



NEWS FROM THE BAND ROOM

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January 7, 2020

Welcome Back

Welcome back to band and a very exciting concert band season! The band is already working at their repertoire for the MICCA festival in April. We can't wait to show you what we're working on now!



Calendar

3/7 - Color Guard and Percussion Competition hosted at MHS
3/31 - District band concert @ MHS

Daily Band Schedule

Monday: 2nd Period
Tuesday: 3rd Period
Wednesday: 4th Period
Thursday: 5th Period
Friday: 6th Period

Coming Up!

Here are some updates:

- Color Guard meeting for guard members going to Dayton Ohio will be tonight at 7pm at QMS. Please send an email to Mr. Lombo if you cannot attend.
- We were finally able to open the store for the purchase of band jackets. We have a nice marching band sweatshirt, and two versions of the band jacket. The less expensive of the two is the same jacket that the kids have now. The more expensive option is a warmer NorthFace jacket. Both will have the same logos and embroidery. Here is the link to the store - https://stores.inksoft.com/mhs_band. I hope to have a store up soon with some t-shirts as well.

Continue to keep an eye on the google calendar and have your kids check the google classroom for the most up to date information.

Concert Band

3/31 - District Band Concert @MHS

Concert Attire

Students will wear all black for the concerts.

Featured Event 3/31 - District band concert at MHS



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Thinking Ahead: There will be a band parent meeting on Wednesday January 8, 2019 at 7pm in the MHS choir room (room 135). All parents are welcome and encouraged to attend!

For anyone planning on participating in Marching Band (or considering it) next year - our marching band camp dates have been announced. We will have marching band camp from August 17th through August 22nd from 1pm - 9pm. Take a look at the google calendar as all of the August marching band dates have been updated.

Band camp is vital for all marching band members as it provides a chance for students to learn the marching band show with the rest of their peers. Often times when a student misses marching band camp, they feel like they have to work twice as hard through the first part of the season to get caught up. I wanted to get these dates to everyone as soon as possible so that you can try and keep them in mind when making plans for the summer.

I will be sending home a letter soon outlining summer dates and a meeting that will take place in February so that everyone can fully understand the requirements and expectations of the band program before signing up for classes for the 20/21 school year.
