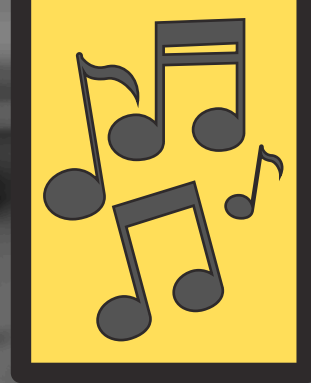


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THE NAVO BAND WEEKLY BEAT



The official weekly newsletter of the
Navo Middle School Panther Band

UPCOMING DATES:



Feb 18 - Side by Side Rehearsal at
Braswell (Symphonic Band)

Feb 20 - Pre-UIL Performance at Braswell
(Symphonic Band) - evening

Feb 25 - Noodles and Notes Jazz Concert
at Braswell (Jazz Ensemble) - evening

Feb 28 - Percussion Bash (Braswell Zone
Percussion Concert - All Percussion
Students) - all day rehearsal and evening
concert

Mar 3 - Side by Side Rehearsal at
Braswell (Honors Band)

Mar 5-6 - UIL (date and time TBD) for
Symphonic Band at Argyle HS

Mar 18 - Pre-UIL Performance at Braswell
(Honors Band)

Apr 9-10 - UIL (date and time TBD) for
Honors Band at Byron Nelson HS

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

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.**

Our All-District Band Students did a fantastic job at their clinic/concert on Friday. See page 2 for some pictures of our day! Tomorrow we see our 5th graders as they visit Navo for the Fine Arts Showcase!!! More details below in the Advanced Band section.

Band Notes



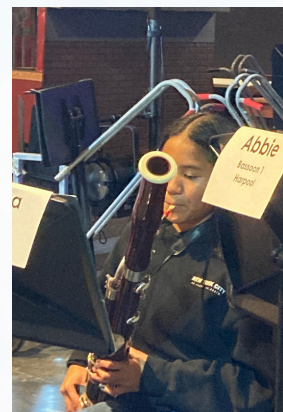
Beginner Band students are working on fundamentals in class, tetrachords, scales, and lines from their method book. We have begun scale pass-offs for our brass and woodwind beginners. Check-in with them to see how many scales they have passed off! Our next beginner performance will be our Percussion Bash on Friday, Feb 28th.

Advanced Bands are continuing to work on our UIL contest music as we prepare for that and our spring festivals this semester. Sectional attendance is SO important. Please make sure you are there each week. Tomorrow our 5th graders are visiting Navo for the Fine Arts Showcase. Students in Honors Band and select students helping us from Symphonic Band (they know who they are) will report to us at 8:15am in the band room with jeans and their band t-shirt on. Students will return back to class during 4th period.



All District Band

Congrats on a job well done!!!



8th Grade Only Section

Upcoming Dates for 8th Grade Students

March 27 - 8th Grade B-Coming Day #1 at Navo

April 3 - 8th Grade B-Coming Day #2 at Navo

April 12 - B-Well Extravaganza at Braswell

More dates will be communicated soon...



Advanced Band Weekly Sectional Schedule

Spring 2025

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 students must arrive early enough to be let in before we begin teaching at 7am. Thank you for your understanding.

**HB = Honors Band and
SB = Symphonic Band**

	7:00-7:45 AM	3:45-4:30 PM
Mon		
Tue	SB Alto Sax, Tenor Sax, and French Horn HB Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, and Trumpet	SB Trombone, Euphonium, Tuba, Bassoon, Bari Sax, and Bass Clarinet HB Alto Sax and French Horn
Wed		HB Percussion
Thu		
Fri	SB Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, and Trumpet HB Trombone, Euphonium, Tuba, and Bassoon	

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