

## POWER of Creekside Newsletter 4/14/2025

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Jazz Bands on your performances at ORANGE BLOSSOM JAZZ Festival! What a fantastic event for all involved!

### PANERA Band Meet and Eat

Come hang out TOMORROW April 17th 5-8 at Panera Bread Bartram - 13740 Old Saint Augustine Road. Come celebrate and welcome the new 8th grade members. 25% of your purchase goes to the Power of Creekside - Tell them you are with the band!!

### Ms. Zentz is retiring!

Please see attached flyer for information on participating in a surprise performance for her!

### JAZZ Lakeside Jazz Festival

April 25<sup>th</sup> - Lakeside Jazz Festival - <https://www.lakesidejazzfestival.org/>

Jazz 4 11:40am

Jazz 3 1:20pm

Jazz 2 2:40pm

Jazz 1 3:40pm

UNF 2, USF, UNF 1, USAFB featured performers!!

Leave Creekside 9:30am (Be here 845am to load trailer)

Return to Creekside at 11:00pm

Bring \$\$, sunscreen, change of clothes, chair, even small cooler. If a parent is taking you home Mrs. Larsen and Mr Fowler must have a note stating this by April 22nd!

\*\*We encourage you to join us for this day! Ask a few parents who have attended - it is a special day with 2 full stages dedicated to jazz! MS, HS, College and professional groups all day.\*\*

### SENIORS

CHSBBA Scholarship is available. Scholarship info is due end of April. Forms available in the band room

SEND PICTURES to Maya and Historians for Senior SlideShow.

### Spring Merchandise Store Open!

We have opened the Spring merchandise store for orders! The store will be open until April 20th to ensure that the items will be available for pickup prior to the end of the school year. Now is a great chance to get your items and be ready for the fall football season! Please email [creeksidehighbandtreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:creeksidehighbandtreasurer@gmail.com) with any questions. Thank you

<https://the-sports-corner-e31e1f.printavo.com/merch/thepowerofcreeksidefall24/?page=1>

### Practice Updates

April 17 - Symphonic 4pm

**CALENDAR 25-26** - We are working on a calendar for the next school year. With the start/end times changing for Creekside HS we will have a few time changes as well from previous years. We should have this available to everyone by mid April for the entire school year.

## Spring Extravaganza

April 22nd - Spring Extravaganza Concert!!! 7pm in CHS Auditorium

7pm Start time (*kids should be here 6:15pm*)

Concert dress - NICE CLOTHES BRIGHT COLORS. Dress/skirts must be BELOW the knee.

No sneakers or tshirts (Pants, shoes, collar shirt)

You do not want to miss our final performance - we can't wait for you to hear the tremendous growth of each performing ensemble!!

## Drum Line Auditions

Wednesday, *May 21 3-5*

## Guard Info!

Colorguard auditions are *May 6 and May 8 from 4:30-7:30* pm in the band room.

**End of Year Celebration** - *May 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm* in the Auditorium. This is for all members where we celebrate the year, receive awards, year pins, letters, FBA medals and more. We look forward to seeing you there!

## Band Boosters

Parent volunteers are always needed! Interested in becoming more involved next year?

There will be some board positions opening for the 2025-2026 school year. Serving on the board is a great way to be involved and support the band program! Please reach out to Diane Hoang at [diane@gatorpilot.com](mailto:diane@gatorpilot.com) for more information.

## SUMMER MUSIC CAMP OPPORTUNITIES

<https://music.fsu.edu/summer-camps/jazz-ensemble-camp/>

<https://music.fsu.edu/events/camps-festivals/summer-music-camps/>

<https://www.ufbandcamps.com/>

<https://www.unf.edu/coas/music/summer-camp.html>

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## UNF: Summer Music Camp: June 15-20, 2025

2025 Pricing . Overnight: \$550 for housing (double occupancy), meals and camp tuition. Day Camp: \$360 (8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. lunch included). Extended Day: \$425 (8:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. includes lunch, dinner and evening concert). Cancellation Policy: \$100 deposit will be withheld from any refunds due to cancellation after May 15th. Parking for vehicles entering campus must display a parking ...

[www.unf.edu](http://www.unf.edu)

<https://wearecovenant.org/jazz>

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## Swingin' Summer Jazz Camp - The Covenant School of Jacksonville

This popular jazz camp, hosted at The Covenant School of Jacksonville, is uniquely tailored to introduce, inspire, and advance the varied experiences, knowledge, and skill sets of vocalists and instrumentalists from Grade 7 to Adult in the performance of Jazz, the original American musical artform.

[wearecovenant.org](http://wearecovenant.org)

<https://www.flsouthern.edu/events/summer-band-camp>

<https://www.famubands.com/summer-band-camp>

### **At a Glance**

April 17 Symphonic Band

April 22 SPRING EXTRAVAGANZA CONCERT

April 25 LAKESIDE Jazz Festival

May 7 Band Recognition and Award Ceremony

May 6 and 8 GUARD auditions

May 21 Drumline Auditions