\$80** - Guard Uniform (We will size you during Band Camp)
- **\$40** - Rifle (if it applies to you)

Band Camp Survival List



What you need to bring:

- Water bottle (the bigger the better)
 - Sunscreen and bug spray
 - Sunglasses
 - Hat (preferably a large one)
 - Your instrument and all its parts
 - Instrument maintenance (swabs, cork/slide grease, etc.)
 - A packed lunch or lunch money (bring something healthy! NO fast food)
 - Healthy, small snacks (fruit, veggies, granola bars, etc. stay away from super salty foods, they cause dehydration)
 - Phone or small tablet and charger
 - DEODORANT (make sure to reapply!!)
 - Cool towels or washcloths
 - KT tape or other body wraps/braces
 - Poncho
 - Hand Sanitizer and mask
 - A small bag to carry all your belongings
 - Pencils (bring multiple)
 - A black binder and page protectors
 - A great attitude :)
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What to do to prepare:

- Eat a healthy, light breakfast (NO dairy products)
- Drink lots of water in the days leading up to camp
- Pack your bag the night before and have EVERYTHING ready
- Stretch before you come (wakes up you and your body)
- Do not wear an excessive amount of perfume or cologne
- Ask leadership if you have any further questions
- BE ON TIME! (early is on time, on time is late)

Dress Code:

During rehearsals, all students are required to wear:

- A plain white t-shirt (girls: tank-tops and sport bras are allowed if they are underneath a white shirt).
- Black or blue athletic shorts (No cargo shorts, booty shorts, or jeans).
- The only acceptable footwear is sneakers (No flip-flops, Vans, Converse, etc.)

We want everyone to be treated with respect, and one of the best ways to do this is by dressing appropriately. If you show up to rehearsal in anything other than what is required, you will be sent home for the day but may rejoin rehearsal if you change into proper attire.

North Brevard High School Summer Music Camp



Classes:

- 9th Grade Band – 9:30 am – 11:30 am
- 10th - 12th Grade Band – 10:15 am – 12:15 pm
- Strings - Incoming 9th Graders – 11:30 am - 1:30 pm
- Strings – 10th – 12th Grade – 12:30 pm – 2:30 pm

Dates:

- Week 1 - Monday, June 7th - Friday, June 11th
- Week 2 - Monday, June 14th - Friday, June 18th

You are welcome to come to whatever weeks your schedule will allow!

Where:

Titusville High School
150 Terrier Dr.
Titusville, FL 32780

Fee and Payment Information:

The cost for one class is \$75.00, and the cost for two classes (band and orchestra) is \$100.00.

We accept two methods of payment: check or cash. Please make all checks out to **HOPE FOR NORTH BREVARD**. If you are sending in cash, please make sure that your money is in a sealed envelope with the student's name written clearly on the outside and hand to Mr. Schwandt or Ms. Zahn. Payments may be made on the first day of camp, but please make sure to register early. (See Below)

You can also mail in your payment to:

Titusville High School
Ian Schwandt - Summer Music Camps
150 Terrier Tr. S.
Titusville, FL 32780

Please register online.
<https://forms.gle/6fCB3iqWbsV8tm5Z9>

****Email Questions to:**
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