



Mighty Mule Band Newsletter

October 5, 2025

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Announcements:

- We had a super 6th game on Friday, with the band performing their entire contest show for the first time. We're excited to see the students continually improving, and working each day to put together a truly special program. Major thanks to everyone who came out to cheer us on, and especially to the parents who volunteered before, during, and after the game. Teamwork makes the dream work!
- We had our first contest of the season on Saturday at Davenport High School for the US Bands Contest. The band performed strongly in prelims despite the heat and advanced to the finals round. During "golden hour" in finals, our students gave a fantastic performance that we are incredibly proud of! Their progress and continual improvement are showing each week. Looking forward to seeing them shine again at our next contest this weekend! [Prelims](#) and [Finals](#) performances, in case you couldn't make it.

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- Volunteers: your continuous help throughout the entire day from breakfast, loading, chaperoning, props, dinner, snacks, etc. really made this a great day for the students. My sincere appreciation.
 - As we get busier, please encourage your students to keep up with their grades- the next eligibility check is on Wednesday, 10/15/25. We need all students passing to be at our strongest!
 - Away game on Friday, 10/10 vs. Victoria West. Note: no school that day. [Itinerary](#)
 - Next Saturday, 10/11, is our second contest, at Canyon High School. [*Itinerary*](#) Hope to see you there!
 - Please take a moment to vote for us for the Thursday Night Lights contest! [TNL grant vote](#)
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- Senior night, 10/17:

Mighty Mule Band Senior Parents,

We are excited to honor you and your student tonight before the football game. Here are some details:

- You must purchase a ticket to the game
- Please arrive on the track by 6:00pm to meet your child.
- You and your child will get in order by the student's last name
- The ceremony begins at 6:15pm
- We will line you up on the sideline and when your name is called, you will walk along the sideline and pause at the 50 yard line for a picture.
- We will take a full senior and parents picture after the ceremony.
- Please fill out [this form](#) for our 10/17 senior night if you'd like to participate.

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- [Signup Genius link](#) for various events- more volunteer spots added and needed for events! Thank you again!
 - Happy Band-tober! Please see below schedules for several contests- it is important we have every band student available at all contests. More info on each of the contests:
 - October 11th: Comal Classic Contest, Canyon HS- New Braunfels. [*Tentative itinerary*](#)
 - October 18th: UIL Region Marching Contest, Heroes stadium. [*Tentative itinerary*](#) If we earn a Superior Rating, we will advance to the Area Marching Contest on 11/1/25.
 - November 1st: UIL Area Marching Contest, “The Pfield”, Pflugerville. All day commitment. Early performance time is likely. This is also a prelims/finals contest and we hope to perform again at the finals round.
 - Please check the [Mighty Mule Band Calendar](#) for rehearsals, football games, marching contests, and other important dates. (Tap “Add to Google Calendar” to save in your own calendar app)

Band Association update:

Hi Band Family!

WOW! Just WOW! That’s all I can say as I sit inside the AC in Davenport’s cafeteria after the first performance at 2pm. As a parent, it just makes my heart swell with joy to see our kids killing it at something they have practiced so hard to achieve. AND IN THIS HEAT!

THANK YOU to everyone who has volunteered their time, effort, expertise, know-how, donations, support, and love to our Mighty Mule Band.

That being said - WE NEED VOLUNTEERS - we cannot do it without you. Volunteers are needed for games and upcoming competitions.

Please sign up here: → → [Signup Genius](#). ← ←



Here is a breakdown to illustrate why we need so many volunteers. We need:

- 16 people for Front Props
- 20 people for Filed Props
- 2 people for the mixer
- 4 people for the speakers
- 5 people for the drum major stands
- 10 people for front ensemble

Minimum of 57 volunteers!!!



Currently, we only have 20 volunteers signed up for next Saturday, October 11th.

SNACK DONATIONS NEEDED:

Additionally, we need water, Gatorade, and snack donations. Yes, we asked for donations in the summer, but we are asking again! Thank you!

THANK YOU!



Cadee Wilson,
AHBA President

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10/6 week

6	OCT, MON	● 6:45 – 8:15am	Full Marching Rehearsal
7	OCT, TUE	● 6:45 – 8:15am	Full Marching Rehearsal
8	OCT, WED	● 6:45 – 10:30am ● 6:45 – 8:15am ● 4:30 – 6pm	Mr. Vollmar clinic (Alamo Heights) Full Marching Rehearsal (MMB t's) Jazz Band Rehearsal
9	OCT, THU	● 6:45 – 8:15am	Full Marching Rehearsal
10	OCT, FRI	● All day ● 2:30pm – 12am	Student Holiday Football Game @ Victoria West Victoria
11	OCT, SAT	● 10:30am – 6pm	Comal Classic Marching Contest (Canyon HS, 2:45pm performance) Canyon High School

10/13 week

13	OCT, MON	● All day ● 5 – 8pm	School Holiday Full Marching Rehearsal
14	OCT, TUE	● 6:45 – 8:15am	Full Marching Rehearsal
15	OCT, WED	● All day ● 6:45 – 8:15am ● 3 – 9pm	End of 1st 9-weeks Full Marching Rehearsal Howdy Night
16	OCT, THU	● All day ● 6:45 – 8:15am ● 8:15 – 10am	Beginning of 2nd 9-weeks Full Marching Rehearsal AHJS Pep Rally (full band- polos/jeans)
17	OCT, FRI	● 6:45 – 8:15am ● 6 – 6:30pm ● 7 – 10:30pm	Full Marching Rehearsal Senior Night- band, dance, JROTC pregame Homecoming Football Game vs. Veteran's Memorial HS Harry B Orem Stadium
18	OCT, SAT	● 6:30 – 11:30am	UIL Region Marching Contest (Heroes stadium, 9:30am performance)

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10/20 week

20	OCT, MON	● 6:45 – 8:15am	Full Marching Rehearsal
21	OCT, TUE	● 6:45 – 8:15am	Full Marching Rehearsal
22	OCT, WED	● 6:45 – 8:15am	Full Marching Rehearsal
		● 4:30 – 6pm	Jazz Band Rehearsal
23	OCT, THU	● 6:45 – 8:15am	Full Marching Rehearsal
24	OCT, FRI	● 6:45 – 8:15am	Full Marching Rehearsal
		● 7 – 10:30pm	Football Game @ McCollum HS Harlandale Memorial Stadium