

Hello Band Students and Families!

Please see below for important summer information for the 2019 Saxon Marching Band (SMB). We are happy to announce that this year's marching band halftime show: **Soundtrack to Hollywood!**

Featuring the music of John Williams (*Harry Potter*, *Star Wars*, *E.T.*),
Danny Elfman (*The Nightmare Before Christmas*), and Michael Giacchino (*The Incredibles*)

Sectionals: All band members will meet on **Monday and Wednesday afternoons 1:00-4:00pm** in the music department **beginning Monday, July 8th**. During these rehearsals, we will be learning the music for the fall and marching fundamentals. If you are in town, we highly recommend attending all sectionals. If you are on vacation or cannot attend, **please contact your section leader (contact information on the back side of this letter).**

Summer Sectionals will focus on the Halftime Show, SHS Fight Song, Star Spangled Banner, and Parade Tune (*TBD*). Focus on these as you begin practicing. Start working on memorizing these songs for band camp (we will teach you how to do this during sectionals).

Band Camp: All band members must attend band camp the week of July 29 – August 2 on the SHS campus.

Please note the times and dress up themes for this year's camp:

Monday, July 29 th	9am-6pm	Neon
Tuesday, July 30 th	9am-6pm	Tie Dye
Wednesday, July 31 st	9am-6pm	Section Color (TBA on Monday)
Thursday, August 1 st	9am-6pm	Tacky Tourist/Beach
Friday, August 2 nd	12pm-8pm	Dress Like a Band Director

Monday through Thursday will include a 1-hour lunch break (students must stay on campus). Friday will include an hour dinner break and **Parent Preview performance at 7pm** (more info to come). During band camp, we will be learning all of the movement on the field for our fall show. **Attendance at the entirety of band camp is required for all band students. If you have any conflicts, contact Mr. Inendino as soon as possible.**

Band Uniform Fittings: We will be completing **uniform fittings on Saturday, July 27th in the SHS Auditorium.**

Band Uniform Fittings	
Saturday, July 27th	
8:00am	Drumline – Snare and Tenors Only
9:00am	Seniors – Last Name P-Z
9:45am	Seniors – Last Name A-O
10:30am	Juniors – Last Name L-Z
11:15am	Juniors – Last Name A-K
12:00pm	LUNCH
12:45pm	Sophomores – Last Name P-Z
1:30pm	Sophomores – Last Name H-O
2:15pm	Sophomores – Last Name A-G
3:00pm	Freshmen – Last Name Q-Z
3:45pm	Freshmen – Last Name M-P
4:30pm	Freshmen – Last Name G-L
5:15pm	Freshmen – Last Name A-F

-Please arrive at your designated time. **Plan on being at SHS for one hour.**

-Please wear a t-shirt and athletic shorts.

-Wind Symphony and Symphonic Band girls – please bring the closed-toe dress shoes you plan to wear with your formalwear.

-Parents are welcome to wait, leave and come back, or help out! If you would like to volunteer, please contact Mrs. Loch at jerntamfbn@juno.com.

-If you have a conflict with your scheduled time but can come at another time on July 27th, please contact Mrs. Loch.

-Anyone who is out of town on July 27th will be fitted during the week of band camp.

2019-2020 Band Schedule: You will find a copy of the band calendar for next year along with this letter. Please mark your family calendar and put this on the fridge at home. You can find additional copies and also subscribe to the band's Google Calendar at: www.schaumburgband.com/calendar

Live Performances This Summer: See lots of them! Try to see professional musicians who play your instrument or drum corps competitions this summer (we highly recommend the Saturday, July 13th Tour of Champions show at Northern Illinois University). Remember that students get in free to all CSO concerts at Ravinia as well.

Jazz Band Auditions: Audition packets will be available at sectionals beginning on July 8th. Auditions will take place in September. All are encouraged to audition.

Recordings of the Halftime Show can be found on our website: www.schaumburgband.com/marching-band

School-Owned Instruments: SHS provides marching instruments for the following sections: tenor saxophones, baritone saxophones, French horns (mellophones), baritones, tubas (sousaphones), and percussion. Students must provide their own mouthpieces. Students in these sections will have instruments ready for them on July 8th. If you need an instrument other than one listed above for marching band or would like to pick an instrument earlier than July 8th, please email Mr. Graffeo. Concert instruments NOT used in marching band (i.e. bass clarinets, French horns) will be issued later in the summer.

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We are looking forward to a great year. Please feel free to contact us with any questions. From Many, One.

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