

2020-2021 ACRHS Marching Band Calendar

July

27-28 Band Leadership camp for drum majors and section leaders only 9am-12pm

August

Jul 29-31 Camp – Percussion (pit included), Color guard, Rookies (first time folks) - 9am – 4pm

1 Car Wash @ Kounty Line

3-7 Camp - Full Band including Perc and CG – 8am-4pm

7 Parent Preview and band parent meeting - 6pm – 8pm

11 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm–5:30pm

13 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm–5:30pm

17 First day of school

18 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:3pm

20 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

27 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

September

1 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

3 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

4 Owen- Home Game

8 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

10 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

11 Erwin- Away Game

15 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

17 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

18 Enka – Home Game

22 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

24 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

29 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

October

1 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

2 Tuscola - Home Game

3 Marching Band Festival TBA

6 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

8 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

TBA Buncombe County Marching Band Jamboree @TC Roberson time TBD

10 5th Annual Cedar Cliffs Classic Tournament of Bands

13 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30pm

15 Marching Band Rehearsal 3:30pm-5:30 pm

16 Asheville – Away Game

17 Newton Conover Contest

23 North Buncombe – Home Game

November

5 Practice for Senior Night 3:30-till

6	TC Roberson – Home Game Senior Night
13	Possible Playoff Game
20	Possible Playoff Game
21	Asheville Holiday Parade 3 buses
27	Possible Playoff Game
December	
4	Possible Playoff Game
12	Saturday State Championship

Next fall's full marching band camp is August 3 to August 7, 2020. Please schedule summer plans accordingly because Camp is the time when participants learn marching methods, maneuvering, dance routines and music for the upcoming football season. The early dates below for staff or members indicated are required in order to prepare for the full week.

BAND CAMP DATES, TIMES AND THINGS TO KNOW:

July 27-28: Section Leaders and band Leadership staff will report from 9am until 12 pm.

July 29-31: COLOR GUARD, DRUM LINE, FRONT ENSEMBLE, AND NEW MEMBERS "Rookies" to report from 9am-4pm.

THINGS TO BETTER UNDERSTAND DRUM LINE, COLOR GUARD, AND ROOKIE CAMP:

1. To give the drum line, pit percussion and rookies a head start on the material for the show and to help new members make a smooth transition into the marching band.
2. To familiarize new marching band members to the workings of the marching rockets and learn marching basics.
3. Please be sure to pack a lunch for each day

Aug. 3-7 MARCHING CAMP "EVERYONE": Beginning at 8:00 am until 4:00 pm

Aug. 7th PARENT PREVIEW: That evening at 6 pm we will perform the marching show for all interested.

Aug. 11th Regular Practice 3:30-5:30

Aug. 13th Regular Practice 3:30-5:30

REVIEW OF ITEMS NEEDED FOR A SUCCESSFUL BAND CAMP:

1. Refillable water bottle and lunch each day.
2. Flip folder and lyre (available at the Music Center), pencil, and music at every rehearsal.
3. Comfortable and suitable shoes. (You can't march properly in any kind of sandal)
4. Sunscreen.

RULES FOR A SAFE AND HAPPY BAND CAMP:

1. Be at on time and at all rehearsals. If you must be late or out, contact Mr. Smith before the fact.
2. Be ready to work. Success is due more to perspiration than inspiration.

3. Be courteous to fellow band members. Treat others the way that you would like to be treated.
4. No vehicles are to be driven to the band practice field unless the director gives permission.
5. There is to be no food or drink allowed in the band room unless otherwise told by the director.
6. Keep your area clean. If you see trash, pick it up and properly dispose of it.
7. If an item or instrument is not yours, leave it alone.

REGULAR PRACTICE ONCE SCHOOL BEGINS:

Tuesdays and Thursdays 3:30-5:30pm EVERYONE

Wednesdays DRUMLINE, DRUM MAJORS, AND GUARD 3:30-5:00pm

Monday FRONT ENSEMBLE 3:30-5:30, Sectional time after school

GAMES:

9-4 Home Owen

9-11 Away Erwin

9-18 Home Enka

10-2 Home Tuscola

10-16 Away Asheville

10-23 Home North Buncombe

11-6 Home TC Roberson (Senior Night)

Possible playoff games: 11-13, 11-20, 11-27, 12-4, 12-12

CONTESTS: (all day commitments)

October 10 AC Reynolds Cedar Cliffs Classic

October 3, 17

FINANCIAL COMMITMENT:

The Marching band fee is to cover all of the expenses that go along with the activity. Even if your student does not attend marching band camp week, the following fees are required. No student will be denied the opportunity to be in the marching band due to financial circumstances. You may spread payments out over a longer period of time to help make it more manageable. Scholarships are available. Questions should be directed to Mr. Smith.

All Marching Band Members = \$200.00

Additionally there may be other costs as follows:

Marching Shoe Fee: \$37.00 All students new to marching are required to purchase their own shoes during camp.

School Instrument Loan Fee: \$15.00 For entire marching season

You can see there are many levels of commitment to participating in marching band. Come join us and have fun with the logistics out of the way! To secure and confirm your spot, complete

the digital form and send your \$100 deposit payable to A.C. Reynolds Band ASAP. Send it to the address below or have your student return it to Mr. Love or Mr. Dodson.

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Thanks so much,

Sean Smith, Director of Bands

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