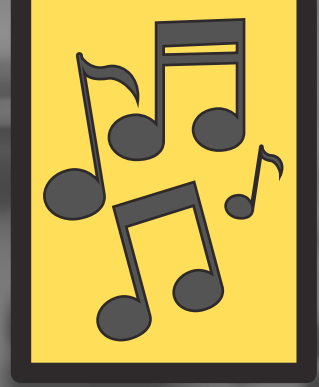


MARCH 3, 2024

THE NAVO BAND WEEKLY BEAT



The official weekly newsletter of the
Navo Middle School Panther Band

UPCOMING DATES:



- **Mar 7** - Symphonic Band UIL
- **Mar 21** - Noodles and Notes Jazz Concert at BHS 6:30pm
- **Mar 26** - Honors Band UIL (time TBD)
- **Mar 28** - B-Coming Day #1 3:45-5:15pm Navo Band Room (8th Grade)
- **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

What a great Percussion Bash last night! We are very proud of all of our percussion students on a job well done! Percussion Bash pics on page 2 of the newsletter.

It is UIL week for Symphonic Band! We sent home an itinerary on Friday with the students and I will also email that separately to all of you today. You can find the link to the itinerary [HERE](#) as well.

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU for the tissue donations this week. We received about 6 boxes and that will definitely help us get through the year.

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. Spring Festival Fees were due this past Friday, so please get those turned in asap if you haven't yet.

Advanced Band Notes

Symphonic Band has Pre-UIL this week! Honors Band will attend UIL on March 26th. Both groups have been working hard on their music and we can't wait for their performances at UIL. There will be no sectionals or after school rehearsals this week unless students need to come in and schedule make-up sectionals with us. Spring Festival Fees were due this past Friday, so please get those turned in asap if you haven't yet.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



Thank you to those that have already emailed to say they 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!

PERCUSSION BASH!!!



BRASWELL BAND 2024

SUMMER BAND CAMP DATES

- PRE-SEASON VISUAL CAMP MAY 10-11
- EARLY SUMMER BAND CAMP MAY 28-31
- SUPER SATURDAY REGISTRATION JUN 1
- PERCUSSION/COLOR GUARD CAMP JUL 8-12
- FULL BAND CAMP WEEK 1 JUL 24-26
- FULL BAND CAMP WEEK 2 JUL 30 - AUG 3

PLEASE SCHEDULE VACATIONS, VISITS, AND APPOINTMENTS AROUND THESE DATES, IF AT ALL POSSIBLE. PLEASE COMMUNICATE ANY UNAVOIDABLE CONFLICTS TO THE DIRECTORS ASAP. ANY CONFLICTS CAN BE WORKED OUT. CAN'T WAIT FOR THE BEST MARCHING SEASON YET!

BRASWELL HS BAND UPCOMING EVENTS 2024 FOR INCOMING 9TH GRADERS

- JAN 22** TRANSITION NIGHT Band Parent/Student Meeting from 6:00-6:30pm Before Event in BHS Bandroom
- MAR 28** BECOMING DAY #1 3:45-5:15pm Navo MS Bandroom
- APR 16** BECOMING DAY #2 3:45-5:15pm Navo MS Bandroom
- APR 20** BECOMING EXTRAVAGANZA 9:00-2:30pm Braswell HS
- APR 22** BECOMING DAY #3 6:00-8:00pm Braswell HS Bandroom
- MAY 6** BECOMING DAY #4 and NEW PARENT MEETING 6:00-8:00pm Braswell HS Bandroom
- MAY 10-11** PRE-SEASON VISUAL CAMP Friday: 5:00-9:00pm Saturday: 10:00am-7:00pm Braswell HS Bandroom

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

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. For afternoon sectionals, we will let students in the building from 3:30-3:45pm at the back door entrance of the building. It is important that students arrive early enough to be let in before we begin teaching at 7am. Thank you for your understanding.

SECTIONALS CANCELED WEEK OF MAR 4-8

Day	7:00-8:00am	3:45-4:45pm
Mon		HB Clarinet
Tue		HB Trombone/Euphonium
Wed	SB Woodwinds	
Thu	HB Saxophone HB Trumpet	HB Horn
Fri	HB Flute/Oboe	HB Full Band Rehearsal with HB Percussion

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