



# This Week in Band!

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**Congratulations to ALL four Melissa ISD bands for receiving straight Superior ratings this week at Sounds of Spring!**

## This Week's Schedule

3/27 Symphonic Band Full Band Rehearsal Mega Lunch B  
3/27 Winterguard Rehearsal 6:30-9:30pm  
3/28 Wind Ensemble Full Band Rehearsal 7:30am  
3/29 Symphonic Band Full Band Rehearsal 7:30am  
3/29 Prospective Leadership Meeting Entire Mega Lunch  
Students may leave for prior commitments  
during B lunch  
3/30 Winterguard Rehearsal 6:30-9:30pm  
3/31 Wind Ensemble Full Band Rehearsal 7:30am  
3/31 Symphonic Band Full Band Rehearsal Mega Lunch B

**4/1 NTCA Championships, Coppell HS**  
Complete itinerary will be sent out ASAP

## 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

4/1 NTCA Championships, Coppell HS

## COUNTDOWN

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

## Volunteer Opportunities

Trina Fender pbjnoj@yahoo.com 210-219-3180

## 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.

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

**4/1 NTCA Championships, Coppell HS**

**4/7 Special Olympics performance**

4/11 SymphonicBand UIL Concert/Sight Reading Pottsboro 1:15pm

4/13 Wind Ensemble UIL Concert/Sight Reading Pottsboro 1:45pm

**4/17 Drum Major Auditions**

**4/18 Day 1 Colorguard Camp**

**4/20 Day 2 Colorguard Camp**

**4/25 Day 3 Colorguard camp**

**4/27 Colorguard Audition**

4/28 Last day to turn in donations for Boosters "SUPERTICKETS"

**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](http://www.melissaband.com)**

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

**"Success is achieved and maintained by those who try and KEEP trying."**