

## 06-11-19 Summer Notes

### DON'T FORGET!

#### JUNE 12, 13, 14 - MANDATORY PRE-CAMPS -

i.e. special camp sessions at DuPage County Fair Grounds, 9am to 12pm each day

- 12 Wednesday – NEWCOMERS -.Any student/adult (adults if schedule allows) totally new to marching or others as listed on our Summer Marching webpage, including any new (non-musician) students for guard unit.
- 13 Thursday – PERCUSSION - All current and new marching percussionists
- 14 Friday – RANK LEADERS – Director will approve rank leaders. See Summer Marching for details.

#### June 17-21 9am-12 FULL MARCHING CAMP, 12:30-2 only County Fair participants stay

### IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES

#### Beginner Fitting Dates –

Encourage potential members to call director for a fitting appointment.

July 16, August 20 and September 16 at the Borow house

June 23 – Sunday – Geneva Swedish Days PARADE

July 3 – Wednesday – Warrenville Independence Eve PARADE

July 9 – Tuesday 9am-9pm, Concert Senior and Symphonic AUDITION MUSIC RELEASE  
music must be picked-up ONLY THIS DAY

July 14 – CANCELLED - PARADE DATE CHANGED TO JUNE 8. WSHSB Patriots not marching.

~~Sunday – West Chicago Railroad Days Parade, arrive 12 noon~~

July 19 – Friday - @12:45-1:15, IHM PERFORMANCE by Summer Marching band volunteers

July 22 – Monday, 7pm, Winter Trimester Booster jobs released, first come first served

July 24 – Wednesday – DuPage County Fair, GRAND OPENING, plus earlier Field Show

July 27 – Saturday – Streamwood Summer Celebration PARADE

August 1 – Thursday 9-5pm All Concert Junior, Concert Senior and Symphonic

AUDITION VIDEOS ARE DUE. IMPORTANT: Auditions received after 5pm on

August 1 will be considered late and you will be placed at the end of the roster for your instrument. Also DEADLINE for 2019-2020 Winter Registration Forms/fees and

Rental forms w/fees. Late fees apply after 8/1.

## GENERAL NOTES

### RECRUITING and FLYER HELP NEEDED

On our Member's News page, you'll find a Summer Recruiting Flyer. Please print some and take them to **post at homeschool co-ops like Greenhouse and G.I.F.T.** In addition ask at libraries, and think of other places with community bulletin boards, such as banks, churches, park districts, grocery stores, photo copy places etc., and ask them to post flyers. **We are depending on you** to post as many flyers as possible, wherever you can get permission.

**We need everyone's help in recruiting.** At the two fittings, recently held, the director has seen only two new families and has no other appointments for future dates. While the fittings are for Cadets we definitely need experienced players too.

Remember, from 2018 through 2020 **we lose 50 graduating seniors.**

We need new members to take their places at all levels.

Along with posting flyers please share this information with home school parents of potential band members. Tell them to call Mrs. Borow for an Instrument Fitting appointment. The first two dates are at Resurrection – 5/30 and 6/6, followed by three at the Borow home starting at 9am on 7/16, 8/20 and 9/16.

## REMINDERS

### 1. DRESSING FOR MARCHING CAMP

There are to be **no short-shorts or tank tops**, and no low-cut, skimpy or tight-fitting tops worn to camp. There should be no bare midriffs or shoulders. Everyone must wear good shoes that cover and support your feet, **no sandals or flip-flops**. See full dress code on Summer Marching.

### 2. MARCHING DRESS CODE FOR PANTS

Due to the changing fads in women's' pants towards revealing, form-fitting leggings, the Marching Dress Code for parades was made more specific: **Both men and women are officially required to wear "trouser-style" dress pants**. Parents, please help us maintain a military, uniform look to our band by providing the proper style pants for your children. Also remember that the band has black pants you can borrow. Depending upon the response, a separate pants fitting date may need to be arranged. Email Mrs. Borow if you want to use band pants. For complete information see our Summer Marching webpage.

## SUMMER BOOSTER JOB OPENINGS

The following jobs are still open a/o 6/11 Sign-up at [Booster Sign-up Schedule](#)

June 17-21, FULL Marching Camp – 1 Color guard assistant

June 23, Swedish Days – 3 safety marshals

July 3, Warrenville – 1 adult banner assistant, 3 adult flag bearers, 2 Patriot auxiliary, 1 safety marshal

July 24, DuPage County Fair Grand Opening – 1 Patriot auxiliary

July 27, Streamwood – 1 shuttle drive w/cell, 1 adult banner assistant, 2 adult flag bearers, 2 Patriot auxiliary, 2 safety marshals