



This Week in Band!

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ALL BANQUET RSVPS AND PAYMENTS MUST BE TURNED IN BY MONDAY, MAY 8TH AT 4PM. No RSVPs will be accepted after this time.

This Week's Schedule

5/8 Banquet RSVP and PAYMENT due by 4pm
 5/9 Wind Ensemble Rehearsal during Mega lunch A
 5/9 Percussion Concert MHS Cafeteria 7pm, grades 6-12
 5/10 2017-2018 Leadership Team will assist with HME carpool from 7:15-7:50am. MUST wear RED band shirt
 5/10 Leadership meeting during Mega lunch
 5/11 Wind Ensemble Rehearsal 7:30am
 5/11 Symphonic Band Rehearsal During Mega Lunch
 5/11 High School Band Concert - MHS Cafeteria 7pm
 5/12 Fine Arts Banquet Sheraton McKinney
 Doors open at 6:30pm Dinner served promptly at 7pm
 5/13 BBQ Band Bash - Aaron McClean's house 4:30-7:30pm

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

Fine Arts Banquet

May 12th at Sheraton in McKinney
 Doors open 6:30pm, Dinner served 7pm
 Awards handed out followed by a dance
 Shirt and ties for boys, slacks or dress for girls
 NO JEANS

Fine Arts student is free, but must still RSVP
 Additional tickets \$25, no tickets sold at door

Volunteer Opportunities

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COUNTDOWN

State Solo and Ensemble

22 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.

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

5/9 Percussion Ensemble Concert
5/11 High School Band Concert
5/12 Fine Arts Banquet
5/13 End of Year Band Cook Out
5/17 UIL Physicals at MHS 12:30-5:30pm
5/17 Letter Jackets during lunch
5/18-19 Band Camp
5/22-25 Drumline Camp
5/26-27 State Solo and Ensemble
6/3 Graduation Performance
6/8-12 Band Trip
6/21-23 Melissa Leadership Camp

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

"At the end of the day It's not about what you have or even what you've accomplished...It's about who you've lifted up, who you've made better. It's about what you've given back."