

*CVHS Wildcat Band Boosters*  
**NEWSLETTER**

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Welcome to the [Wildcat Band Booster Newsletter](#) - a central hub for all things CVHS Band Boosters.

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## Welcome Wildcat Marchers!



### **A Few Notes from CVHS Band Director, Melissa Hall 🎵**

Welcome back, Wildcat Marching Band! Are you ready for band camp and all the awesome fun marching season brings? I hope you had a great summer and got acclimated to the heat. I can't wait to see all your hard work and enthusiasm! Now is the time to be memorizing show music and the Wildcat Fight Song! See you soon -  
Melissa Hall

## KEY DATES FOR THE UPCOMING WEEK:

- Jul. 23-25, 12:00-3:00PM, **Drumline, Guard, Technique, and Leadership Camp**, CVHS
- Jul. 25, 9:00AM - 12:00PM, **Leadership Training for Marching Band leaders** only, CVHS
- Jul. 28-Aug. 1, **First week of Band Camp** for all marchers! Please dress for the weather. Don't forget hat, sturdy shoes, and sunscreen. Please send a lunch, snacks, and drinks with your student and please, please, please make sure they eat something in the morning!
- Jul. 29. 7:00 PM, **Band Booster business meeting** on google meet. All parents and students welcome to join us. <https://meet.google.com/cfb-fpta-pbs>



## Save the Date: Wildcat Marching Band Student and Parent Meeting Tuesday, Aug. 5

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** Parent & Student Band Mandatory Info Meeting will be held on Aug. 5 at 7:00 PM in the CVHS auditorium. Don't miss this chance to gain key Marching Band information about the season, meet your favorite Band Boosters Board Member, check out cool merch, and volunteer for your favorite committee before all the good slots fill up!

## Marching Band Camp Fees

As a reminder, there are two fees associated with Marching Band. For the Marching Band Camp Activity Fee, you will need to search the School Store in MySchoolBucks (<https://www.myschoolbucks.com>). It is found under the Band, Orchestra, Choir category, then click on Marching Band Camp Activity Fee. This "item" will not be invoiced and must be paid before the end of marching season. For the Marching Band Class Fee, FCPS will send an invoice to each Marching Band family in late August/early September. If you have any questions or concerns about payments, please email Ms. Hall [MAHall3@fcps.edu](mailto:MAHall3@fcps.edu).

## **Introducing The Amazon Wish List!**

There are so many items that we need to start the year off right and we know many people would like to help but can't be at band camp during the work day. Here's an easy solution, simply make purchases off the CVHS Wildcat Band Boosters [Amazon Wish List](#) and the items will be shipped directly to Band Director Melissa Hall at CVHS. What could be easier? Thanks in advance for the assist!

## **Wildcat Band Spirit Wear Available Soon For a Limited Time!**



Marching Band merchandise will be available for purchase July 25 - August 10! This will be your only opportunity to purchase spirit wear so don't miss out! Items are scheduled to be delivered early September.

*Full Season Marching Band Calendar Below*

## Wildcat Marching Band 2025 Calendar

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
Jul. 23-25	12:00 - 3:00 PM	MB Drumline, Technique, Leadership Camp
Jul. 25	9:00 - 12:00 PM	Leadership Training (MB leaders only) CVHS
Jul. 28 - Aug 1	8:00 - 4:00 PM	*First Week of Band Camp* CVHS
Jul. 29	7:00 PM	Boosters Mtg. on Google Meet
Aug. 4 - Aug 8	8:00 - 4:00 PM	Second Week of Band Camp
Aug. 5	7:00 PM	Student/Parent Band Mtg CVHS Auditorium
Aug. 7	6:00 PM	MB Progressive Dinner in Little Rocky Run
Aug. 8	8:00 AM	Marching Band Pictures
Aug. 11-13	3:30 - 6:30 PM	Band Camp
Aug. 14	5:00 PM	Wildcat Welcome CVHS
Aug. 15	7:30 AM	9th Grade Orientation CVHS
Aug. 22	School Day	Centreville Pyramid Tour
Aug. 23	TBA	MB Carwash Colonnade Shell
Sept. 5	5:15 PM	<b>Home</b> vs. Champe
Sept. 12	5:15 PM	<b>Home</b> vs. Yorktown
Sept. 13	AM	Tag Day
Sept. 20	All Day	MB Competition South County HS
Sept. 26	5:15	<b>Home</b> vs. W&L (Hoco Game & Parade)
Sept. 30	TBA	GMU Band 55th Anniversary Concert
Oct. 4	All Day	MB Competition Rock Ridge HS
Oct. 17	5:15	<b>Home</b> vs. Madison
Oct. 18	All Day	MB Competition Oakton HS
Oct. 24	6:00 PM	<b>Away</b> vs. Westfield
Oct. 25	All Day	Bands of America Performance (Univ. of Delaware)
Oct. 30 (Thur)	5:15	<b>Home</b> vs. South Lakes (Senior Night)
Nov. 1	All Day	MB Assessment
Nov. 7	6:00 PM	MB End of Season Banquet
<b>Wildcat Marching Band Regular Rehearsal Schedule (Schedule subject to change as needed)</b>		
8/19 - 10/23	T, W, Th	3:15 PM - 5:15 PM
<b>Wildcat Marching Band Playoff Schedule</b>		
Possible play-off games include 3 weekends of Regionals in November and 2 weekends of States in December. Go Cats!		