



LRHS Band News and Notes

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Important Dates:

- **TOMORROW** -- Wednesday 9/28 - **Concert and Intermediate Band Uniform Measurement Day** [Order Form Due](#). Please see details in the Announcements section below.
- Thursday 9/29 - [Homecoming Home Football Game - Symphonic Band Playing!](#)
- Saturday - 10/1 [Middle Creek Competition](#) (SB)
- Saturday - 10/8 [West Johnston Competition](#) (SB)
- Saturday - 10/15 Western Alamance Competition (SB)
- Tuesday 10/18 - SB and CB 2022-2023 [TRIP COMMITMENT FORM](#) due!
- Tuesday 10/18 - Next Bands Club Meeting 7pm
- Friday 10/21 - SB Senior Night Football Game 7pm

NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. Mrs. Colburn's EMAIL HAS CHANGED!!

Mrs. Colburn's email is officially acolburn@wcpss.net. If you need to contact her, please use this.

2. Concert and Intermediate Band Uniform Measurement Day - THIS WEDNESDAY Sept.28th

On **Wednesday, September 28, 2022**, Savvi Formalwear and parent volunteers will be **in class** to measure your student for their concert attire. We will send home an [order form](#) that you need to fill out and return with cash or check. Each student must have the full standard uniform. Substitutions of other black shoes or dresses cannot be made.

Tuxedo Uniforms:

- Please indicate on the order form which item(s) your child needs
- You need to include a check for **Savvi Formalwear** for the tuxedo pieces
- You need to include a separate check for **LRHS Bands Club** for the tuxedo shoes
- Please include shoe size on the forms
- Alterations: If any items need to be altered in the length of the coat sleeves or the hems of pants, just bring them with them to school the day of measurements

Black Dress Uniforms:

- Please indicate on the order form which item(s) your child needs
- Please include shoe size on the forms
- You need to include a check for **LRHS Bands Club** for the dress, pearls, and shoes.

Finally, if a parent would like to help with measurements on September 28th, please contact Erin Campbell.

Contact Erin Campbell with questions – 919-274-5837 or epc8877@yahoo.com

- 3. Fair Share Payments:** Several families have not yet made a fair share payment, which is now past due. As a reminder, any student who has not made a fair share payment will be unable to attend the spring trip.

Payments can be made via PayPal on www.leesvilleband.org or by check made out to the LRHS Bands Club (and dropped in the band room safe). A check may also be sent to Emily Asby:

Emily Asby - 6508 Vosburgh Drive, Raleigh NC 27617

- 4. Fundraising News: Scrip/RaiseRight gift card program:** We have a new coordinator for this exciting fundraising program. We are putting together details for our band families and a full announcement will be included in next week's Band News and Notes. To introduce it, here is the description from the LRHS Band Handbook:

RaiseRight: Angela Hamilton

RaiseRight works similarly to the Grocery Cards. The major differences are: 1.) The cards are ordered ahead of time and delivered about 2 weeks after orders are taken. 2.) RaiseRight includes, but is not limited to, local stores. Some stores include Sears, Gap, Pottery Barn and some restaurants include Little Caesar's, Red Robin, Chili's. A complete list of stores and more details about the program can be found on the company's website at raiserright.com. Some cards are reloadable at the stores, but to get the rebate you must purchase a new one each time from the Band's Club.

Angela has provided the following extra information: The enrollment code for RaiseRight is: [411B3F35692L](#)

More details to follow next week!

PREVIOUS NEWS AND NOTES-----

Band Announcements:

- A. Symphonic and Concert Bands 2022-2023 Trip Commitment Forms.** This Commitment Form should have already come home with your student but just in case you haven't seen it yet here is a link to this important document. The form contains a lot of information about this upcoming band trip. Please read and return the form with the first payment by 10/18.

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1NasBgfWDG28N8ceiTvNwMEoFeK0bUbuC/edit?usp=drivesdk&oid=103429356094056316024&rtpof=true&sd=true>

- B. Change in Payment Method for Band Expenses:** Please look for and read the important email sent to all band families on Sept. 17th, 2022 from the Charms office re the change in how to make payments into your student's band account.

- C. Fair Share Payments:** Fair share payments are an important part of how the band program is funded (see Slide Show from Open House for info about this important funding). It is essential for all students to make their Fair Share payment by 9/20. Here are the details:

- Intermediate and Concert Band Students: \$50
- Symphonic Band Students: \$150
- If there is more than one sibling in a family, the first sibling pays the full (higher amount if applicable) cost, and the second and subsequent siblings pay HALF their individual costs each.
- Students in multiple bands pay only the Symphonic Band cost.
- Please speak with Mrs. Colburn if this payment is difficult for your family.
- As specified in the Slide show, payments can be made as follows:
 - Paypal - Paid into your student's Charms account. **Please refer to Sept. 17th email for updated payment method.** OR
 - By Check made out to LRHS Bands Club; This check should be placed in the Lockbox in the band room. OR
 - By check - Mail the check to: Emily Asby - 6508 Vosburg Drive, Raleigh NC 27617

- D. [Symphonic Band Uniform Care and Maintenance Information](#)**

- E. Snack donations for Band Competitions** - A Sign-up Genius has been created by the Hospitality Committee for families to donate snacks for our competition days.

Please see email from 09/19 for details. Here is the link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f044dacao2fa7f49-20224>

- F. Google Classroom** – We will use this throughout the semester to turn in assignments as well as distribute forms and documents. Below are the registration codes for each ensemble:

- For Symphonic Band – **fqwq3ii**
- For Concert Band – **7p4fts4**
- For Intermediate Band – **sgo3ggt**

- G. Remind** – this service can either be sent through text, on the Remind App, or through email. To sign up, you need to text the number **81010** and in the message type the code below for your class.

- For Symphonic Band type: **@lrhssb1**

- For Concert Band type: @lrhscb
- For Intermediate Band type: @lrhsib

Colleges:

A. UNC Marching Tar Heels - Honors Marching Band - Nov. 19th:



B. UNCW Honor Band - Dec. 8-10th:

If you would like to be nominated to attend, you must be either in Concert or Symphonic band. You also will need to provide your own transportation and housing. This is NOT a field Trip. Please contact Mrs. Colburn if you are interested.

C. ECU Music Student for the Day: [See this Flyer](#)

D. Oboe/Bassoon Day at UNCSCA:

Welcome back to school! We are excited to get started at UNCSCA, after two and half months of summer festivals, music camps and IDRS. We hope it was a good and safe summer, and that you are enjoying new challenges, friends and inspiration. We are thrilled to introduce [Dr. Stephanie Patterson](#), our new Associate Professor of Bassoon. Dr. Patterson is a passionate and devoted educator and performing artist and we are excited to have her joining the double reed team at UNCSCA!

In celebration, we are planning a very special [Double Reed Day at UNCSCA](#) and **you are invited!**

The event is **Saturday, October 15, 2022**, and feature performances by oboists and bassoonists from across the state of North Carolina. Each participant will get to perform in a chamber ensemble, attend classes on instrument maintenance, repair, and reed making. You will have the opportunity to meet each of us personally, hear us play and get to know our teaching philosophies. **Registration deadline is September 30**

Be sure to [register by September 30](#) to receive chamber ensemble music ahead of time. Students attending Double Reed Day will also receive a Double Reed Day t-shirt, lunch and two complimentary tickets to that evening's [UNCSCA Nu Ensemble performance](#). We have many exciting events coming up this year for UNCSCA Double Reeds. Follow UNCSCA Oboes on [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#) and UNCSCA Bassoons on [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#) to stay up-to-date with our events and performances. If you would like to attend any of these events, please email us.

