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October 19, 2021

OG Band Family,

Congratulations to our musicians as they took home lots of first place finishes this past Saturday at the North Wilkes Festival of Bands! We had a great day and now shift focus towards making it happen again this coming weekend. We have a very busy week and although lengthy, this letter will provide much info. Please read the schedule below carefully. Lots to think about.

Thanks to all who helped us last week again for everything and I hope you have a great rest of the week. See you soon!

Mr. Howell

NOTE: We will need lots of parent/supporter help at Thursday's practice (approx. 6:00pm) as we will give a special performance of our show with all props, equipment, etc. This will also be needed again on Saturday at the competition.

Please consider helping out!

EVENT #1: SPECIAL PERFORMANCE at End of Practice DATE: Thursday, October 21 , 2021 TIMES: 6:30pm – 7:00pm (Parent/Supporter Help Needed @6pm) DRESS: School Clothes NEED TO BRING WITH: Practice/Performance Items

ITINERARY

3:30pm – 6:30pm – Regular Practice at OG

6:30pm – 7:00pm – Special Show Performance in Stadium

EVENT #2: FOOTBALL GAME – HOME Game against Montgomery Central High School SENIOR NIGHT!! (Senior Parents see instructions below...)
DATE: Friday, October 22 , 2021
TIMES: 3:30pm – until*
DRESS: FULL UNIFORM (blue OG Grizzly Band Shirt underneath. NO JEANS)

NEED TO BRING WITH: Money for Concessions (approx. \$10)

ITINERARY

3:30pm - 5:30pm - Practice at OG
5:30pm - 6:45pm - Dinner, Dress, etc. Dinner provided by Wallburg Baptist Church (THANK YOU!!!)
6:30pm - SENIOR PARENTS ARRIVE at Band Room
6:45pm - Warm-up, prepare to march to stadium - SENIOR PARENTS to Track
6:55pm - SENIOR NIGHT RECOGNITION
7:25pm - NATIONAL ANTHEM - OG Band
HALFTIME - FULL PERFORMANCE of "Malleus Maleficarum" - OG Band
@10:00pm - End of Game

EVENT #3: MINI-CAMP #4 & BAND FESTIVAL at Newton-Conover High School DATE: Saturday, October 23, 2021 TIMES: 10:00am - until DRESS: FULL UNIFORM! ("Malleus Maleficarum SHOW Shirt under uniform. NO JEANS!) NEED TO BRING WITH: Lunch*/snack and money for concessions, etc.

* Students will have the opportunity to buy food at the festival but not until AFTER we perform. We will stop for lunch on the way to Newton-Conover or they may bring with. They MUST EAT A GOOD BREAKFAST! (Protein good, Dairy bad. Not eating, HORRIBLE!)

ITINERARY

- 10:00am Students arrive at OG
- 10:00am 12:00pm MINI-CAMP #4
- 12:00pm Dress and Load Equipment, etc.
- 12:30pm Depart for Newton-Conover High School

338 W 15th St, Newton, NC 28658

- 1:00pm Stop along the way for lunch (fast food or bring with)
- @3:30pm Arrive at Newton-Conover High School
- 5:00pm Warm-up
- 5:45pm OG Marching Band Performs "Malleus Maleficarum" in Class AAAA!
- 8:20pm Award Ceremony for Class AAA AAAAA
- 9:00pm Depart NCHS for OG
- 10:30pm Arrive at OG. Unpack, clean, etc.
- @11:00pm Go Home and get some rest!

EVENT #4: DAVIDSON COUNTY BAND NIGHT at Central Davidson High School DATE: Tuesday, October 26, 2021 TIMES: 3:30pm – until* DRESS: FULL UNIFORM! ("Malleus Maleficarum SHOW Shirt under uniform. NO JEANS!) NEED TO BRING WITH: Money for Dinner (approx. \$10)

\$5 ADMISSION FEE FOR SPECTATORS (parents, siblings, etc.)

ITINERARY

- 3:30pm Depart OGHS for Central Davidson High
- 4:15pm Arrive at CDHS Warm-up

5:30pm - Combined NATIONAL ANTHEM with all DCS Marching Bands!

ORDER OF PERFORMANCE

South Davidson Central Davdson West Davidson North Davidson Ledford Oak Grove East Davidson @9:00pm - Arrive at OGHS*

* When the event is over, ALL students will have responsibilities such as putting their instruments away, cleaning-up, etc. NO STUDENTS will be able to leave until dismissed by Mr. Howell or Mr. Liner.

**PLEASE REMEMBER THAT SOME OF THESE TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE. Band festivals typically run behind so be flexible! Your child will be allowed to use cell phones to call you, etc. REMIND and Band App messages with updates will also be sent throughout the event.

GO GRIZZLY BAND!!!!