



EASTERN YORK MARCHING KNIGHTS - BAND NOTES

SEPT. 25 - OCT. 1

(Performance Day schedules are subject to change)

REHEARSALS AND PERFORMANCES:

Mon.	9/25	Sectional	Report 2:50 – Rehearsal 3:00PM-5:45PM (Winds & Drumline)	
Mon.	9/25	Sectional	Report 5:50 – Rehearsal 6:00PM-8:45PM (Color Guard)	
Tues.	9/26	Sectional	Report 5:50 – Rehearsal 6:00PM-8:45PM (Pit Percussion)	
Wed.	9/27	Rehearsal	Report 5:50 – Rehearsal 6:00PM-8:45PM (Full Band)	
Fri.	9/29	Football AWAY vs. West York (Starts at 7:00PM – Perform Halftime)		
		(Mr. Gromis will stay after school)		
		Call Time	3:45PM	
		Parent Asst.	4:00PM	
		Change	4:15PM	
		Depart	4:45PM	
		Perform	Halftime	
		Approx. End	10:00PM	
Sat.	9/30	Competition @ EASTERN YORK - HOME SHOW (Show Start - 6:00PM)		
		<u>REHEARSAL:</u>	<u>SHOW:</u>	
		Call Time	11:00AM	Arrive/Change 7:20PM
		Final Show Run	2:15PM	Warm-up 7:50PM
		Rehearsal Ends	2:30PM*	Pit to Gate 9:10PM
		*Head home until call time or help set up.		Band to Gate 9:15PM
				EY Performance 9:30PM
				Awards 10:00PM

BAND NOTES AND REMINDERS:

- **UNIVERSAL -**
 - **FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY** - Click [HERE](#) to learn more about a program to help students raise money via working in the school store. Earn up to \$100 toward your trip!
 - Please turn in your participation contract before the first payment is due on 10/20
 - **PARTICIPATION FORMS** - Click [HERE](#) for more information and forms for our Universal trip.
- **OCTOBER 7 CHANGE** - We are changing the rehearsal originally scheduled for 10/7 into a competition. Our competition will be at Exeter High School
- **HOME SHOW INFORMATION -**
 - **EARLY BIRD TICKET SALES** - Click [HERE](#) to access our ticket order portal. There is a discount for early bird orders!
 - **HOME SHOW - WHAT IS IT?** - Learn more about the show and some of the volunteer opportunities available [HERE](#).
 - **DONATIONS** - We are seeking food donations for the home show. Sign up [HERE](#).
 - **VOLUNTEERS** - To Volunteer at the Home Show click [HERE](#). - **WE ARE IN CRITICAL NEED OF VOLUNTEERS! NOT ALL POSITIONS REQUIRE CLEARANCES.**
- **FAN GEAR - SECOND ROUND** - Order forms are available [HERE](#) or in the band room. Orders are due 9/25
- **DONATION CHALLENGE** - YOU DID IT! Congratulations - The band will receive a reward party in the near future!
- **GAME DAY MEALS** - *Concessions Stands can be unreliable for selection, cost, and wait time! You should not depend on concession stands for your meal!*
 - Friday Meal - ready in the PAC Con. Stand 1 hour before call. The meal includes a sandwich, fruit, chips, & water for \$6. Orders and payments need to be submitted by 6pm on the Tues before the game. To order, go to [THIS FROM](#).



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- **SEASON EVENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** - We have events that we need help with! Sign-up [HERE](#). Click [HERE](#) to learn more about the jobs that we need help with. Click [HERE](#) for more info. about volunteering at Eastern York.
- **2023 SENIORS - SENIOR NIGHT IS 10/6** - Fill out [THIS FORM](#) for senior night.
- **ELIGIBILITY** - Keep up with your school work and grades. Members must maintain a grade of 65% or higher in all classes. More info. Can be found [HERE](#) on the EYSD co-curricular code of conduct.
- **TRAVEL RELEASE** - If students would like to be driven home separately from band events they must complete an EYSD [travel release form](#) and turn it in prior to the event.
- **ATTENDANCE** - Attendance is important for the band's success. Turn in an [ABSENCE FORM](#) if you will be away.
 - **REHEARSALS ARE EXTREMELY CHALLENGING WHEN STUDENTS ARE NOT PRESENT. LETTING US KNOW ABOUT PLANNED ABSENCES IS VERY IMPORTANT SO WE CAN PREPARE FOR REHEARSALS,** We've lost a lot of rehearsal time dealing with holes on the field and then re-teaching material that was missed.
 - Turn in absence forms 2 weeks in advance. If you're in town you're expected to be here. Work is not an excused abs.
 - *NOTE: Late absence forms (i.e. within the 2 week window) for planned events will be considered unexcused, but the form should still be turned in to assist when staff consider repercussions.*
 - If you miss a rehearsal due to illness please email Mr. G & Mr. Lacy. AN **ABSENCE FORM** IS STILL REQUIRED WHEN YOU RETURN FOR THE ABSENCE TO BE CONSIDERED EXCUSED.
 - Reasons for APPROVED ABSENCES are on pg.17 of the [HANDBOOK](#). If you're part of a sport, be sure to get your sched. to Mr. G. Please also find information about repercussions for unexcused absences on Appendix A of the [HANDBOOK](#).

NOTES FOR LATER:

- Next Rehearsal:
 - Full Band Rehearsal - 10/2 (3PM to 5:45PM)
 - Full Band Rehearsal - 10/4 (6PM to 8:45PM)
 - Guard & Perc. Sectional - 10/7 (11AM to 12:30PM)
 - Full Band Rehearsal - 10/7 (1PM to 5PM)
- Next Performance: Home vs. Dover 10/6
- Check the [Website](#) for updates and downloads.