

# ATTENTION!!

Reminders for (10-16 through 10-21)

**#1. CONGRATULATIONS ON A GREAT PERFORMANCE!** We finished in 12<sup>th</sup> place with a 73.25 which is a Superior rating on the BOA Scale. We were 1.76pts away from being in finals. Not bad for our 1<sup>st</sup> time ever attending. We learned a lot and I think we're set-up very well going into WCU this weekend! **KEEP PUSHING!**

## October 16-120

Monday – WW's/Percussion until 5:30pm

Tuesday – Full Band until 6pm (flipping w/Thursday)

Wednesday – guard sectionals until 5pm

Thursday – Full Band 6pm-10pm @STADIUM (load the truck during class)

Friday – Teacher Workday/Football Game **HOMECOMING** (we will perform @ pre-game again!)

**ONLY 7 MORE FULL BAND REHEARSALS REMAIN IN THE SEASON...  
HOW BAD DO YOU WANT TO BE GOOD?**

**#2.** We are going to flip Tuesday/Thursday practice again this week and get another stadium practice in. Since there's no school on Friday (Teacher Workday) we're going to extend until 10pm vs start @ 5pm which was tough on many. This will also allow us to have all of our equipment at the stadium for the Friday game without having to try to load on a non-school day.

**#3.** Please see the attached schedule for the WCU competition along with additional details. We will need many of our prop & pit helpers to plan to help on Friday night @ pre-game & Saturday at WCU!

**#4.** We will **AGAIN** be performing **REDEMPTION** at the football game on Friday night BEFORE THE GAME! We need all prop/pit movers available to help move equipment as this will be a SUPER tight timeframe. We will begin loading immediately following the performance so that we can get out quickly after the game for the early call time for WCU

**#5.** We started our BED SHEET FUNDRAISER 10 days ago. Have you sold any sheets? Did you receive your packet? IF NOT ASK YOU STUDENT! SHEETS MAKE GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFTS & for the price/quality you CANNOT BEAT THEM!!

**#6.** Is your child signed up for Region Band auditions? Sign-ups are on Mrs. Loftis's door. Cost \$10. Every student received a region band packet and we are encouraging EVERY student to make an effort to participate!

**If we want to see our placement improve at BOA/5A State... THIS IS WHERE IT STARTS!!!**

## UPCOMING SCHEDULE

### *October*

- 19 STADIUM PRACTICE 6pm-10pm
- 20 Teacher Workday
- 20 Football Game (*Home*) – Rock Hill **FULL BAND (Homecoming)**
- 21 **WCU Tournament of Champions – Cullowhee, NC**
- 27-28 OFF WEEKEND

### *November*

- 3 Mini-Camp 6-10 at (Stadium)
- 4 **5A State Championships – Irmo, SC (NO SAT!)**
- 3-24 LEAVE FRIDAY NIGHTS OPEN FOR PLAYOFF GAMES!

### *December*

- 3 Christmas Parade
- 14 Christmas Concert

### BAND ROOM PHONE

(803) 810-8234

#### After-School Rehearsal Schedule

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

#### Sectionals

<b>Brass &amp; Woodwinds:</b>	<u>Alternating</u> Mondays until	5:30
<b>Percussion:</b>	Every Monday until	5:30
<b>Color Guard:</b>	Every Wednesday until	5:00

# 2017 WESTERN CAROLINA TOB TRIP

## *Itinerary & Details*

### Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

- 6:30am – Call time (*eat before you come!*)
- 6:45am – Prep to leave (*uniform bags on the bus*)
- 7:00am – Depart CHS
- 10:45am – Arrive @ WCU
- 11:00am – Restrooms/Dress in uniforms
- 11:15am – Lunch (*provided by boosters*)
- 12:30pm – Ready for warm-up
- 12:45pm – Warm-up begins
- 1:45pm – PERFORMANCE
- 2:45pm – In stands to watch bands (*eat while on break!*)
- 4:30pm – Prelims Awards Presentation
- 5:00pm – Prep for Finals Performance
- ?:??pm – Finals performance
- 10:20pm – Finals Awards?
- 11:30pm – Depart WCU for Clover
- 2:30am – Arrive at CHS

#### Items to bring for trip

- \_\_\_ Instrument
- \_\_\_ Marching shoes (cleaned!)
- \_\_\_ Tall black socks
- \_\_\_ Reeds/Valve Oil, etc...
- \_\_\_ Show Shirt
- \_\_\_ \$\$\$ for concessions/souvenirs
- \_\_\_ Jacket/Sweater (going to be cold)
- \_\_\_ Change of clothes for ride home\*

#### FINALS

- 6:45 PM: Band 1
- 7:00 PM: Band 2
- 7:15 PM: Band 3
- 7:30 PM: Band 4
- 7:45 PM: Band 5
- 8:00 PM: Band 6
- 8:30 PM: Band 7
- 8:45 PM: Band 8
- 9:00 PM: Band 9
- 9:15 PM: Band 10
- 9:30 PM: Band 11
- 9:45 PM: Band 12
- 10:00 PM: Pride of the Mountains
- 10:20 PM: Awards

#### TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS 2017 TICKET INFORMATION

All day access to both Prelims and Finals performances: \$15.00 per person (*on-site*)  
Children 7 & Under: Free

Advanced Group tickets are \$12. Please contact Jeanine Schreiner Jeanine Schreiner  
[jeanineschreiner@gmail.com](mailto:jeanineschreiner@gmail.com) if you'd like to be part of the group ticket purchase.

**Western Carolina University**  
**1 University Way**  
**Cullowhee, NC 28723**

# FINAL 3 WEEKS

*(rehearsal schedule)*

## **October 16-20 (WESTERN WEEK!)**

- Monday – WW's/Percussion sectionals until 5:30pm
- Tuesday – Full Band until 6pm
- Wednesday – Guard until 5pm
- Thursday – Full Band 6pm – 10pm @ the stadium
- Friday – TEACHER WORKDAY  
*(Call time will be 6pm @ stadium & we will perform at pre-game for Homecoming!)*
- Saturday – Western Carolina Tournament of Bands

## **October 23-27**

- Monday – Brass/Percussion sectionals until 5:30pm
- Tuesday – Full band 6pm-9pm
- Wednesday – Guard until 5pm
- Thursday – Full Band until 6pm

## **OFF WEEKEND**

## **October 30 – November 4 (STATE WEEK!)**

- Monday – Full Band until 6pm (activity from 6:30-8)
- Tuesday – Full Band until 6pm (Halloween)
- Wednesday – NOTHING
- Thursday – Full Band 6pm-9pm @ the stadium
- Friday – Full Band 5pm-9pm @ the stadium (mini-camp) dinner provided
- Saturday – 5A STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS