**MARCH 17, 2024** 

# THE NAVO BAND WEEKLY BEAT \*\*

The official weekly newsletter of the Navo Middle School Panther Band



## UPCOMING DATES:



- Mar 21 Noodles N' Notes Jazz Concert/Dinner at BHS 6:30pm -\$10 (see page 2 for ticket info).
- Mar 26 Honors Band UIL
- Mar 28 B-Coming Day #1 3:45-5:15pm Navo Band Room (8th Grade)
- April 9 and 10 Beginner Band Rehearsal afterschool 3:45-4:45pm
- Apr 11 Trinity Music Festival/Main Event (Beginner Band)
- Apr 12 Pride of Texas
   Festival/Pinstack (Advanced Bands)
- Apr 16 B-Coming Day #2 3:45-5:15pm Navo Band Room (8th Grade)
- Apr 20 B-Coming Extravaganza
   9am-2:30pm at Braswell (8th Grade)
- Apr 22 B-Coming Day #3 6-8pm at Braswell (8th Grade)
- Apr 29 Spring Concert at Braswell HS 6:30pm
- May 6 B-Coming Day #4 and New Braswell Band Parent Meeting 6-8pm at Braswell (8th Grade)
- May 10-11 Pre-Season Visual Camp at Braswell (8th Grade)
- May 13 Solo/Ensemble Contest

I hope everyone enjoyed their spring break! This week we have our Noodles and Notes Jazz Concert at Braswell HS at 6:30pm. Our Navo Jazz Ensemble will be performing and we are so proud of the work they've done so far this year! Mr. Hudson will send out an email with detailed info about the concert, but if you'd like to buy tickets for the show, scroll on down to page 2 to find more info and ticket link.

A huge congratulations to our Symphonic Band on their Sweepstakes at UIL. They received the highest rating possible on stage and in sightreading (Superior Ratings). Way to go!!!

## **Beginner Band Notes**

Beginner students are continuing to work on scales and fundamentals and are also working on their Spring Festival/Concert music as well. There is something for students to practice every day at home. Please get those spring festival fees in if you haven't paid them yet. They were due on March 1st.

## **Advanced Band Notes**

Honors Band will attend UIL on March 26th. A detailed email will go home this week with itinerary for UIL. We are excited for the Jazz Concert on Thursday! Mr. Hudson will send out more info to those involved. Spring Festival Fees were due on March 1st, so please get those turned in asap if you haven't yet.

Sectionals will resume this week for both Symphonic and Honors Band as we prepare for UIL/Spring Festivals.



want to volunteer!!!

Calling all parents interested in chaperoning our Spring Festivals - please send me an email to let me know if you are interested. You'll need have gone through the volunteer background check through the district and be on the approved volunteer list to chaperone.

Thanks in advance for your interest!



## Advanced Band Weekly Sectional Schedule Spring 2024

HB = Honors Band and SB = Symphonic Band

7:00-8:00am 3:45-4:45pm

Sectionals are required for all students in Honors Band and Symphonic Band. For morning sectionals, we will let students in the building from 6:45-7:00am at the back door entrance of the building by the portables and cafeteria. We can not prop the doors open, so it is important that students arrive early enough to be let in before we begin teaching at 7am. Thank you for your understanding.







Our Navo Jazz Ensemble will perform at the Noodles N' Notes Jazz Concert and Dinner. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased by clicking HERE. Students performing and children 3 and under eat free. Mr. Hudson will send out an itinerary to the Jazz students about what to wear and when to be there. We hope everyone can make it out to support the students in the Jazz program!

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