



This Week in Band!

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Band trip forms need to be completed AND turned in no later than this Monday, March 20th!

This Week's Schedule

3/20 Band trip forms due Complete and Turned in
 3/20 Symphonic Band Full Band Rehearsal Mega Lunch B
 3/20 Winterguard Rehearsal 6:30-9:30pm
 3/21 Wind Ensemble Full Band Rehearsal 7:30am
 3/21 Prospective Leadership Meeting Mega Lunch B
 3/22 Wind Ensemble Full Band Rehearsal 7:30am
 3/22 Wind Ensemble, Sounds of Spring, Princeton HS 4:55pm
 3/23 Symphonic Band Full Band Rehearsal 7:30am
 3/23 Symphonic Band, Sounds of Spring, Princeton HS 6:10pm
 3/23 Winterguard Rehearsal 6:30-9:30pm

3/24-25 Marching Auxiliaries National
 Ft. Worth Convention Center, Final Draft of Itinerary
 may not be released til mid week

COUNTDOWN

**Concert and Sight Reading Contest-
26 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

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

3/20 Band trip forms due

3/22 Wind Ensemble, Sounds of Spring, Princeton HS 4:55pm
3/23 Symphonic Band, Sounds of Spring, Princeton HS 6:10pm
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
4/17 Drum Major Auditions
4/28 Last day to turn in donations for Boosters "SUPERTICKETS"
4/29 Espresso Yourself
5/6 Booster Club Golf Tournament
5/9 Percussion Ensemble Concert

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

Life is like a camera...**FOCUS** on what's important, **CAPTURE** the good times, **DEVELOP** from the negatives, and if things don't work out **TAKE ANOTHER SHOT!**