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Greetings Parents and Students!

We have a bit of a busy week ahead with Homecoming and Hall of Fame activities, followed up by next week's odd schedule with the Columbus Day Parade and NEOEA DAY. Below is the information needed for all events through NEXT Friday's (Oct. 16) away game.

Wednesday, Oct. 7th - MARCHING BAND - Homecoming Parade - 6:30pm - Followed up by Evening Rehearsal

-Call Time - **6:00pm**. Be DROPPED OFF, in uniform, with instrument/music at Cornerstone Community Church - 1400 Lander Rd

-Necessities - Full Marching Band Uniform, NO Hat/Beret, WITH INSTRUMENT/MUSIC.

-Evening's Activities: 1). Parade from the Cornerstone Community Church up Lander, into the West MHS Entrance and onto the Football practice Field. 2). Performance at the Bonfire - Alma Mater, the Funk, Fight Song. 3). Uniforms put away and Rehearse for Friday.

-Preparation - Students will need to either 1). Take uniform/instrument/music home on Wednesday, as they leave school, or 2). Pick up uniform/instrument/music in between 4pm-5:45pm Wednesday, after school.

Thursday, Oct. 8th - JAZZ BAND Hall of Fame Performances - 9:30am and 6pm (students excused from class)

-Call Times - 9am and 5:30pm

-Necessities - Jazz Music, Concert Black (Black dress shirt, dress pants, or long dress, black dress shoes)

Friday, Oct. 9th - MARCHING BAND - Homecoming Game - 7pm

-Call Time - 5pm

-Necessities - Full Band Uniform (Parka if instructed), suitable warm garments underneath, "accents" of Pink if you wish.

***-NOTE - Students are required to have ALL required items for EVERY performance, unless we say otherwise. **MANY** students have had to borrow or buy (depending on the item) items each week. If a student borrows an item, 1). it must be returned and 2). it does count against their grade for not coming prepared. Students are forgetting more frequently and, in addition, getting negatively verbal to staff about how they don't believe they need the items. **THEY NEED THEM.** Please see your student's grades to see if he/she has been missing items (i.e., shoes, spats, gloves, shirt, shorts) and speak with them about making sure they have ALL items and remind them that speaking back to directors will not be tolerated. In addition, students must stay under the supervision of staff at all times. We're having difficulty with students roaming halls before/after activities. We can't supervise our students when they don't go to/stay in our designated area(s). Please remind them to report to our Band Room Only ***

Monday, Oct. 12th - MARCHING BAND - Little Italy Columbus Day Parade (students excused from class)

-Call Time - 9am - Students will be called down from class.

-Necessities - Full Band Uniform (Parka if instructed), suitable warm garments underneath.

-Food - Eat a good sized breakfast, maybe bring a snack to have before we depart, small snacks/water will be handed out there, Pizza/water will be provided when we get back to school (2pm).

Wednesday, Oct. 14th - MARCHING BAND - Evening Rehearsal

-CANCELED!!! - Enjoy the night off!!! :-)

Friday, Oct. 16th - MARCHING BAND - Away Game at Madison - 7pm

-Call Time - 4:45pm

-Necessities - Full Band Uniform (Parka if instructed), suitable warm garments underneath, "accents" of Pink if you wish.

Thank you all very much for your attention to this message and helping us prepare for these fun-filled weeks!!

Mr. Nathan Oshaben and The PRIDE of Mayfield Staff