



This Week in Band!

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The Mighty Cardinal Band would like to thank the Melissa Booster Club, Inc. for their continued support. Most recently they purchased the new plumes the band will be wearing in their ongoing quest for a place in the State Marching Contest

This Week's Schedule

10/24 No School

10/24 Night Rehearsal 6:00-8:00pm

10/25 Night Rehearsal 6:00pm-9:00pm

10/27 Rehearsal 6:45am - 8:15am

10/28 Rehearsal 6:45am-8:15am

10/28 Football Away - Aubrey - Buses will leave at 5:30pm

Students will wear red game day shirt under uniform shorts, long black socks, marching shoes

Boosters will provide the evening meal

Thank you Booster Club!

Bring Red Water Coolers

10/29 All Area Contest C.H. Collins Stadium, Denton, TX

All Day - Exact Itinerary TBA

In order to advance to State Marching Contest in San Antonio on Nov 7th, band must first make finals and then place in the top 4 bands of the day.

Students will wear blue game day shirt under uniform, shorts, long black socks, marching shoes

Remind 101 Sign Up

Sign up for all appropriate Remind 101s that pertain to you or your student.

All Band Members text @mcardband to 81010

Leadership Team text @mcardlt to 81010

Symphonic Band text @mcardsymp to 81010

Wind Ensemble text @mcardwind to 81010

Colorguard text @mcardguard to 81010

Pit Crew text @mhspitc to 81010

Band Payments

Online payments with credit and debit cards is available with a 3% convenience charge. Checks need to be made out to Melissa ISD with MHS Band written in the memo line. Cash is of course also accepted.

COUNTDOWN

UIL Area Marching Contest - 6 Days

UIL State Marching Contest - 15 Days

Pit Crew

Please sign up for Remind 101 pit crew texts. This will keep you up to date with the most up to date schedule information etc. Text @mhspitc to 81010 Please make sure you have my phone number in the event of an emergency. Trina Fender 210-219-3180

Percussion/Front Ensemble

PRACTICE

Excercises and show music!

Volunteer Opportunities

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All parents who will be helping with activities this year must complete a new background check. Please do this as soon as possible. Form will be made available this next week

Sign Up for Text Full Cardinal Band Updates. Text @mcardband to 81010 and follow directions!!!

Band Drop Off/ Pick Up

For safety reasons, **all band students must be dropped off in the back parking lot area. They may not be dropped off in the drive way or by the band hall doors.** Please pull into the parking lot and drop off/pick up your student there. Thank you in advance for your help in keeping all our students safe.

Upcoming events

10/24 No School
10/24 Rehearsal 6-8pm
10/28 Football Away - Aubrey
10/29 All Area Marching Contest - Denton
11/4 Football Home Game - Senior & MS night
11/7 & 8 State Marching Contest - San Antonio
12/3 Christmas Parade
12/5 All Region Auditions @ Whitesboro HS
12/8 Melissa HS Winter Concert @ Melissa HS
12/13 Melissa MS Winter Concert @ Melissa HS
1/7 All Area Auditions - Argyle HS for those who qualify
1/13-14 All Region clinic for those who qualify

Contest Schedule

Oct 29th C.H. Collins Stadium - Denton (UIL Area) All Day (TBA) in order to advance to Texas State Marching Contest you must place within the top 4 bands at Area Finals this day

Nov 7th Alamo Dome - San Antonio, Tx (UIL State) All Day (TBD)

"The harder you work for something the greater you'll feel when you finally achieve it."