

# THE TRUMPETER

## 8/27/2018 Edition

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

Tuesday August 28<sup>th</sup> – After school marching band rehearsals begin  
Friday August 31<sup>st</sup>, elementary school tour (all day), first football game  
(report time 5pm)  
Saturday September 8<sup>th</sup>, Tag Day (all band members)

### MARCHING BAND

Congratulations to everyone for completing a successful band camp, culminating with an awesome parent performance and family cookout.

Updated rehearsal/performance schedule for marching band can be found here: <https://www.woodsonband.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/08/MB-Weekly-Schedule-080618.pdf>. Please note that first rehearsal is TOMORROW, Tuesday, August 28<sup>th</sup> after school, not Wednesday as noted on the calendar.

Our first home football game is this Friday, 8/31, and we still need lots of help. There are many areas where you can volunteer, no prior experience needed. Free admission to the game! There is a separate slot in chaperones for a guard parent, so if you are a guard parent, please consider volunteering here.

Concessions- <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090e44acae2fa02-football1>

Pit - <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090e44acae2fa02-football2>

Uniforms, Chaperone, Safety Monitor

- <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090e44acae2fa02-home12>

Report time for students on Friday is 5pm. Marching Uniform Guidelines are attached. Please don't forget your white band tee shirt, black socks, lightweight gym shorts, and marching shoes.

All marching band students need a lyre and flip folder by the first football game. These are used to play pep music in the stands. If your student needs help with this, have them talk to their section leader.

### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TOUR

Friday, Aug. 31<sup>st</sup> select members of the marching band will go on a tour of many of our elementary schools to promote the music program in that school. We need volunteers to help with uniforms, chaperoning all day and driving the Pit truck to each stop. It's a fun day to see how the young children get excited to see our teens play.

Sign up here <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090e44acae2fa02-elementary>

## CAV CARDS

Woodson Band Cavalier Discount Cards "Cav Cards" are one of the biggest fundraisers for the band. We ask that each family sell AT LEAST 5 cards. Families purchase the cards for \$10 each and then sell them to neighbors, friends, coworkers, etc.

This year there is a competition among ALL band students to see who sells the most. The contest ends November 1st and it includes students not in marching band. Prizes will be given to the top 6 sellers. Additionally, there will be a competition among the sections. The section that sells the most cards PER STUDENT (average), will win a prize.

Cards are available for purchase at football games, at back to school night or by contacting Kristin ([drikr01@gmail.com](mailto:drikr01@gmail.com)) or Dee Dee ([beckdd@me.com](mailto:beckdd@me.com)). Please pay with check made to Woodson Band Patrons or exact cash.

And last, but not least!

## TAG DAY

Tag Day is less than two weeks away, and is an all hands on deck event, and major fundraiser for the band. If you haven't signed up to drive, I mean volunteer, please do so at the link below. There are still MANY volunteer slots yet to fill. Contact Melinda Manyx at [woodsonbandtagday@gmail.com](mailto:woodsonbandtagday@gmail.com) with any questions.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090e44acae2fa02-tagday3>

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Links to our online calendars can be found on the band website.

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