

2017 LEADERSHIP APPLICATION PACKET

Applications Due Date: Friday, April 28, 2017 (Audition 4:30-8:30)

Waxahachie Band Service Council

- WHAT: Student leaders committed to serving the band 24/7-365.
- WHEN: Possible leadership sessions this summer: June 30 (9-3pm), July 17 (9-3 pm), July 28 (9-3pm)
- WHO: President, Section Leaders, Uniform Officers, Librarians, Historians, Social Officers, Logistics, Outreach, and Drum Major (s).
- WHY: To provide service, support, encouragement, instruction, and leadership to our band community.

All service council members will be fervent about fulfilling the following obligations in 2017-18.

- Adopt a Band First attitude regardless of circumstances. 100% "IN"no questions.
- Meticulously pushes for musical excellence by taking lessons, memorizing solos, and making Region band.
- Put others first when making decisions.
- Goes above and beyond consistently.
- Attend all band functions or communicate effectively when unable.
- Provide positive and constructive support of your peers, versus people who ignore or put others down.
- Maintain at least a B average in all coursework.
- Adopt a professional and mature approach to all rehearsals. (Have everything needed to succeed)

Audition components for all!

- Musical performance (Guard will perform routine with music)
 - Memorized
 - 12 major scales @ 160 bpm full range of horn.
 - Audition etude cuts.
 - Conduct basic 2/4, 3/4, and 4/4 patterns with a met at various tempos.
- Movement Performance
 - Dance routine with added arms
 - Marching Fundamentals with long tones and or flag basics
 - Box drill right and left @ 140
 - 1/2 Blue Devil drill exercise @ 100
 - 8-5, 6-5, 10-5 forward and backward @ 160
- Interview!

Drum Majors Only!

- Conduct opener to 2017 production.

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Applicant Name _____

Possible Leadership Positions (Please check which job{s} you would like to be considered)

- ___ Band President
- ___ Drum Major
- ___ Percussion Section Leader
- ___ Woodwind Section Leader
- ___ Brass Section Leader
- ___ Color Guard Captain
- ___ Logistics Captain
- ___ Outreach Committee Member
- ___ Historian
- ___ Librarian

Students will be placed in the position of leadership that they are most qualified based on the needs of the band program. Officer positions and number vary from year to year.

Which Waxahachie Band cluster events did you participate in this past year?

- ___ August Car Wash (if not why) _____
- ___ Junior High Concessions (when) _____
- ___ T-N-T Fireworks Fundraiser (if not why) _____
- ___ Jazz Café (in what capacity) _____
- ___ Waxahachie Band Pre-UIL Festival (in what capacity) _____
- ___ UIL Solo and Ensemble i(f not why) _____
- ___ July 4th Parade (if not why) _____
- ___ Homecoming parade (if not why) _____
- ___ Finley Band Concerts (in what capacity) _____
- ___ Howard Band Concerts (in what capacity) _____
- ___ Finley/Howard Solo and Ensemble contests (in what capacity) _____
- ___ Mid-Winter Concert Stage Set-up/Break-down
- ___ (Other) Explain if you volunteered your time for the band in any other capacity this last year.

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Waxahachie Band Leadership Questionnaire (Use back if more space is needed to elaborate)

What makes a "Spirit of Waxahachie Indian"?

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What are your interests and activities outside of school?

What do you value the most and why?

What do you think your peers say about you?

What is your "Destination" for next year? In other words...what are your personal goals?

In what capacity have you exhibited leadership this year to the band program? (Elaborate)

Which current band member owns the leadership qualities you would like to acquire? (List quality and elaborate)

What do you offer the band that no other leader brings to the table?

