



Quick View of the Upcoming Events and Deadlines -scroll down for more details:

- Consider volunteering to help out the Marching Band this season: [2024 Band Competitions, Football Games, & Parade Sign Up](#)
- Formalwear fittings will take place during school September 12th, and payments are due September 20th.
- We need your help to make the Mattress Sale a success! Please sign up here: [2024 Mattress Sale Sign Up](#). Everything from driving yard signs around, donating breakfast, to assisting with day-of activities! Students AND parents can sign up- volunteer hours go towards NHS and Key Club for the students!
- Check out and share amazing pictures from the Marching Band Season: [2024 Marching Band Season](#). Please keep submitting your pictures. These are fantastic!!!!
- Don't forget you have to register to volunteer with WCPSS: [WCPSS Online Volunteer Registration](#)

****ALL BANDS HAPPENINGS ****

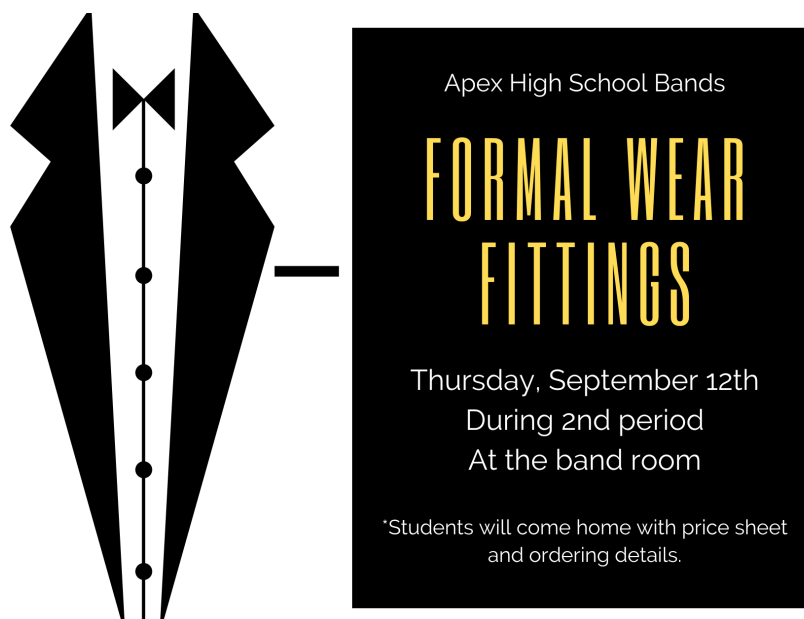
Mark Your **CALENDAR**

- **Thurs, Sept 12:** Formalwear Fittings during school
- **Sat, Sept 14,** 10am-4pm: Mattress Sale
- **Tues, Sept 24,** 7-8:30pm: Apex Band Boosters/Board Meeting
- **Fri, Sept 20,** Formalwear payments due
- **Fri, Sept 20,** 7pm-10pm: Football Game
- **Mon, Sept 23,** 6:30: Wind Ensemble Concert with Middle Schools
- **Fri, Sept 27:** Homecoming Parade/Football Game/BOCO
- **Fri, October 11:** Stadium Night (tentative)

- **Sat, Oct 12:** Picture Day & Rolesville Competition
- **Fri, Oct 18:** Middle School Night/Football Game
- **Sat, Oct 19:** Western Alamance Competition
- **Tues, Oct 22, 7-8:30pm:** Apex Band Boosters/Board Meeting
- **Sat, Oct 26:** NW Guilford Competition
- **Fri, Nov 1:** Senior Night/Football Game
- **Thurs, Nov 7:** 7-9pm: Fall Band Concert

❖ When school starts, practices and leadership meetings continue after school- Days and times posted in the [calendar](#)

****ACADEMIC BAND HAPPENINGS****



CONCERT ATTIRE FITTINGS COMING SOON!

Dress and Tuxedo fittings are scheduled for Thursday, September 12, 2024.

NEW ACADEMIC BAND STUDENTS: Measurements will be taken during 2nd and 3rd periods. Anyone with band 1st or 4th period who needs to be measured should come to the band room at the beginning of 1st lunch to be measured quickly. (Band students beginning in the 2nd semester will be fit in the spring.)

RETURNING ACADEMIC BAND STUDENTS: Try on your formalwear to see if it fits! If new items are needed, please purchase them through the band store (items will be available beginning Tuesday, September 3rd) & email formalwear@apexhighband.org with the student's name, band class period, what item(s) they need to order, and if any of the items require them to be measured. If they are not in 2nd or 3rd period band classes, they need to come to the band room to be measured during 1st lunch.

Dress and Tuxedo payments are due in apexhighband.org by Friday, September 20th. (But if possible, please pay ASAP.)

A specific pricing sheet will be sent home with each student after their measurements are taken; however, if you are new to band this year and already know your student will need a full tux or dress, you may go ahead and make that payment beginning Tuesday. Same for specific items - if you know your student needs a new bowtie, for example, you may go ahead and purchase.

We order the dresses from an out-of-state vendor. The dresses are all black, floor-length, and unhemmed. The student is responsible for having the dress hemmed to the correct length. Black shoes should be worn with the dress. The dress cost is \$75 for sizes 0-16 and \$85 for sizes 18+ &/or tall.

We order the tuxedo from a local store (Savvi Formalwear). The full tux costs \$198. Savvi will give free alterations in their store for sleeve and pant lengths for the duration of time the original owner has the tux while in high school. The in-store alteration takes about 30 minutes, when needed. The tux comes with a coat, shirt, bow tie, cummerbund, and slacks. Black shoes should be worn with the tuxes (marchers may wear their Dinkles).

Adults available during the school day to help take and record measurements, please email formalwear@apexhighband.org to volunteer!

****MARCHING BAND HAPPENINGS****



Football/Competitions/Christmas Parade Volunteer Sign Up is OPEN!

Sign up for competitions, football games and the Christmas parade here!

Sign up for as many as you want!

[2024 Band Competitions, Football Games, and Parade Volunteer SignUp](#)



We need your artistic talents to bring our marching band's props to life for this season's performances. Join us for a fun painting session where we'll transform plain props into eye-catching pieces that will stun the audience. Whether you're a seasoned painter or just love to get creative, your contribution will make a huge difference. Let's come together, share some laughs, and create something truly spectacular for our band. We will have a painting session on September 14, at 9:00am. See you there!

🎨 Email each out to props@apexhighband.org for any questions!



The Band Boosters are reaching out to the AHS Band family for donations of cases of bottled water and individually wrapped snacks. Marching band requires a great deal of dedication, discipline, and tons of practice from all our band members. Please consider donating any of the following items:

Snack Donations: chips, pretzels, and fruit snacks would be great. Please avoid sending any nuts due to potential allergies. These snacks will provide a boost of energy during those breaks during games and competitions.

Bottles of Water: Hydration is key, especially during the late summer heat. The band will start performing earlier this year in comparison to most years, so the heat will play a factor in the performances. The donation of bottled water will ensure band members stay hydrated throughout the competitions and games.

****FUNDRAISING****



A Fundraiser That Supports Apex High School

AND Your Back

The Band Hosts 10th Annual Mattress Fundraiser

We need your help to make this fundraiser a success!

If you are available to volunteer, please sign up here:

[2024 Mattress Sale Volunteer SignUp](#)

APEX, NC - If you are looking to replace a bed in your home, now is the time. Apex High School Band is excited to announce they will be hosting their 10th Annual one-day Mattress Fundraiser on Saturday, September 14th, from 10am-4pm. For one day only, the High School will be transformed into a mattress showroom. For information about the sale, go to: [Apex High Band Mattress Fundraiser](#).

There will be 25+ different mattress styles on display in all sizes for customers to try, priced below retail. Adjustable power bases, premium pillows, bed frames, and mattress protectors will be available as well. The

brands include Simmons Beautyrest (and more), come with full factory warranties, are made to order, and will be available 2-3 weeks after the fundraiser. Delivery is available. Best of all, the Apex High School Band benefits from every purchase.

The company, Custom Fundraising Solutions (CFS) first introduced The Mattress Fundraiser to the Cleveland, Ohio market in 2005. The company now has over 100 locations and works with more than 2,000 schools nationwide. The unique business model helps schools raise thousands of dollars in just one day, and to date, the company has given back over \$40 million.

What: 8th Annual Apex High School Band Mattress Fundraiser

Where: Apex High School

When: Saturday, September 14th, 10am-4pm

Link: [Apex High Band Mattress Fundraiser](#)

Visit our Facebook event - click "GOING", INVITE YOUR FRIENDS! SHARE OUR POSTS! [FACEBOOK LINK](#)

Check out this video about our fundraiser! [VIDEO LINK](#)

Grab this flier for yourself and share with your friends to [receive a set of free sheets for every mattress!](#)

Faculty and staff, you deserve a break! Check out this [flier for discounts and specials just for you!](#)

Contact clint.stovall@cfsbeds.com or call 919-215-9796 for more information.



It's GoPlaySave Time!

Apex High Bands are selling GoPlaySave paper and mobile coupon books this year. Paper books sell for \$35 and mobile books sell for \$30. GPS is filled with tons of great offers in the Greater Raleigh/Wake County area, Durham/Chapel Hill, and surrounding areas. The books don't expire until Nov. 30, 2025. Double your coupon savings and order a bundle combination of a paper and mobile book for only \$50!

The GoPlaySave Sale runs through Friday, September 27th. Once school starts, books will be available for checkout on Thursdays after the conclusion of band practice (look for GoPlaySave sign). Any orders may also be turned in at this time. Need books or want to turn in orders on a different day? Just email goplaysave@apexhigband.org to set up a time.

[List of participating stores!](#)

If you're ready to purchase and use your coupons now or start selling to others, our system is live now for online ordering. Simply click the link to our fundraiser page:

www.goplaysavetriangle.com/AHSB2025

1. Click the **green button** to set up your child's storefront link to purchase the mobile book to be used right away and/or preorder a paper book to pick up when school starts! You can send your child's storefront link to friends, family, neighbors and co-workers.
2. Click the **blue button** to flip through the paper book digitally.
3. Click the **red button** to see a short video showing how the mobile book works.

***As an added bonus- anyone ordering a 2025 paper, mobile book, or bundle online through our custom link, will get a free 2024 mobile book free! (2024 book coupons are good thru 11/30/2024)**

Students earn funds for their student account for each book sold. These funds can be used to offset band related expenses (fees, spirit wear, band trips, etc). Each paper and mobile book sold earns \$10 and each bundle sold earns \$16 for the student's account.

Any Questions? Contact Tammy Platts goplaysave@apexhighband.org



**The demand for these Tidal Wave Car Wash tickets is huge.
10 Left in our [Online Store](#)! Get yours before they are gone...**

Tidal Wave Car Wash Fundraiser, \$30 wash for ONLY \$10, - Back by popular demand for the start of school. Pull up to AHS with a sparkling clean ride on the first day of school. You pay \$10 for a car wash coupon which is good for a \$30 car wash at Tidal Wave and Apex Band earns \$5 from every ticket sold!

Tickets are valid for a year.

[Tidal Wave Auto Spa in Apex](#) is located at [1950 Lake Pine Dr](#) in Apex, near the Wendy's off Hwy 64.

You can use your ticket any time Tidal Wave is open. You scan your ticket upon arrival and drive through the car wash tunnel. There are free self service vacuums, spray cleaner and microfiber towels to use after the car wash so the inside of your car can look as great as the outside!

Purchase tickets through our [Online Store](#) now!

Contact Erik Pulkka at carwash@apexhighband.org with any questions.



**NEW FUNDRAISER
for the APEX HIGH SCHOOL BANDS!!!**

Get your trash cans cleaned while giving back to our bands! Our goal is to get at least 50 AHS households signed up. Let's go AHS Band Families

25% of "one time" cleaning and 35% of monthly/bi-monthly or quarterly cleanings donated to our program!

Use this QR code to
link to our fundraiser and let them know
you are supporting AHS Bands.



Or visit this link:

<https://grimeguardians.iserviceroutes.com/Apexhsband/pricing.html>

About Grime Guardians

Co-owned by Bill and Justin, Grime Guardians is a service-disabled, veteran-owned business. With a combined 54 years of service to our country, we have found another way to give back to our community! We offer residential and commercial cleaning of trash cans and dumpsters as well as pressure washing services. Our specially designed trailer will clean, disinfect and sanitize your trash cans and leave them smelling fresh and clean. Let us take care of the dirty work and protect your family from disease and the pests that cause disease.

[AHSMB Grime Guardians Fundraiser Flyer](#)

All funds raised will go to our Band's General Funds to help offset expenses.

Reach out to our Erin Frost at fundraising@apexhighband.org with questions!



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Every little bit helps!!
Relink your VIC card THIS MONTH
Code is 6089

Harris Teeter VIC Cards - Relink your Harris Teeter VIC Card to Apex High School **BAND BOOSTERS** starting August 1 each year. The Apex Band Boosters will receive an annual donation based on the total purchases made with all of the linked cards. In addition to purchasing HT brands, including HT Traders, Farmers Market and Harris Teeter Organics products, the band will also earn money when you use your VIC card when filling prescriptions at local Harris Teeter pharmacies. You can relink [online](#) or at any HT cashier/service desk using **code 6089**.

- Log into harristeeter.com
- Click on "My Account" on the right side top menu
- Click on "My Account" in the drop down menu
- Scroll to the bottom and find "Together in Education"
- Type **6089** in the School Search bar
- Click on "6089-APEX HIGH SCHOOL BAND BOOSTERS"
- You are supporting the band by buying groceries!

Side note: if you've ever linked your card to the AHS Band Boosters before, you can scroll all the way down, and click "relink" from the "Previous Schools" list instead of doing the search. Super easy!



- 2024-25 Marching Band - <https://photos.app.goo.gl/NQVy6ADXMbbj1SE66>
- 2024-25 Academic Band - <https://photos.app.goo.gl/68NLGDr4ppLRWfmdA>

Ongoing Fundraisers - Click [THIS LINK](#) for more information on:

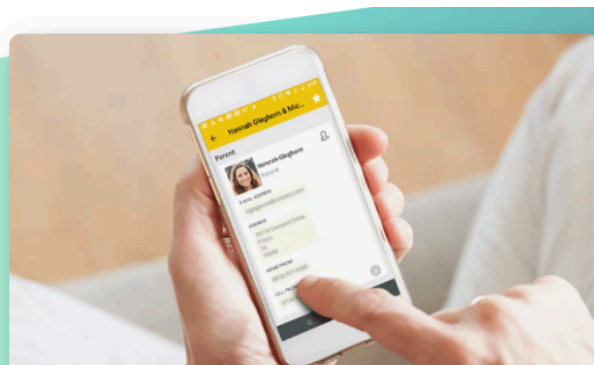
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Mobile App

Our mobile app may be the very best way to use Membership Toolkit! It's fast with **instant access to key features such as the directory, communications, calendar, volunteer signups, store, and more.**



Signing up for the Membership Toolkit app is a seamless process designed to streamline your experience with the Apex High Marching Band. To begin, download the app from your preferred app store and open it. You'll be prompted to create or sign in with your MembershipToolkit account.. After verifying your email, you can log in and customize your profile, including adding family members if applicable. The app's intuitive interface makes it easy to manage your memberships, access important documents, communicate with other members, and stay updated on events and volunteer opportunities. With Membership Toolkit, staying connected and engaged with AHS Marching Band has never been more convenient.



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