

ATTENTION!!

Reminders for (8-28 through 9-1)

- #1. **GREAT JOB** at the first home football game last Friday!! We received a lot of great compliments for our pre-game performance & "Football Half-time show!"
- #2. There are many students who are not current on their band fees. At this point all students should have paid at least **\$325** of their band fees. The next band fee payment is due on **September 15th**!
- #3. We still have many who have not brought their **1 case (24) of soda** and water or other donation item. This will help us provide drinks during the season when needed. Please try to get that in this week!
- #4. We **DESPERATELY** need workers for BoA Stadium THIS THURSDAY NIGHT & again on SATURDAY. We are still 8 adults short for Thursday & 3 short for Saturday! **WE NEED YOUR HELP!**
- #5. Please mark on your calendars for the annual **CLOVER BAND BBQ on Friday, September 22nd & Saturday September 23rd**!! Tickets will be handed out to all students very soon. All students will be asked to sell 10 plates.
- #6. **Upperclassmen planning to take the SAT should plan to take it on October 7th**! The other fall date is Saturday, November 4th, which is the same day as 5A State Championships. **SAT Registration deadline is September 8th!!**
- #6. Please be reminded that **NO** practice/performance is considered optional. It is not appropriate to miss any rehearsal. The allowed excused absences are listed in the handbook. In the event that you cannot attend a rehearsal /performance it is the **STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY** to inform Mr. Gullede, Mrs. Loftis or Mr. Lenard. Students who have unexcused absences face the following consequences: *grade reduction, detention, and even removal from the program*. We have no "bench" to pull from. If you are absent the entire group suffers!

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

September

- 1 Football Game (*Home*) – Hunter Huss **FULL BAND**
- 5 Labor Day - NO REHEARSAL!
- 8 Football Game (*Away*) – South Point **Pep Band?**
- 15 Friday Mini-Camp 5pm – 10pm (stadium)
- 16 **Nation Ford Preview/Exhibition**
- 22 Football Game (*Home*) – York **FULL BAND**
- 22-23 FALL BBQ FUNDRASIER!
- 23 **Olde English Festival of Bands – Rock Hill, SC**
- 29 Football Game (*Away*) – Nation Ford **Pep Band?**
- 30 **The Reservation Tournament of Bands – Gaffney, SC**

October

- 6 Football Game (*Away*) – Fort Mill **Pep Band?**
- 7 **OFF WEEKEND**
- 13 Football Game (*Home*) – Northwestern **FULL BAND (Senior Night)**
- 14 **Bands of America Regional – Winston Salem, NC** (*overnight trip!*)
- 20 Football Game (*Home*) – Rock Hill **FULL BAND (Homecoming)**
- 21-22 **Western Carolina Tournament of Champions – Cullowhee, NC** (*overnight trip!*)
- 27 Football Game (*Away*) – Boiling Springs
- 27 Possible Friday Mini-Camp 5pm – 10pm (Stadium)
- 28-29 **FISH FRY**

BAND ROOM PHONE

(803) 810-8234

After-School Rehearsal Schedule

FULL BAND: Tuesdays 6-9 & Thursdays until 6pm

Sectionals

Brass & Woodwinds: Alternating Mondays until 5:30

Percussion: Every Monday until 5:30

Color Guard: Every Wednesday until 5:00