



Brecksville-Broadview Heights High School Bands

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May 2016

To: All BBHHS Band Parents and Students
From: The Band Staff
RE: **COMMITMENT FORM AND BOOSTER FEE** (action required by **MAY 20th**)

As we come to the close of another school year, it is now time to look ahead to the fall, and confirm your participation in the 2016-2017 Band Program! **Your commitment to band is established in a 2-step process, both of which should be completed by May 20th:**

1. **Complete the Online Student Information Form** @ www.bbhhsband.com, or here:
2. **Submit your \$100 Band Booster Fee** - 2 Payment method options:
 - a. Checks made out to “BBHHS Band Boosters” and submitted to Band Office.
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BAND CAMP 2016:

Week One: August 1-5

8/1 – Leadership Only (8am-12pm)

8/2 – Leadership and New Members (8am-12pm)

8/3-5* – ALL MEMBERS (8am-12pm) *8/5 is Picture day

Week Two: August 8-12

8/8-11 – (8am-3pm; 6pm-9pm)

8/12 (8am-4pm)

Cedar Point: August 13 – ALL DAY (optional, but encouraged!)

WEDNESDAY, 8/24 - “MEET THE BAND” Night! (6-9pm)

FRIDAY, 8/28 – AWAY FOOTBALL @ PADUA FRANCISCAN

As always, **Band Camp is mandatory**. The majority of our marching, music, and drill for the season are learned during this time. It is an intense, but highly rewarding week! During the week of August 8-12, students must bring a lunch, but will be required to leave for the dinner break from 3pm-6pm.

JUNE MAILING – A packet containing specific details regarding Band Camp rules and regulations, daily schedules, uniform distribution, emergency medical forms, etc. will be sent to your home when school ends. ***If you do not receive this packet by July 1st, please contact Mr. Wyse at wysej@bbhcsd.org!*** Until then, please visit the band website for information: www.bbhhsband.com

BAND FEES – Please note, there are **TWO SEPARATE FEES** for band participation:

1. Band Booster Fee = \$100* (DUE NOW)

**(Flagline-only/CVCC Marching-only members will pay \$50, which is half of the fee).*

What does the Booster Fee do?

The Booster Fee helps to maintain the tradition of our great program, and provide a high-quality musical experience for our students! It comprises many necessary expenses for the year, for both marching and concert band, and eliminates the need for excessive fundraising. Expenses include uniform dry cleaning, new instruments and equipment, sheet music, instructional staff and clinicians, band camp activities, T-Shirts for all members, game snacks, and much more!

2. BBHHS Participation Fee = TBD (last year was \$120. This fee is DUE IN AUGUST)

This fee is paid directly to the district, and is applied to supplementals and transportation.

ADDITIONAL EXPENSES:

****School Instrument Rental Fee - \$25.00 for the year (due in August)***

The cost of repairing and maintaining our school instruments is high, as is the expectation for students' care and responsibility for them. As such, we require a small rental fee, which will allow students to use a school instrument for the year.

NEW SUMMER UNIFORM POLO -- At last, we are bidding farewell to the (extremely) old polo! The new summer uniform shirt will be a dri-fit material with athletic striping and a modern logo... it is a stylish shirt that students will be able to wear as more than just a uniform. The cost will be approximately \$16.00, with more details to come in the summer mailing.

Incoming freshmen and new members will have some additional one-time expenses, which will be detailed in the summer mailing (e.g. lyre & flip folder, lock for locker, gloves, shoes, summer uniform shorts). As in years past, the Cedar Point trip on August 13th will also be an extra expense of approximately \$37 (paid by a separate check), but is optional.

Please Remember - BY FRIDAY, MAY 20th:

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Thank you all for your continued support and involvement! We look forward to welcoming the class of 2019 into the program, and are confident that our new student leadership team will guide the band to new levels of success next year. Have a wonderful summer, and we look forward to getting started in August!

Sincerely,

Jason Wyse

Tricia Astey