



This Week in Band!

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Congratulations to everyone on a job well done last week at Solo and Ensemble as well as Winterguard Contest!

This Week's Schedule

2/27 Winterguard Rehearsal 6:30-9:30pm
 2/28 Wind Ensemble Full Band Rehearsal 7:30am
 2/28 Prospective leadership team meeting B Lunch
 Band Hall- all students who turned in an application
 2/28 Winterguard Rehearsal 6:30-9:30pm
3/1 Final Cruise Balance
 3/2 Wind Ensemble Full Band Rehearsal 7:30am
 3/2 UIL Sight Reading Clinic 4:30-6pm -Wind Ensemble
 Wind Ensemble should wear Concert black attire

3/6-10 Spring Break

There will be no newsletter sent out the week of 3/5
 Next newsletter will be sent out the weekend of 3/10-12

COUNTDOWN

**Concert and Sight Reading Contest-
47 Days**

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.

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

Winterguard Contest Schedule

2/25 NTCA contest, Wakeland HS

3/18 NTCA contest, Lewisville HS

3/24-25 MA Nat'l Championships/Ft Worth Convention Center

4/1 NTCA Championships, Coppell HS

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.

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

3/1 Final Cruise Balance

3/2 UIL Sight Reading Clinic 4-6:30pm-Wind Ensemble(concert Black)

3/6-10 Spring Break

3/13 West Texas A&M Symphonic Band @ MHS 11:45am

3/18 NTCA contest, Lewisville HS

3/22-23 Sounds of Spring, Princeton HS

3/24-25 MA Nat'l Championships/Ft Worth Convention Center

4/1 NTCA Championships, Coppell HS

4/7 Special Olympics performance

4/12-13 UIL Concert and Sight Reading Pottsboro

4/29 Espresso Yourself

5/6 Booster Club Golf Tournament

Band Trip June 8-June 12, 2017

Carnival Valor - 4 night Cruise to Mexico

6/8 - Depart Galveston 11am

6/9 - Sea Day

6/10 - Cozumel

6/11 - Sea Day

6/12 - Arrives in Galveston 8am

Inside Cabins - Double \$815, Triple \$765, Quad \$ 739

Fees can be paid online at www.melissaband.com

or in the form of cash or checks made out to Melissa ISD

March 3 - Final Cruise Balance

**"The difference between
ORDINARY and
EXTRAORDINARY is
practice."**