

This Week in Band!

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Tuesday Night Rehearsal time is changed to 6pm to 9pm starting this week and going forward, until further notice.

This Week's Schedule

9/19 Rehearsal 6:45am-8:15am

9/20 Night Rehearsal 6:00pm-9:00pm

Wear black "M" shorts, red game day shirt, shako(hat) plumes, marching shoes, black ankle socks

9/21 Community Pep Rally call time 6pm

9/22 Rehearsal 6:45am-8:15am

9/23 Rehearsal 6:45am-8:15am

9/23 Football Homecoming Game - Call Time 5:30 pm Full uniform this week

Students will need to wear the solid black at least calf length socks, marching shoes, red game day shirt. Black tights highly recommended, if not non bulky shorts

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 @mcardsymph 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 will be available next week with a 3% convenience charge. Checks need to be made out to Melissa ISD with MHS Band written in the memo line or the bank will return them to be redone. Cash is of course also accepted.

Summer Shopping List

Students must wear completely Black socks must be at least mid calf, for marching uniform (several pairs)

COUNTDOWN

First Contest - 15 Days
UIL Marching Contest - 33 Days

Percussion/Front Ensemble

PRACTICE

Excercises and show music!

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 We will advise when the pit crew shirts arrive.

Please check the contest times and dates below and verify that you have no conflicts, taking into account especially Monday, Oct

10th being an early performance on a week day.

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

9/21 Homecoming Pep Rally - Call Time 6pm
9/23 Homecoming Football Game - Call time 5:30pm
9/30 Bye Week - no game
9/30 Full Band Rehearsal 4-6pm
10/1 Mesquite Marching Contest 12:45pm
10/1 Sunnyvale Marching Contest 5:00pm
10/7 Football Away - Bonham - leave MHS @ 5:30pm
10/8 Don Hanna Marching Contest - Denton, Tx, 1:45pm
10/8 Choir All Region auditions - Choir students will be placed at the head of the line for auditions

10/10 No School this day but band will be competing

at Mineola Marching Contest 2:45pm

Contest Schedule

Oct 1st Mesquite Memorial Stadium 12:45pm
Oct 1st Sunnyvale High School 5:00pm
Oct 8th C.H. Collins Stadium - Denton 1:45pm
Oct. 10th There is no school this day, but the band will be competing at Mineola High School 2:45pm
Oct. 15th Priceton High School 2:30pm
Oct. 19th Princeton High School (UIL Region) 8:30pm in order to advance to Area contest, band must make a composite rating of a 1st division this day
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

"Success in life comes when you simply refuse to give up, with goals so strong that obstacles, failure, and loss only act as motivation."

Day (TBD)