



LRHS Band News and Notes

3/13/2022

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Important Dates:

- **Next Bands Club Meeting - Tuesday, March 15th, 7:00 p.m.**
- **Music Performance Adjudication Field Trips to Fuquay Varina High School:**
 - Intermediate Band - March 21, 12:25 p.m.
 - Concert Band - March 21, 2:35 p.m.
 - Symphonic Band - March 22, 6:15 p.m.
- **Concert and Symphonic Band Field Trip to see "Oklahoma!" - Thursday, March 31**
- **Quick Prepare for Band Auditions goes LIVE - Monday, April 4th**
- **Band Audition for Next Year Due in Google Classroom - Wednesday, April 6th**

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Update on Symphonic and Concert Band trip to DPAC:

The itinerary for students attending the *Oklahoma* show at DPAC on March 31 has been finalized. Students will depart LRHS for the NC Zoo in Asheboro at 8:00 am and spend the day visiting the exhibits in the North America and Africa sections of the zoo. We will arrive at Bull City Burger by 4:30 for dinner and then walk to DPAC (3 blocks) to see *Oklahoma*. More details will be sent home with those students attending in the next few days. The student fee for the field trip is approximately \$140 and includes the *Oklahoma* ticket, transportation, lunch, snack and dinner. Payment will be withdrawn from Charms accounts. If you do not have sufficient funds in Charms, please send in a check to cover the difference by Wednesday, March 23.

There are still some student tickets available. If you are interested in attending and have not yet RSVPed, please contact Ms. Montgomery, Ann Longrie (Symphonic Band - ann.longrie@icloud.com), or Leslie Mason (Concert Band - mason_leslie@yahoo.com) to see if a ticket is available for your student. Students who have already sent in an RSVP have a reserved ticket in their name. Also, if you volunteered to chaperone, you are on the chaperone list and will receive more information soon).

Trip RE-Commitment Form for Symphonic and Concert Band trip to Carowinds:

Due to the change in trip plans, we wanted to make sure that we have the correct number of students attending the Carowinds trip on May 7th. [Please make sure students turn in this form by TUESDAY, 3/15, along with any money needed to pay for the trip.](#) If you made a first deposit for Disney, that paid for the entire Carowinds trip and you are all set. Payment is only needed from those that did not originally sign up to attend or that forgot to place their first deposit.

Trip payments:

If you would like to know your Charms balance to determine what you may have available to put toward the Carowinds trip payment (and the *Oklahoma* field trip, if applicable), please feel free to email our Student Accounts Manager, Emily Asby (emilyasby@gmail.com), and she can give you an updated total. If you would like to log into Charms directly but have forgotten your password, email Emily and she can send you a password reset link.

From Previous News and Notes:

Bands Club Meeting Minutes

If you were unable to attend the last Bands Club meeting on January 25, you can read the minutes here: [January Bands Club Meeting Minutes](#)

Capital Campaign 2021-22:

Please consider donating to the LRHS Band through our [Capital Campaign](#). Our primary goal this year is to raise enough money to make much needed updates to the 30-year old sound system in the band room. Donate by **April 29** in order to be recognized in our Spring Concert programs. Make the most of your donation with a corporate matching gift!

Scholarships for Current Seniors

- [Barbara Bair Scholarship](#): Seniors interested in majoring in **Music Education** in college
- [Musicians Making A Difference Scholarship](#): Seniors who have made significant impacts to their community (do **not** have to major in music)

Private Lessons:

[Here is a list of recommended Private Instructors](#). If you have questions about who might be a good fit for you, please don't hesitate to ask Ms. Montgomery.

Time to re-link your Harris Teeter VIC card!

You can help earn money for the LRHS bands by linking your Harris Teeter VIC card to the Bands Club account. If you have already linked your card, you **MUST** re-link it each year (between Aug 1 and May 31). You can re-link your card at the store by asking the cashier at checkout or someone in customer service to link your card.

You can also visit the Harris Teeter website: <https://www.harristeeter.com/> and log in to link your card. Our code is **7061 - LRHS Band Booster**

Grocery Cards for sale

Families from all 3 bands can add money to their student's account by purchasing *Lowe's* or *Food Lion* grocery cards! The following denominations are available for you to purchase: *Food Lion*: \$25, \$100, and \$200 – 4.85% rebate to your student's account.

Lowe's Foods: \$50, \$100 – 5.82% rebate to your student's account.

You can pay for these cards with cash or a check made out to: [LRHS Bands Club](#). If you have any questions, please email Emily Asby (emilyasby@gmail.com) and she will be happy to help you.

Band Merchandise Website

Band merchandise is available for families and supporters of the LRHS Band! If you would like to purchase LRHS band shirts, hats, etc, please check out this website: [LRHS Band Merchandise](#)

Mars Hill University Summer Music Camp:

Mars Hill University Bands is excited to announce the RETURN of the MHU Summer Music Camp! We are thrilled to bring this important activity back to support your programs and to help your students continue their musical growth over the summer. The camp will be Saturday, June 25-Thursday, June 30 and has the option for overnight campers and day campers. Registration is NOW open!

- <https://www.mhu.edu/academics/majors-and-minors/music/departments-of-music/summer-music-camp/>

Furman University Jazz Camp:

- www.furman.edu/SummerJazzCamp
- Registration opens today and continues through the month of April. Students will perform in small and large jazz ensembles and receive instruction on improvisation, jazz history, jazz theory, and instrument-specific topics. Your students will return to school with a greater understanding of jazz theory, more refined improvisational skills, and a better sense of jazz style. We hope they'll be inspired to continue their study of this great music!
- The camp is a partnership by Furman University and the Greenville Jazz Collective. Summer Jazz Camp runs from Sunday, June 26 to Thursday, June 30, with special clinicians' concerts every night at 7:30 PM and a final student concert at 4:30 PM on June 29th. All concerts are free and open to the public. The cost is \$530 for overnight campers and \$410 for commuters per student, but *the Greenville Jazz Collective is offering scholarships based on need. To apply for or inquire about scholarships, email JazzCamp@greenvillejazzcollective.com.*

CANNON MUSIC CAMP IS BACK: June 25- July 16, 2022

Attending [Cannon Music Camp](#) held at the Hayes School of Music on the campus of **Appalachian State University** is a great way for students to connect, rejuvenate, and rekindle their excitement and passion for music, while infectiously bringing that energy back to your school music program!

- *Cannon Music Camp is open to dedicated and inspired student musicians who are rising high school freshmen to rising college freshmen.*
- *Applications close three (3) days before the start of camp (June 22, 2022) or when quotas are reached in performing areas.*

We are the premier comprehensive music camp in the Southeast. Cannon Music Camp is a magical three-week experience for students with intensive college preparatory work in performance and music theory. Plus, our campers *have fun* making music and socializing with like-minded musicians! Campers participate in daily ensemble rehearsals and music theory classes (as well as weekly masterclasses) in an atmosphere that elevates everyone's musicianship. Equally important is the direct instruction each camper receives in weekly, one-hour lessons.

We are currently [enrolling students](#) for this summer's season! Students may apply here: <https://cannon.appstate.edu/apply> **Scholarships Available through March 31.** We have a limited

amount of scholarship funds to distribute to individuals who want to participate in the process. [Scholarships](https://cannon.appstate.edu/scholarships) are awarded and reviewed until March 31st or when funds are depleted, whichever occurs first. Our average range is \$150-\$450. <https://cannon.appstate.edu/scholarships>

Note that submitting a performance, attending an audition site, or receiving a scholarship offer **DOES NOT SECURE** admission to Cannon. Students still need to **APPLY** through the application process to secure a space in their performance area for camp. Scholarship auditions/offers are conducted two ways:

- Submitting in a recording (see **Video Submission Process** <https://cannon.appstate.edu/scholarships>).
- Attend an onsite audition
- Receive an offer based upon selection to All-District, All-State, or Honors Ensembles

Multiple scholarship offers from Cannon Music Camp are possible; however, we regret students may take advantage of ONE OFFER, so please request to use the highest amount. Cannon Music Camp scholarship offers cannot be combined to create a larger scholarship.