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WHS Band
App



2024 Marching Info For All

(Tentative & Subject to change)

February		
20	7:00-8:30 pm	8th Grade Parent Mtg.
April		
9	7:30-9:00 pm	Full Marching Band Mtg.
May		
28-31	8-4 pm	Marching Practice
31	8-10 am	Band Pictures in Uniforms
31	5:30-7:30 pm	Band Family Picnic
31	8:00 pm	Spring Showcase
June		
1	8:00-12:00 noon	Registration
July		
1-3	8-1 pm	Parade Prep Camp
4	9:00-1:00 pm	Parade & Band Picnic
18	3-12 pm	DCI Denton Show
22-26	8:00-4:00	Drum and Guard Camp
29-31	7:00-12:00 1:00-5:00	Band Camp-Visual Band Camp-Music
August		
1-2	7:00-12:00 noon 1:00-5:00	Band Camp-Visual Band Camp-Music
3	7:00-12:00 noon 8:00-12:00	Band Camp-Visual Make up Registration
5	7:00-12:00 noon 1:00-5:00	Band Camp-Visual Band Camp-Music
6-8	5:30-9:30 pm	Band Practice
9	7:00-12:00 noon 6:00-10:00	Band Camp-Visual Band Luau
12	5:30-9:30 pm	Band Practice
13	7:00-12:00 noon	Band Camp-Visual
17	7:00-12:00 noon	Band Camp-Visual
21	6:00 pm	Meet the Indians
24	7:00-12:00 noon 8 pm	Band Camp-Visual Ice Cream Social

Attendance

**If you want to be
a part...**

**You must
Be present**

Fall Performance Schedule

(Really Tentative & Subject to change)

FB games will be added once schedule is created Feb. 1

Date	Event	Site
Aug. 21	7 pm Meet the Indians	Lumpkins
Aug. 30	Ennis FB	Lumpkins
Sept. 6	Coppell FB	Coppell
Sept. 13	Forney FB	Lumpkins
Sept. 20	Duncanville FB	Duncanville
Sept. 27	Desoto FB	Lumpkins
Sept. 28	HEB Marching Contest	Pennington Field
Oct. 4	Off Week	
Oct. 5	BOA Marching Contest	Pennington Field
Oct. 11	Mesquite Horn FB	Hanby Stadium
Oct. 18	Cedar Hill FB	Lumpkins
Oct. 23	UIL Marching Contest	Duncanville HS
Oct. 25	Skyline FB	Skyline
Oct. 26	DMI Contest	Duncanville HS
Nov. 1	Lancaster FB	Lumpkins
Nov. 2	Area Marching	Pennington
Nov. 7	Mesquite FB	Hanby Stadium
Nov. 8/9	BOA Super Regional	San Antonio
Nov. 11/12	State Marching	San Antonio
Nov. 15	First Playoff Game	

After School Marching Practice-Fall 24

Mon/Tues 5:30-7:30 | Thurs 5:30-8:30

***A one hour all state sectional will be scheduled around the marching schedule to help students make the All State Band.*

***Some Saturdays will be scheduled for Marching band to allow clinicians and designers the opportunity to work with our program.*



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- Calendar**
- Students
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UIL Sweepstakes for All Bands-Congrats!

Winter park Grand Champions
Winterguard and Jazz Band

Weekly Info | Email Treasurer | Marching Band
Rankone Forms | Picture 23 Order Form | Join Band App

Waxahachie Band Booster

2023-24 MEETING DATES

Aug. 1		Feb. 6
Nov. 6		April 2
Dec. 5		May 7
		June 4

7 PM in the Band Hall

Concession Sign Up

- Junior High Games
- 9th Grade/JV Games
- Bandwich Sign Ups
- SAGU Games
- Varsity Games

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AWARDS FOR VOLUNTEERS

Partners in Education



WHS Band Program

Today April 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	Apr 1	2	3	4	5	6
		6pm Booster Executive Team Meeting 7pm Band Booster Meeting	Winterpark Trip Band HS North Zone C/SR - Richardson High School, 1250 W Belt Line Rd, Richardson, TX 75080, USA Band HS South Zone C/SR - Duncanville High School, 900 W Camp Wisdom Rd, Duncanville, TX 75116, USA WHS UIL			
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Winterpark Trip	5pm WHS Battery Workshops 6:30pm WHS Leadership	5pm WHS Pit Workshops 7:30pm Marching Band Mtg.		7pm WHS Solo Concert		GPFAA Jazz Festival
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
2pm Dunaway Rally 4:30pm WHS Guard Workshops 5pm WHS Battery Workshops	4:30pm WHS Guard Workshops 5pm WHS Pit Workshops	11:30am WHS Jazz Combo at P	4:30pm WHS Guard Workshops 7pm WISD Spring Jazz Concert			11am Honor Band Recording C
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
4:30pm WHS Guard Workshops 5pm WHS Battery Workshops 6:30pm WHS Leadership	4:30pm WHS Guard Workshops 5pm WHS Pit Workshops	5:15pm NTFD Contest	4:30pm WHS Guard Workshops	4:30pm WHS Guard Workshops	8am WHS Guard Auditions 6:30pm WHS Band Banquet	
28	29	30	May 1	2	3	4
5pm WHS Battery Workshops	5pm WHS Battery Audition			WHS Spring Musical 5:30pm WHS Leadership		WHS Prom

WHS Colorguard		
<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>What/Who</u>
4/15	4:30-7:00 pm	Workshop Clinic
4/16	4:30-7:00 pm	
4/18	4:30-7:00 pm	
4/22	4:30-7:00 pm	
4/23	4:30-7:00 pm	
4/25	4:30-7:00 pm	
4/26	4:30-7:00 pm	
4/27	8:00-1:00 pm	Auditions

WHS Percussion—Battery and Pit		
<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>What/Who</u>
April 8, 15, 22 & 29	5:00-8:00 pm	Battery Clinic
April 30	5:00-8:00 pm	Battery Audition
April 9, 16 & 23	5:00-8:00 pm	Pit Clinic
May 6	5:00-8:00 pm	Pit Clinic
May 7	5:00-8:00 pm	Pit Audition

WHAT'S YOUR ROLE IN THE WAXAHACHIE BAND?



WHS Band Leadership Auditions		
<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>What/Who</u>
3/7	5:30-7:30 pm	Leadership Intro <i>Winds/Perc</i>
3/18	6:30-8:00 pm	Conducting 101 <i>Winds/Perc</i>
4/8	6:30-8:00 pm	Procedure/Marching Basics <i>Winds/Grd</i>
4/22	6:30-8:00 pm	Goals/Marching Basics <i>Winds/Grd</i>
5/2	5:30-7:30 pm	Final Prep for Auditions <i>All</i>
5/11	9:00-3:00 pm	Auditions; All

WHS Band WW & Brass Auditions		
<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>What/Who</u>
April 15-19	In Classes	All WISD Students 8th-11th grade
<u>Band Placements will be based on:</u>		
Audition Performance from:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technical & Lyrical Etude selection • 4 Scales from Bb, Eb, Ab, Db, F, C, G, D, Chr • Sight Reading Passage 		
Recommendations from Directors		
Students attendance, punctuality, accountability		

!!! Important Dates !!!

May 28-31

Spring Camp / Family Picnic
See full calendar

July 4th Parade Prep
8 am-1 pm @ WHS

Jul 1-3

Jul 29

Full Summer Band Begins!!!
7 am-5 pm @ WHS

PLAN TO BE PRESENT FOR ALL EVENTS.

**If you have a conflict, communicate with Mr. Armstrong ahead of time.
If absent, take steps to ensure you know what was missed.**

If not, know that you might lose priority for earning a marching spot simply because you are showing up less prepared than others.

2024 BAND REGISTRATION

**ALL FORMS SHOULD BE COMPLETED ONLINE
PRIOR TO REGISTRATION**

AVAILABLE BY THE END OF APRIL

AT REGISTRATION, YOU WILL...

PAY BAND FEES

FINALIZE FORMS

(IF NEEDED)

**LEARN ABOUT VOLUNTEER
OPPORTUNITIES**

ADDITIONAL / OPTIONAL

**A PARENT / GUARDIAN SHOULD PLAN TO ATTEND
IT SHOULD TAKE NO MORE THAN 30-45 MINUTES
UNIFORM FITTINGS & PICTURES WILL HAPPEN DURING CAMP MAY 28-31**

REGISTRATION SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 1, 8:00-12:00 pm
WHS Band Hall

8:00-9:30...9th Grade

9:30-10:30...10th Grade

10:30-11:15...11th Grade

11:15-12:00...12th Grade

INDIVIDUAL BAND PICTURES

ONE PICTURE WITH INSTRUMENT AND ONE IN FRONT OF GREEN SCREEN FOR BAND COMPOSITE.

PICTURES ARE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE FROM **McCOYS PHOTOGRAPHY**.

THESE PHOTOS WILL ALSO BE CONVERTED INTO POSTERS AND DISPLAYED AROUND TOWN AT
AREA BUSINESSES.

Marching Show 2024

Cast Positions

- All WHS Band students will participate in the marching band
- 3 levels of cast roles:
 - Wind/Percussion/Guard performer
 - Mobile set pieces integrated into the show
 - Auxiliary visual (props/flags)
- Students must remain academically eligible and are expected to attend all rehearsals and performances
- Unexcused absences are grounds for dismissal from the student's contest role and/or the band program





Winds/ Percussion

Selection will be based on, but not limited, to:

- Marching and Music skill assessment
- Experience, Attendance, Attitude, and Eligibility (past and current)
- Attendance at all rehearsals, games, and contests is expected

Color Guard

- Open to all non-band WHS students and any oboe/bassoon player
- Membership by audition only
- Guard class is Zero-Hour each morning and is required
- Attendance at all rehearsals, games, and contests is expected

Double Reeds

May audition for the guard or play a marching instrument (like flute or sax).

Help will be given to assist you in learning a new instrument.

Set Pieces/Auxilliary Visual

- Will perform in the stands and during halftime at all football games
- Selection based on Attendance, Attitude, and Eligibility
- Attendance at all rehearsals, games, and contests is expected
- Can challenge for any marching position up to a certain point in the early season

Performances

All Varsity Football Games
Marching Contests
Pep Rallies
Parades

Rehearsals

Including some Saturdays

BAND FEES EXPLAINED

INCLUDED

PERFORMANCE / TRAVEL 30%

BOA DALLAS CONTEST
*MEALS
BOA SAN ANTONIO TRIP
*CHARTER BUS
*MEALS
*LODGING
PRE-GAME MEAL DEAL (10 GAMES)
POST GAME MEALS FOR AWAY GAMES

INSTRUCTION / CLINICIANS 40%

*COLORGUARD DIRECTOR
*PERCUSSION INSTRUCTION
*MARCHING BAND DESIGN
DRILL, WIND, PERCUSSION,
CHOREOGRAPHY
*MARCHING BAND TECHS
*INSTRUMENTAL MASTERCLASSES

EQUIPMENT / UNIFORMS 30%

*COLORGUARD COSTUMES
*CONTEST SHOW APPAREL
*PROPS AND SET PIECES FOR SHOW
*COLORGUARD FLAGS, RIFLES, AND
SABRES
*PURCHASE/UPGRADE ELECTRONICS
AND AMPLIFICATION EQUIPMENT,
INCLUDING CABLES, SPEAKERS, WIRES,
AND MICS.

NOT INCLUDED

MTX MARCHING SHOES | COLOR GUARD SHOES | PONCHO | BAND SPIRIT WEAR | \$25 ACCOMPANIST FEE FOR SOLO

FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

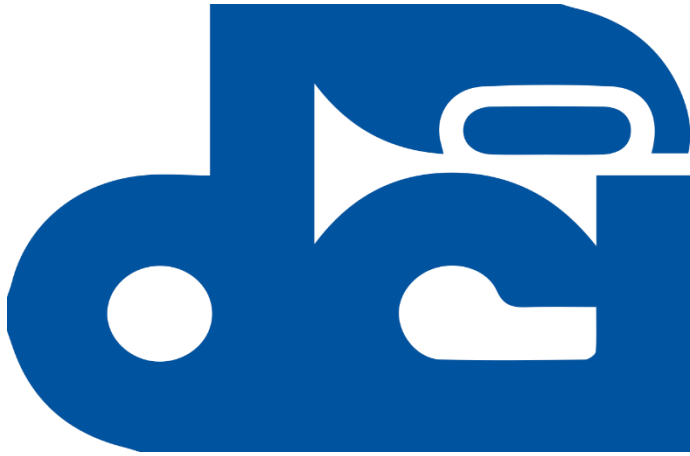
- *Football Concessions | Varsity games = \$40 per game | JV/9th/JH games = \$20 per game
- *Carwash-earn pledges-June 19, 2021
- *Band Garage Sale-earn from the sale of your own items-June 19
- *TNT Fireworks (students 16 and older could get hired to work during summer and winter season)

BAND FEES Are \$525.00

\$250.00 Due June 1

\$150.00 Due Aug. 1

\$125.00 Due Sept. 15



July 18, 2023

DATCU Stadium

Denton, Texas

Group Tickets
available soon!

Bluecoats - Canton, OH
Boston Crusaders - Boston, MA

Carolina Crown - Fort Mill, SC

Crossmen - San Antonio, TX

Music City - Nashville, TN

Pacific Crest - City of Industry, CA

Phantom Regiment - Rockford, IL

Santa Clara Vanguard - Santa Clara, CA

Zephyrus Drum & Bugle Corps - Tulsa, OK

Contact Mr. Armstrong if interested: rlarm@wisd.org





THE FACTORY

WAXAHACHIE BAND 2024

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Factory Setpiece Concept





