

2018 LEADERSHIP APPLICATION PACKET

Applications Due Date: Friday, May 11, 2017

Music/interview Audition Friday, May 18, 4:30-8:30

Visual/Conducting Audition, Saturday, May 19, 8:00-12:00

Waxahachie Leadership

- WHAT: Student leaders committed to serving the band 24/7-365.
- WHEN: 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 2018-19.

- 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.

Audition components for all!

- Musical performance (Guard will perform routine with music)
 - 12 major and chromatic scales @ 160 bpm full range of horn (memorized)
 - Best 2 Minutes of your solo
 - Be prepared to conduct 16 measures of 2/4, 3/4, and 4/4 patterns with met @ 80, 120, and 170
- Movement Performance
 - Dance routine with recording
- Recommendations
- Essay Questions for posting!

Drum Majors Only!

- Conduct selected measures to Heroes Lost and Fallen
- Recording and score will be available Friday, April 27

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- 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)

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 Officer
- ___ Logistics Captain
- ___ Outreach Committee Member
- ___ 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)

Define the IDEAL "Spirit of Waxahachie Indian" band student?

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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?

