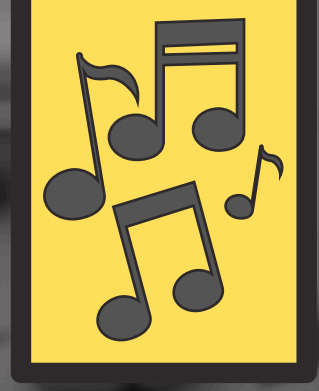


APRIL 6, 2025

THE NAVO BAND WEEKLY BEAT



The official weekly newsletter of the
Navo Middle School Panther Band

UPCOMING DATES:



Apr 9 - UIL for Honors Band at Byron Nelson HS - Call time at Navo will be 6:30AM!!! Set those alarms!!! Also, start bringing in \$5 for Cici's Pizza lunch.

Apr 17 - Epic Waters Music Festival for all eligible Honors Band, Symphonic Band, and Jazz Ensemble - during day

Apr 26 - Chet Baker Jazz Festival - Time TBD

Apr 28 - Spring Concert for all students at Braswell HS Auditorium - 6:30pm

May 1 - Trinity Music Festival for all eligible Beginner Band at Main Event in Frisco - during school day

May 12 - Solo and Ensemble Contest for ALL STUDENTS at Navo MS - evening

8th Grade - plan to check the 8th Grade Only Section in this newsletter for additional 8th grade events.

It is UIL week for Honors Band!!! Please see page 2 and your email from earlier this week for ALL of the details. Call time is 6:30AM!!! Set those alarms now (extra alarms), arrange for rides, car pools, etc. **EVERYONE** is important and it won't be the same without you so don't sleep in and don't miss out!

Band Notes

Beginner Band students are working on their spring festival music and will be continuing to work on their fundamentals, scales, method book lines, etc. Please encourage daily practice from students. We have passed out the financial slip for our spring festival on May 1st which includes a trip to Main Event. Cost is \$30 and was already due. Please send in ASAP if you haven't turned that in yet. Parents - we have plenty of chaperones! Thanks for volunteering and I'll reach out with more info soon!

Advanced Bands

Symphonic Band students have a revised sectional schedule based on our Epic Waters and Spring Concert music. Mr. Carnley sent an email on Friday with the schedule. **Honors Band** has Tuesday PM Full Band rehearsal until 4:45pm in place of normal sectionals this week and UIL Wednesday morning.

All eligible Advanced Students - We have passed out the financial slip and waiver for our spring festival on April 17th which includes a trip to Epic Waters. Cost is \$40 and was already due. Please get those payments in ASAP if you haven't done that yet. Parents - please reach out if interested in chaperoning at Epic Waters. We need a couple more people!



This Week

UIL FOR HONORS BAND
ON WEDNESDAY,
APRIL 9TH

See the UIL itinerary that was emailed out last Wednesday -

April 3, 2025

Honors Band UIL Itinerary

The following is our itinerary for the UIL Concert and Sight Reading Contest on Wednesday, April 9, 2025 at Byron Nelson HS.

ALL Honors Band members need to wear their concert black attire to school with them. They may bring a change of clothes for when we get back.

6:30am - Be in your seat in the Navo Band Room with music and instruments.

6:50am - Load buses

7:00am - Depart for Byron Nelson HS

8:30am - Check-in at Byron Nelson HS

8:55 am - Warm-up in Byron Nelson HS Band Room

9:30 am - Concert Performance in Byron Nelson HS Auditorium

10:00 am - Sight Reading in Byron Nelson HS Orchestra Room

10:30 am - Load buses and depart for Cici's Pizza on Loop 288 in Denton

11:30 am - Arrive at Cici's Pizza for lunch (**please bring \$5 cash to Mrs. Anderson...see below for more info concerning lunch**).

12:30 pm - Depart Cici's for Navo MS

1:00 pm - Arrive at Navo, change into school clothes if students desire and return to the regular class schedule for the rest of the day.

Dress for this performance is our **Concert Black Attire** (like the Pre-UIL and the Winter Concert).

Parents - You are welcome to attend our UIL Concert and Sight Reading Contest! The students have been working so hard...we appreciate your support!

LUNCH - The Cici's buffet is \$8 a person, but I have set aside some of our fundraiser from this year to pay for \$3 per student for lunch at UIL. Please bring the remaining \$5 cash anytime between now and the end of the day on Monday. I am paying for Cici's Pizza when we arrive for all students at once so that we can use our tax exempt certificate and so we can get all students through the buffet line much quicker! Thanks for your understanding!!!

HONORS BAND -

Tuesday PM - Full Band rehearsal from 3:45-4:45pm.

Don't forget to bring \$5 for Cici's Pizza on Wednesday.

8th Grade Only Section



JAN 22 **TRANSITION NIGHT**
Band Parent/Student Meeting
from 6:00-6:30pm
Before Event in BHS Bandroom

MAR 27 **B-COMING DAY #1**
3:45-5:15pm
Navo MS Bandroom

APR 3 **B-COMING DAY #2**
3:45-5:15pm
Navo MS Bandroom

APR 19 **B-COMING EXTRAVAGANZA**
9:00-2:30pm
Braswell HS

APR 22 **B-COMING DAY #3**
6:00-8:00pm
Braswell HS Bandroom

MAY 6 **B-COMING DAY #4 and NEW PARENT MEETING**
6:00-8:00pm
Braswell HS Bandroom

MAY 9-10 **PRE SEASON VISUAL CAMP**
Friday: 5:00-9:00pm
Saturday: 10:00am-7:00pm
Braswell HS Bandroom

BRASWELL HS BAND
UPCOMING EVENTS 2024
FOR INCOMING 9TH GRADERS

Email Mr. Snipes at asnipes@dentonisd.org if you have any questions!

Advanced Band Weekly Sectional Schedule

Symphonic Band - (an email was sent with more details about this schedule)

Alto Saxophones, Tenor Saxophones, and French Horns - Tuesday Morning 7-7:45 AM

Trombone, Euphonium, Tuba, Bari Sax, Bassoon, Bass Clarinet - Wednesday After School 3:45-4:30 PM

Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Trumpet - Thursday After School 3:45-4:30 PM

Honors Band - Tuesday PM Full Band Rehearsal 3:45-4:45pm

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