

Dear Band Parent,

Once again it is time to prepare for the upcoming marching band season. We are planning a very exciting show for next year and anticipate our largest band ever! This letter is to inform you of the schedule of events for the season and to collect the necessary fees to run your band program.

**THE BAND FEE IS \$475.00. ALL FEES ARE DUE FRIDAY, MAY 12, 2017.**

The breakdown of the fees is as follows:

\$180.00 Band Show Fee – Covers the cost of the marching show design, arrangements, and printing.

\$130.00 Band Staff Fee – Covers the salaries of our staff during the season.

\$100.00 Band Camp Fee – Covers the salaries of our summer staff.

\$50.00 Uniform Fee – Covers uniform use, cleaning and band shoes.

\$15.00 Band Shirts Fee – Covers the cost of the band’s theme T-shirt.

**2 students in band \$425.00 each 3 students in band \$400.00 each.**

**I want to remind you that NO ONE has ever been excluded from participating in the Floyd Central Band solely because of financial hardships.** Please contact us *immediately* if you have *any* problems meeting your child’s financial obligations.

**Every marching band show depends upon the exact numbers of band members remaining constant. Please keep your child’s commitment.**

Most of the band fees are spent in your child’s behalf well before the first marching band performance. If a student drops the following refunds are made:

Before June 1: \$315.00 – The Show will have already been designed and written.

After June 1 until July 20: \$200.00 – All show, camp and shirt fees will have been spent.

After July 20 until July 29: \$150.00 – All of the above plus, shoes and uniform fees will have been spent.

After August 1: \$25.00

**ALL STUDENTS MUST ATTEND BAND CAMP.**

***Each member must attend 4 Mini-Camp rehearsals and ALL of Band Camp.***

Band Camp Dates are July 17 – 21 from 8:30 AM until 6:00 PM and July 24 & 25 from 5:00 PM until 9:00 PM.

A complete calendar is included with this letter. Please familiarize yourself with the dates listed.

**Every date on the calendar is REQUIRED.** There will be a extended break included during the fall break.

The Floyd Central Band has a long and glorious history including 14 State Finals appearances. We are very proud of the Highlander Band and Emerald Guard. We put tremendous amounts of time, money and effort to give your child the opportunity to share in the success of your band program. **Therefore, your child is expected to meet ALL their responsibilities in order to benefit from all its rewards.** We are putting our trust in you and your child. We have no substitutes and no bench in marching band. Everyone is a starter and everyone is important. This is what makes band great!

Please complete and remove the following form below and return to Mr. Yankey or Mr. Thomas by April 21, 2017

\_\_\_\_\_ will be participating in the 2017 Highlander Band.

Payment options: (check one) \_\_\_\_\_#1 \$475.00 payment in full by May 12, 2017 cash or check.

\_\_\_\_\_#2 \$475.00 payment via MyPaymentsPlus by May 12, 2017  
<https://www.mypaymentsplus.com/>

Parent’s or Guardians Full Names(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Permission to use phone # and email address  
in band directory. Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Marching Instrument \_\_\_\_\_ Concert Instrument \_\_\_\_\_ Year of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_