



EASTERN YORK MARCHING KNIGHTS - BAND NOTES

JUL. 3 - JUL. 9

(Performance Day schedules are subject to change)

REHEARSALS AND PERFORMANCES:

NO REHEARSAL

BAND NOTES AND REMINDERS:

- **HOME SHOW PROGRAM** - Access the sales forms [HERE](#) (no.14 & 15). **SIGN UP FOR AD SALES - SELECT THE BUSINESSES YOU'LL CONTACT** - Click [HERE](#) to access a sign-up form to let us know what businesses you plan to contact so we don't have multiple people going to the same place. You can add businesses at the bottom of the list. Learn about the home show [HERE](#).
- **BAND ALUMNI VOTING** - Check out this [LINK](#) to vote for alumni MJ Music to receive a scholarship to help pay for the costs related to joining a drum corps.
- **JERSEY SURF** - Will be staying at EYMS the week of July 10th and will hopefully have an exhibition performance on July 14th around 7PM in the HS stadium that is open to the public.
- **STUDENT HELP DAYS** - We need extra help to take care of tasks around the band room. We'll work from 10 to 4 on: 6/28, 7/10 & 7/12 (changed not 7/11) If you are able to help, send Mr. G an email with the days and times you would like to help.
- **ADDITIONAL PLAYERS** - We are looking for additional folks (wind player and color guard) to fill two spots in the drill. The wind player doesn't necessarily need to have a musical background, just a good attitude and willingness to learn to march.
- **PAYMENTS DUE** - Be sure to turn in the payments listed below by the due date:
 - General Orders - Shoes, Gloves, Lyre, Guard Costume Fee - **Due July 17** - Checks payable to [Eastern York Band](#)
 - Booster Expense Fee - \$80.00 - **Due July 10** - Checks payable to [Eastern York Band Boosters](#)
 - We can now accept online payments for the \$80.00 band fee, just follow this [LINK](#) to the band booster's online payment portal.
- **FORM TURN-IN** - Be sure to turn in the Handbook Contract & Schedule Agreement (Yellow) & Health Form (Dark Pink)
 - Order Forms (Green) & Absence Form (Blue) - *if necessary*, Universal Participation Agreement - *if interested/necessary* (Pink)
- **WATER & SNACK DONATIONS** - We are seeking donations of breakfast and lunch snacks for band camp. We received a generous donation of water, but could still use more. Place items outside the door to Mr. Gromis's office.
- **YORK YOUTH & JUNIOR YOUTH SYMPHONY** - For those interested in auditioning for the [Youth Symphony](#) or [Junior Youth Symphony](#), follow the links to learn more.
- **UNIVERSAL** - We are collecting participation forms but there is plenty of time to decide. A meeting will be scheduled closer to the beginning of the school year to review the trip and answer any questions you might have.
- **BOOSTER MEETING** - There is no booster mtg in July. Our next mtg is on 8/21/23 - Check [HERE](#) for our 23-24 mtg calendar.
- **VOLUNTEERS** - New volunteers should look [HERE](#) on the district website and fill out [THIS FORM](#). *Band is a co-curricular activity.*
 - IF YOU ARE A **RETURNING VOLUNTEER**, YOU NEED TO BE RE-APPROVED EACH YEAR, SIMPLY FILL OUT [THIS ONLINE FORM](#).
- **ATTENDANCE** - Attendance is important for the band's success. Turn in an [ABSENCE FORM](#) if you will be away.
 - Turn in absence forms at least 2 weeks in advance. If you're in town you are expected to be here. Work is not an excused absence.
 - Reasons for APPROVED ABSENCES can be found on page 17 of the [HANDBOOK](#).
 - If you are part of a sport in the fall, please be sure to get your schedule to Mr. G ASAP.

NOTE: Schedule exceptions in the fall are only for EYSD Sports & co-curricular activities and special circumstances approved by Mr. G.

- **BAND CAMP 2024** - The dates are ALREADY out for band camp next year - 7/22 to 7/26 and 7/29 to 8/2.

NOTES FOR LATER:

- Next Rehearsal: Full Band Rehearsal: July 10, 11, & 12 (5PM to 8PM)
- Check the [Website](#) for updates and downloads.