



Waxahachie Band Booster News

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May 2005

High School Band Spring & Summer Schedule

Color Guard Mini-Camp/audition
 Band Auditions
 Leadership Clinics
 Drum Major Audition
 Spring Band Concert, WHS Fine Arts Center
 WHS Band Banquet, Waxahachie Civic Center
 Graduation, Potter's House
 UTA Drum Major/Leadership Camp
 UTA Color Guard/Percussion Camp
 Lake Highlands Drum Corps Show
 Drum line/Color Guard Camp
 Band Leaders/Section Leaders/DM's
 Freshman Marching Camp (include All Band Leadership)
 Full Band Camp (all day)
 Full Band Camp (Evenings)
 Full Band Camp (all day)

May 3-6 (4:30-6:00pm)
 May 9-20 (during class time)
 May 9-12 (4:00-5:30 pm)
 May 13 (4:00-6:00 pm)
 May 17 (7:00 pm)
 May 21 (7:00 pm)
 May 27
 June 19-23
 June 26-30
 July 21
 July 25-29 (8:00-12:00, 1:30-4:00)
 July 28 (8:00-12:00, 1:30-5:00)
 July 29 (8:00-12:00, 1:30-5:00)
 August 1-5 (8:00-12:00, 1:00-5:00)
 August 8-9, 11 (5:00-9:00)
 August 12 (8:00-12:00, 1:00-5:00)

Jazz Band Schedule

Spring Alumni Concert

Tue, May 10 (7:00 pm)

WJHS Band Schedule

Solo & Ensemble Contest
 Beach within Reach Festival—Hurricane Harbor
 Beach within Reach Festival—Hurricane Harbor
 Hurricane Harbor—Just for Fun
 Spring Concert, WHS Fine Arts Center

Sat, May 7
 Thu, May 12 (Symphonic II)
 Fri, May 13 (Symphonic I)
 Sat, May 14
 Mon, May 16 (7:00pm)

Turner Middle School Band Schedule

Spring Concert, WHS Fine Arts Center

Thu, May 19 (7:00pm)

Beginning Band Drive Dates

Shackleford Elementary
 Wedgeworth Elementary
 Dunaway Elementary
 Northside Elementary

Mon, May 2 (6:30-8:30)
 Tue, May 3 (6:30-8:30)
 Mon, May 9 (6:30-8:30)
 Thu, May 12 (6:30-8:30)

Booster Officers 2004-2005

President.....Neal White
 VP Concessions..... Marty Reese
 VP Fundraising.....Jennifer Dacy
 Secretary.....Theresa Davis
 Treasurer.....Chris Buse
 WJHS Rep.....Cheryl Stephens
 NGA Rep.....Nancy Petty

The Waxahachie Band Booster Organization provides support for all students in the Waxahachie Band Program. Every band parent and friend of the band is invited to join the Waxahachie Band Booster Organization. The Waxahachie Band Booster Organization meets on the second Monday of each month, 7:00 P.M. in the WHS band hall.

www.waxahachieband.org

WJHS Band News

The Symphonic II Band made a Division Two rating in concert and sight-reading and the Symphonic I Band made all 1st Division ratings and received the sweepstakes trophy. The kids were very well behaved at the contest and represented our school very well. - *Terry Maxwell*

Jazz News

The Jazz Orchestra enjoyed a great performance at Marvin Elementary on April 12. The Marvin PTO has invited the jazz ensemble to play for their picnic meeting for three years in a row and the jazz students have really enjoyed entertaining the kindergartners.

The jazz combo played April 24 at the Sim's Library Centennial Celebration. Keith Davis (saxophone), Caleb Gilbreath (drums), James Hollingsworth (bass), Will Davis (trombone), and Rich Armstrong (piano), played standards out on the library lawn while patrons enjoyed an ice cream social.

Come out and hear the Spring Jazz Concert on Tue., May 10. This second annual

alumni concert will be packed with great jazz from start to finish. Russ Echols, Keith Davis, Jonathon Geer, Ivan Diaz De Leon, and others will share their talents in combo and big band settings. - *Rich Armstrong*

TMS Band News

The Turner Middle School Band performed on Thursday, April 14, for the UIL Concert and Sight Reading judges. Even though this was not a UIL Contest for TMS, we were judged, critiqued, and rated by the six UIL judges. The band received all Division One ratings in Concert and all Division One ratings in Sight Reading.

For the first time, the TMS Band participated in the "Music in the Sticks Festival" in Maypearl. The band earned a Sweepstakes Award by receiving a Division One rating in both Concert and Sight Reading. At the conclusion of the contest, TMS Band was awarded "**Outstanding Band of the Contest**". Later that morning, the TMS Band participated in the Sandy Lake Music Festival for the twenty-first time. From the three judges, the band received two Division One ratings and a One plus rating. The band is now preparing for their Spring Concert scheduled for Thursday, May 19, 7:00 P.M. in the WHS Fine Arts Center. Admission is free.

- *Donnie & Margie Owens*

Summer Fundraisers!

Band Students and parents will be needed for two summer fundraiser projects, so mark your calendars now! First is the annual fireworks fundraiser at the TNT Super Center on I-35 from June 30-July 4. We need parents as cashiers and students who are at least 14 years old that can work in sales and stocking. Students and parents will also be needed at the stadium concession stand to work July 3rd for the City of Waxahachie Fireworks show. For more information or to sign up to work please contact Jennifer Dacy at 972-576-0043 or Jmdacy@aol.com. - *Jennifer Dacy*

Booster News

The Band Boosters meet the second Monday of every month in the WHS Band Hall at 7:00 P.M. We invite ALL band parents to attend. The Band Boosters are currently working on their 2005-2006 budget. To learn more about the boosters budget and why fundraisers are so important please attend the next band booster meeting, Mon., May 9, 7:00 P.M. WHS Band Hall.

The Band Boosters are also in the process of electing 2005-2006 band officers so please attend the May 9th meeting.

Chicago Trip

The WHS Band traveled to Chicago for a 3 night, 4 day trip to the Windy City. The students visited museums, attended a White Sox Game, and a performance of the Blue Man Group. The band also performed at the National Festival of Music Competition while in Chicago. The WHS Jazz Orchestra placed 2nd in classification. The WHS Symphonic Band and WHS Wind Ensemble both placed 1st in classification and the Wind Ensemble was awarded "**Overall Contest Grand Champion**"! Congratulations to the students and directors.



Band Boosters Meeting

Mon, May 9, 2005

7 :00 P.M.

WHS Band Hall

Band Officer Elections!

All band parents—from TMS, WJHS, NGA and WHS—are encouraged to attend the monthly Booster meetings.

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