

POWER of Creekside Newsletter 10/13/2025

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P.S.—Don't forget about ordering pictures and photo gifts for family members.

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SENIORS

We will have our annual "pot-luck lunch" on Saturday October 25th at 11am in small cafeteria. Look for the sign up to bring your favorite dish to share as we spend some time together before our Assessment!

Please click the link to add the food that you will be bringing to the senior potluck. Thanks!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4DA5AB23A5F4C70-52290716-class>

SENIORS with the inclement weather we had we want to do something special to "recreate" the Senior Band Evening. Stadium night we are kindly asking you (and your parents/family) to join us on the field! We will have you in your full uniform as well as a photographer that evening to take pictures. This will occur about 8:10pm towards the end of practice. (practice this night is 6-830). More details will be shared. It is our hope you and your families will join us!

STADIUM NIGHT

Tuesday October 21st from 6-830pm. DINKLES and RED BAND SHIRT for band, ALL BLACK for Guard. Encourage your families, friends, neighbors to come join us for 1 final time in the stadium!! An amazing opportunity to watch us work, assist with some final things to address prior to our Assessment. You might even get the chance to video from the top!! Let's PACK THE STADIUM for these kids!!!! We will also have a special opportunity for our seniors and their families at the end of practice. Snacks and Merch available for purchase!!

MARCHING MPA

Our schedule is set for all performing bands. The general schedule provided prior is close to the same. You are able to see the full schedule of this event here: <https://flmusiced.org/MPAOnline/ExportedReports/ConcertProgram-EventID652158032025155850.pdf>

POWER of Creekside Schedule for Saturday October 25th

We need volunteers for MPA! There are two opportunities to assist our band: set-up at Bartram or hang with the band by riding the bus, spending the day and helping with the show. Please see the sign-up link to help: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4DA5AB23A5F4C70-50352602-mpaatbartram>

- a.
- b. *(SENIORS have potluck in small cafeteria 11am!!!)*
- a. 12pm - BAND ROOM OPEN and Trailer Loading begins
- a. 12:30pm - ALL here. Instruments to trailers/Uhaul
- a. 1:00pm - LOAD BUSES (you must stay on same bus both ways)
- a. 1:45pm - ARRIVE at Bartram Trail HS and get in stands to watch and support bands!
- a. 5:00pm - ORANGE PARK is last band before dinner break
- a. 5:50pm - STANDS for 2 more bands (You will leave to dress after Beachside HS)
- a. 6:40pm - DRESS/Get instrument for Marching MPA at trailers
- a. 7:10pm - DRESSED and prepped to go to warmup
- a. 8:10pm - PERFORM on field for MPA (Assessment)
- a. 8:25pm - Endzone to watch Bartram Perform
- a. 8:45pm - TRAILER to hang jacket, case instrument and load trailer
- a. 9:15pm - LOAD BUSES
- a. 10:00pm - Return to Creekside, unload trailers and return to room
- a. 10:15pm - PARENT PICK UP
- b. ***If you plan to have a parent pick you up from Bartram after performance, Mr. Fowler will need a note/email before WEDNESDAY October 22nd!!! You are only allowed to leave this event with parent (cannot take anyone but your own child)***

There are 17 bands!!! PARENTS it is a great afternoon of entertainment for only \$10.00!!! Come on out and spend the day watching BAND KIDS do their thing!!!! Tickets are purchased at the gate (cash/check). MS students are FREE if they wear the school Band Shirt. Gate monies raised help offset assessment fees for all MS and HS bands throughout the school year

***When you arrive you should have on: RED "Fall Guy" T shirt, Dinkles and Black Socks, Shorts and Hat. You will take your bibs with you to event and jackets will be on trailer.*

***Bring \$\$ for concessions. You do not have to wait until dinner break to eat. You can eat at anytime after we arrive - HOWEVER you must show proper etiquette. Do not move during band performances, no excessive loud noises, stay in groups of 4 or more and do not leave stadium area.*

****THIS is the 1st major event for our program. It is The MOST important performance in the first semester. Be here, Be prepared and Be excited for the opportunity to perform!!**

TRIP

We have 3 buses!! In January we will begin to sign up for Bus and Room assignments. Please continue to pay payments on time - this helps determine who can sign up provided you are on schedule with payments. T

AKE ADVANTAGE of the "Pick a Date" Fundraiser happening now. We have had 3 kids already pay for their trip using this method. 100% of money raised goes to your band trip!!!! We are currently working on the calendar to determine 2 days we will need to have rehearsal prior to the trip. We will do our best to keep them on a "normal marching day" of either Tuesday evening or Thursday after school in February and March prior to leaving. These will be mandatory for those going on the trip so we can prepare for the performance.

MARCHING

We have 3 more rehearsals. Do everything possible to be at every one of them as we make our final push to Assessment. Tuesday October 21st is our final STADIUM NIGHT where we will wear our Red Band Shirt. This rehearsal will run from 6-830pm. We do have a home game Thursday October 30th, but will NOT have rehearsal that week. Rehearsals for marching will be over the week of Marching MPA (October 23rd is final rehearsal)

CONCERT SEASON is fast approaching

1st period is WIND ENSEMBLE, 2nd period is CONCERT BAND and 6th period is SYMPHONIC BAND. Plan according for those rehearsals printed in the full calendar.

Final Regular Season AWAY Game at Raines - October 17th

Buses will leave at 4:30pm. We will have boxed dinner for all attending in lieu of concession stand for this game. Publix Sandwiches, chips and cookies will be available as you step on the bus.

WINTERGUARD TRYOUTS

October 27 & 28

4:30-7:30 in the Band Room

VOLUNTEERS

Home game volunteers:

- Please read Full Description in SUG for job details and meeting times.
- Weekly Volunteers will receive a reminder email on the Wednesday prior to the game they have signed up for. Please check in case of time adjustments.
- Unless otherwise noted, meet at the stadium gate at 5:45pm
- Email us with any questions or concerns at: 2pocvolunteers@gmail.com

We still have a need for volunteers at each of our remaining home games. Please see the links below to sign-up, and don't forget to verify your volunteer status today

6th Home Game Thursday, Oct 30th:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4DA5AB23A5F4C70-57498738-home>

Fair Share Links/QR Codes

Band

<https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/20252026-CHS-Band--Fair-Share-325/SdT2rVv>



Percussion

<https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/20252026--CHS-Band--PERCUSSION-ONLY--Fai/ScYvRYg>



Guard

<https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/20252026-CHS-Guard-400/SdcrMj9>



At a Glance

Tues October 14

Thurs October 16

Fri October 17

Tues October 21

Thurs October 23

Fri October 24

Sat October 25
10pm)

Thur October 30

BAND 6-8

BAND 420-6pm

AWAY at Raines HS

STADIUM NIGHT 6-830pm (dinkles and RED band tshirt)

BAND 420-6pm

NO GAME - this is our bye week

MARCHING Music Performance Assessment at BTHS (12pm to

HOME GAME vs. Ponte Vedra (additional 8th grade night)