

JCHS Bands Newsletter

Summer 2010

The **Summer Schedule** is on the backside of this newsletter. If you haven't already please fill in your family calendars and let your employer's know if you have any conflicts. Remember: the policy on attendance is that you need to be there unless you have a family/church trip or summer school. Work is not an excuse.

All Bands Camp, June 28-July 2, 9am-12pm

This "camp" is for all students participating in band. The goal is to work on music for parades and the upcoming football season, marching technique and to keep playing through the summer. We will also be fitting students for our new uniforms. Students need to bring their instruments, wear comfortable shoes (it is impossible to march in flip-flops) and school appropriate attire.

Symphonic Band Camp, July 5-9, 9am-12pm

This "camp" is for Symphonic Band members only. We will be learning the music and drill for our half-time show next year.

www.JCHSbands.com

Check out our website. Be certain to frequently check the main page. This contains daily news that I tell the band, stuff that doesn't always make it home. The page also includes the full, most up to date calendar.

JCHS Band Facebook Group

For the students and parents who utilize **facebook**, we've started a group that will send you updates about dates, events, etc. It will also be a place to post pictures and media. If you're interested, go to www.jchsbands.com and follow the link there.

Calendar Correction

In my previous mailing I made an error on the calendar, many apologies. The Fair Parade is Tuesday, July 13.

Band Boosters

We are looking for parents to step in and help support the band program by getting involved with our many fundraisers throughout the year. If you're interested please email or call and I will get you pointed in the right direction. If you're interested in taking over a committee for a fundraiser, please let me know, we have many spots to fill after this next year. The first band booster meeting will be August 23rd at 7pm in the band room. Meetings are always the 4th Monday of the month.

Parades

We're participating in two parades this summer: White Hall Past President's Parade and the Jersey County Fair Parade. Dates and times are listed on the back. Dress for these will be: white summer marching polo, blue shorts, white socks, completely white shoes.

I'm looking forward to a great summer of playing, relaxing and having fun and I hope you are too! See you June 28th!

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Mon. June 28–Fri. July 2 Full Band Camp (both bands) 9:00am–12:00pm
Sat. July 3 White Hall parade (both bands) Leave: 6:00pm @JCHS
Back 8:30pm
Mon. July 5– Fri. July 9 Symphonic Band Camp 9:00am–12:00pm
Tues. July 13 Jersey County Fair Parade Meet:
5:30pm @ Elks

Jazz Ensemble Practices (for members of Jazz Ensemble, not jazz band)

Mon. June 21, 28 4:00–5:30pm
Mon. July 5, 12, 26 4–5:30pm
Mon July 19–Fri. July 23 9am–12:00pm