

WEST SUBURBAN HOME SCHOOL BAND REGISTRATION FORM – WINTER Trimester 2026-2027

*******PLEASE PRINT ALL ENTRIES*******

FAMILY LAST NAME _____ Mother _____ Father _____

ADDRESS _____ town _____ zip _____

PHONE NUMBERS - INDICATE - Landline, Mom Cell, Dad Cell, Student Cell (include first name w/phone) or Other

for directory _____ for emergencies _____

EMAIL ADDRESSES- provide as many as desired, Include the first name for each email address, continue on back

NAME _____ Email _____ NAME _____ Email _____

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PLEASE HELP We are asking every family, new AND current members (if you haven't done so before), to use the other side of this page to tell us HOW DID YOU FIRST HEAR/LEARN ABOUT THE BAND? If a person told you please state that. Did you see us perform in a concert, parade or home school group performance or a convention? Did you hear about us from your homeschool group newsletter or egroup. Read a newspaper item, which one? Are you a member of a home school group(s)? If so, which one(s)? _____

STUDENT'S FIRST NAME	Indicate if student is Homeschooled Y or N	BIRTH DATE mm/dd/yy	INSTRUMENT(S) List each, continue on reverse)	NO. YEARS EXPERIENCE	PROSPECTIVE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION DATE
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Please provide the same information for additional students on the back of this page

ADULTS WISHING TO PLAY IN THE BAND

NAME _____ INSTRUMENT _____ EXPERIENCE: _____

NAME _____ INSTRUMENT _____ EXPERIENCE: _____

Make checks payable to "West Suburban Home School Band"

	1 child	2 children	3 children	4 children	5 children	6 children	7 children
Student fee	\$35	\$70	\$95	\$120	\$145	\$170	\$195 (Multiple student discount)
Family Fee	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25
TOTAL COST	\$60	\$95	\$120	\$145	\$170	\$195	\$220

The Family fee, all per student fees and any instrument rental fees must be paid with Winter registration and again with Spring registration. (If this is financially burdensome or presents a hardship for your family read below about an option for partially or fully covering the Family and/or per student fees with Well-Wishers. **We do not offer scholarships.**)

WINTER TRIMESTER DEADLINE DATES FOR REGISTRATION – form and fees

If mailed it must be received by August 3, 2026 or in person by August 4, 2026.

Please include a late fee of \$20 if paid (or post marked) after August 5 through August 30.

Please include a late fee of \$30 if paid (or post marked) August 31 or later.

No auditions will be accepted without a fully completed registration which includes ON LINE Booster hours sign-up, a completed and signed Commitment page (pg. 3) AND a signed Handbook Agreement (pg 4).

WELL-WISHERS/WELL-WISHER OPTION - Well-Wishers are advertisement spaces sold for inclusion in our concert programs as a way to help the band in a financial way beyond our basic fees, which we try to keep to a minimum. We also offer the **Well-Wisher Option** for those who may find the Family Fee and/or per student fees financially burdensome. While **we do not offer scholarships** we can offer this alternative. You must cover your family fee and/or per student fees by making a commitment to obtain an equivalent amount in Well-Wishers for the Concert Program. **If you use the Well-Wisher Option you must indicate your decision to do so along with the amount to be covered, in the space provided below on this registration form.**

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Page 2 – PRINT FAMILY'S LAST NAME _____

If you are **NOT** using the **Well-Wisher Option** to cover fees, skip to **BOOSTERS**
Our family will use the Well-Wisher option to cover the following items and amounts

\$ _____ Enter \$25.00 if you are using Well-Wisher to cover the Family Fee

\$ _____ Enter dollar amount of per student fees if you are using Well-Wishers to cover

\$ _____ TOTAL we will cover with Well-Wishers (Family Fee and per student fees combined)

We understand the due date for the Well-Wishers covering this total amount is the **first Thursday in October, an 8 to 9 week extension beyond the August 2026 fee deadline.** _____ Initial here

BOOSTERS - Due to the size and demands of our band program we instituted a **required** volunteer system. For each trimester, one parent from every family is required to **1**. Sign-up for a **minimum of 4 Booster hours per trimester** in which their student(s) is/are participating **AND 2**. Indicate that information on this registration form. **For volunteer job descriptions and the link to the WSHSB job sign-up site, see our Booster webpage.** Online sign-up is **MANDATORY**. Simply filling in a job does not fulfill the **ONLINE** sign-up requirement. You must do both. Jobs remain open until online sign-up is completed.

First name _____ has signed-up **on line** for the following date/s and position/s _____

RENTALS - The band has a limited number of instruments available for rent, \$40 per instrument, per trimester. All instrument rental fees are due with each trimester's registration, winter, spring, and summer. Contact the director for current instrument availability. You must complete an Instrument Rental Agreement and send it with registration. Agreement can be found on Forms/Documents.

My family has _____ (qty) WSHSB rental instruments. I am renewing my instrument rental(s) and including rental form and payment of \$40 per instrument for a total rental payment of \$ _____ No charge for adult helpers but, include form.

TO RECAP -

For each of the two concert trimesters, Winter and Spring, registration will not be considered complete, auditions will not be accepted and music will not be distributed without the following 5 points being met.

All the following points must be fulfilled.

1. Fully complete the **Registration form, pgs.1&2 – the Commitment page, pg.3, AND the Handbook Agreement, pg.4. PRINT SINGLE-SIDED.**
2. One parent must volunteer at least 4 Booster hours per trimester in which student(s) is/are participating. WSHSB Winter Booster Jobs released at 7pm, Monday, July 27. First come first served. **You must do BOTH point A and B.**
 - A. Enter your name on the WSHSB Online Sign-up Schedule for the job(s) you are committing to do.
 - B. Indicate that information on this Registration form in the Booster section above. **NOTE: Filling in a job on this form without entering your name online IS NOT SUFFICIENT.** Online sign-up is **MANDATORY**. This form merely echoes what you signed-up for online but does not fulfill the **ONLINE** sign-up requirement. Jobs remain open until online sign-up is completed.
3. Pay the family fee of \$25 per concert trimester
4. Pay the per student fee with a multi-student discount for three or more children, see chart above
5. Include form(s) and fee(s) for renting WSHSB instruments which are additional and explained under **Rentals** above.

BE SURE TO COMPLETE THE COMMITMENT PAGE ON PAGE 3

Make one check for total amount payable to "West Suburban Home School Band"

Mail ALL completed forms and fees to:

Mrs. Karen Borow, 28 W 250 Flanders Lane, Winfield IL 60190

Return this **registration AND any rental forms with fees** any time after Booster Jobs are posted on July 27. Otherwise, mail with sufficient time to arrive **by Aug. 3, 2026** at the latest or in person **by Aug. 4, 2026.**

No auditions will be accepted without all the necessary forms and fees having been received

All tuition and fees are non-refundable and are subject to change.

Late fees are applicable and increase after the deadline dates shown above.

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To make all roster/repertoire decisions, it is imperative the Director knows each member's level of commitment to the band, best reflected by their attendance. We instituted an absence "allowance limit" not due to illness, family difficulties or other unexpected absences, rather due to parents allowing their students to over-schedule from the myriad of activities available to homeschoolers. Principal players (section leaders) especially, will be held to an even higher standard. **Indicating a known absence on this registration form, does not make that absence Ok'd or excused.** We count them all and if you miss five you may not be allowed to perform. Unpredictable health condition/serious illnesses are taken into consideration by the director on a case by case basis. **BE SURE TO SIGN, INITIAL AND DATE THIS PAGE AT THE BOTTOM,**

FAMILY'S LAST NAME (print) _____ Print CHILD'S(REN'S) FIRST NAME(S) ON LINES BELOW:

Initial _____ I am fully committed to my child(ren) participating in/attending band on Thursday nights, for the entire 2026/2027 Concert Season, both trimesters - Winter and Spring, including the dress rehearsal and concerts and they have not/will not schedule(d) conflicting activities. Since there are no known conflicts, skip to the bottom of this page and sign.

OR

Initial _____ I have chosen to schedule my child for other activities that will create conflicts for their participation with band and those dates with conflicts are indicated on the chart below. (Also mark the last line regarding the Spring trimester, and sign.)

Note: A similar form will be required to be competed and submitted with the Spring trimester registration.

WSHSB MEETING DATES FOR 2026/2027 WINTER CONCERT SEASON	
Please write your child(ren's) first name(s) on the line after dates with known conflicts for the Winter trimester.	
Winter Trimester	
Sept 24	
Oct 1	
Oct 8	
Oct 15	
Oct 22	
Oct 29	
Nov 5	
Nov 12	
Nov 19	
Nov 26	No Band – Thanksgiving
Dec 3	
Dec 10	No cadets this day. Only JR, SR, SYM on this day
Dec 17, 24, 31	No Band – Christmas break
Jan 7	
Jan 14	
Jan 21	
1/28 Dress Rehearsal	
1/29 Concert	
NOV. 27, FRIDAY Wheaton Light-up Parade	Print the first name of every band member, indicating Y or N after each, for parade participation
Spring trimester	To help us plan ahead, please indicate if, at the present time, your child(ren) intend(s) to participate FULLY in the entire Spring trimester. SELECT YOUR ANSWER

Parent signature _____ Today's date _____

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**West Suburban Home School Band**  
**2026-2027 Member Handbook Agreement**  
**(return with pages 1, 2 and 3)**

Parents and all band members need to read and review the information contained in the Handbook, found on our website, [www.wshsb.org](http://www.wshsb.org), on the Forms/Documents webpage. The Handbook contains basic information everyone needs to be aware of as band begins in the fall, and reference information for the rest of the year.

After reading and reviewing the Handbook, a parent and each band member need to sign, date and initial where indicated below.

We, the undersigned, have read, reviewed and understand all the requirements, rules and regulations contained in the WSHSB Member Handbook 2026-2027 and are willing to follow them. **We understand that compliance with the Handbook and Code of Conduct are conditions for participation in WSHSB and that failure to comply may result in disciplinary action including removal from band.**

Initial that you have read with particular attention, the following 5 areas, indicating your willingness to abide by and respect them.

- 1. **WSHSB VISION, MISSION, VALUES, FAITH, FAMILIES, MEMBERS** statement on page 4
- 2. How Multiple Absences are Handled Per Trimester - on page 6 (**Updated 7/19/2026**)
- 3. Sectionals are Mandatory - on page 9
- 4. **Code of Conduct for all WSHSB MEMBERS** - on page 12
- 5. DRESS CODES – on pages 13 through 15 (**Updated 7/19/2026**)

Initial below to acknowledge having read the 5 areas and your willingness to abide by and respect them.

PRINT LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

***Each student/member must sign, date and initial for themselves***

Student's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

***Every band family must return a signed Handbook Agreement along with their registration form.  
One parent and EVERY student must sign for themselves***