

Newsletter 9/15 - 9/18

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NBMS Band Newsletter

Sept. 15 - Sept. 19

Important Information

Reed Instrument Reminder

If your student plays the **Oboe, Bassoon, Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, or Saxophone**, please make sure they have **reeds** by Monday. The band is **not able to provide reeds** at this time. Our budget does not open until **September 1st**, so we are unable to purchase reeds until then. While we do keep a small emergency supply on hand, it is expected that students provide their own reeds for regular use.

Fan Pledge Fundraiser

Wednesday, Sept. 24th 4:00pm - 6:00pm

Students will need to stay after school for the Fan-Pledge kick off.

Specific information will come home with your student in the next week.

8th Grade Band Night Supplies

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- **Percussion students** only need to purchase a **flip folder**.



Beginning Band

Upcoming Assignments:

9/19 Beginning Trumpet, Horn, Tuba, Clarinet, Bassoon
Line 3.9 Hot Cross Buns

9/19 Beginner Trombone, Baritone, Flute
First 5 notes

Students should be bringing their instrument home on a regular basis now. We are looking for a 10-15 minutes of regular practice.

Concert Band

Upcoming Assignments:

Assignment 1.6 Concert C Major Scale

Fall Sectionals are optional for Concert Band unless you are planning to audition for Region Band.

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Wednesday Morning (7:30 AM – 8:00 AM) Bass Clarinet

Monday After School (4:00 PM – 5:00 PM) French Horn & Flute

Tuesday After School (4:00 PM – 5:00 PM) Tuba & Clarinet

Wednesday After School (4:00 PM – 5:00 PM) Oboe

Thursday After School (4:00 PM – 5:00 PM) Trumpet & Saxophone

Friday After School (4:00 PM – 5:00 PM) Trombone/Baritone & Bassoon

Optional Event:

Region Band Cram Jam

Wednesday Oct. 1st

4:20pm - 7:20pm @ LBMS

Dinner will be provided.

Symphonic Band

Upcoming Assignment:

9/19 Concert C Scale and Region Assignment #5

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Wind Ensemble

Upcoming Assignment:

9/19 Region Assignment #5

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Sectional Schedule:

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Wednesday After School (4:00 PM – 5:00 PM) Oboe

Thursday After School (4:00 PM – 5:00 PM) Trumpet & Saxophone

Friday After School (4:00 PM – 5:00 PM) Trombone/Baritone & Bassoon

Please make sure your student has their supplies everyday for class. If your student needs a tuner/metronome, I have a limited supply for sale at \$30.

Required Event:

Region Band Cram Jam

Wednesday Oct. 1st

4:20pm - 7:20pm @ LBMS

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Important Dates



Mark Your Calendars

September

- **9/24 Fan-Pledge Fundraiser (DATE CHANGE)**
- 9/26 8th Grade Band Night with LBHS

October

- 10/1 Region Band Cram Jam
- 10/16 Beginner Sit In Concert
- 10/?? Fan-Pledge Movie Night

November

- 11/6 Beginning Band Rehearsal 4:00pm - 5:30pm
- 11/8 Region Band Auditions
- 11/13 Beginning Band Rehearsal 4:00pm - 5:30pm
- 11/15 Region Band Clinic and Concert
- 11/20 Beginning Band Rehearsal 4:00pm - 5:30pm

December

- 12/4 Winter Concert 6:00pm @ LBHS
- 12/9 Jazz Winter Concert
- 12/12 Winter Holiday Tour
- 12/19 Spare Time Social

Meet The Directors



Dane Wurman

Director of Bands
North Belton Middle School

Mr. Wurman is starting his nineteenth year of teaching and his twelfth year at North Belton Middle School. He teaches the Wind Ensemble, as well as the beginner trumpet, horn, and tuba classes. Mr. Wurman also assists with the Symphonic Band.

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Kaitlyn Pineiro

Assistant Band Director
North Belton Middle School

Ms. Pineiro is starting her fourteenth year of teaching and her seventh year at North Belton Middle School. She teaches the Symphonic and Concert Bands, as well as the beginner flute, oboe, bassoon, and clarinet classes. Ms. Pineiro also assists with the Wind Ensemble.

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Matthew Vaadi

Assistant Band Director
North Belton Middle School

Mr. Vaadi is starting his ninth year of teaching and his first year at North Belton Middle School. He teaches the Concert Bands, as well as the beginner trombone, and baritone classes.

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Jacob Guerrero

Assistant Band Director
Lake Belton High School
North Belton Middle School

Mr. Guerrero is starting his sixth year of teaching. He is one of the Assistant Band Directors at Lake Belton High School. Mr. Guerrero teaches the Jazz Band and the beginner saxophone classes here at North Belton Middle School. He also assists with the Concert Band.

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Craig George

Percussion Director
Assistant Band Director
Lake Belton High School

Mr. George is starting his twenty-first year teaching public school and his sixth year in Belton ISD. He is one of the Assistant Band Directors at Lake Belton High School and teaches percussion at both North Belton and Lake Belton Middle Schools.

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Student Achievements

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