

# Vandegriff High School Band

## Weekly Announcement Sheet

September 19-24, 2022

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### Weekly Schedule

Week of September 19, 2022 - **NO Hearing Times/Masterclasses - Last week of the Six-Weeks!**

- Monday, September 19** – TMEA Region Jazz Auditions
- Tuesday, September 20** – Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-6:20pm),
- Wednesday, September 21** – Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-5:50pm)
- Thursday, September 22** – Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-6:20pm)
- Friday, September 23** – **Contest Preview Performance (Itinerary Below); Last Day of the Six-Weeks!**
- Saturday, September 24** – **Band Competition - BOA Austin (Itinerary Below)**

Week of September 26, 2022 - **“C Week” Hearing Times; Masterclasses Continue!**

- Monday, September 26** – **NO SCHOOL**
- Tuesday, September 27** – Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-6:20pm),
- Wednesday, September 28** – Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-5:50pm)
- Thursday, September 29** – Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-6:20pm)
- Friday, September 30** – **Football Game - Vandegriff vs. Manor @ Manor ISD Athletic Complex**

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### Information for Upcoming Events

#### **Spirit Sticks now available through Spirit Wear!**

BAND PARENTS - Get Into The Grid and show your VHS Band spirit by waving your 2022 show-themed LED glow stick at competitions!!! They are now available via our Spirit Wear square store, for a limited time. Click [here](#) to order. Go Vipers!

#### **Holiday Ornament Orders due TONIGHT**

Ornaments must be ordered by 11:59 p.m. tonight (9/18/2022). Click [here](#) to order.

#### **Commentative Macy's Parade Dog Tag Preorders**

Commentative Macy's Parade Dog Tag preorders are live and must be ordered by 11:59 p.m. on 10/02/2022. Click [here](#) to order. All traveling students will receive one as a part of their trip. This is for an additional Dog Tag.

#### **Senior Night Reminders**

- Senior Information Google Forms were due Friday. If you have not completed yours, please contact Beth Jameson at [membership@vhsband.com](mailto:membership@vhsband.com).
- If you plan to order a Fat Head for senior night, please remember to do that ASAP to ensure it arrives before October 14th.

#### **Homecoming Mums**

- Tuesday, October 11, 2022: Band and Vision MOM Mum Pin making night! VHS cafeteria. Show your homecoming spirit by making and wearing a Vandegriff mum. Parents only on the 11th. Registration will be required (link will be provided in October).
- Wednesday, October 19th 3:30-7:30pm: Band and Vision Mum Shopping Night in the VHS cafeteria. There will be extended hours for the homecoming mum store dedicated to band and vision on wednesday, October 19th.

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## **UPCOMING ITINERARIES**

### **CONTEST PREVIEW PERFORMANCE**

**Friday, September 23, 2022**

**Monroe Stadium, 9500 McNeil Dr. Austin, TX 78750**

\*\*Parents can enter the stadium through the home side gates. There are no tickets required for this event.

7:15 AM – Leadership Meeting

8:15 AM – School Begins – bring all items necessary for the performance to the band hall

- Black Shoes
- Black Performance Wear
- Black Socks
- Instrument (cleaned and polished)
- Flip Folder
- Water Jug (full)

3:35 PM – School Ends

4:00 PM – Run Through Rehearsal - Stadium

5:15 PM – Inspection, Eat, Change

6:15 PM – Pre-show Warm Up

6:45 PM – Move to Gate

6:55 PM – At Gate

7:00 PM – Enter Field

**7:05 PM – PERFORM**

7:25 PM – Meeting in the End Zone

7:45 PM – Hang up your uniform correctly and go home and get some sleep!

### **BAND COMPETITION - Bands of America Regional Championship - Austin**

**Saturday, September 24, 2022**

**Kelly Reeves Athletic Complex, 10211 W. Parmer Ln, Austin, TX 78717**

\*\*This competition is a Prelims-Finals format. If we advance past prelims, we will compete again in the Finals Competition.

Parent Tickets – For ticket and event information, please visit: <https://aftontickets.com/event/buyticket/g3x1815j60>

Parking – Spectator parking for this event is \$5.00. Parking attendants will accept cash upon entrance to the stadium.

9:15 AM – Band Hall Opens

9:45 AM – Students Arrive

10:00 AM – Run Through on Band Field

11:15 AM – Inspection and Load

11:30 AM – Eat Lunch

12:30 PM – Load Buses

12:45 PM – Depart Vandegriff High School

1:15 PM – Arrive at Kelly Reeves Athletic Complex, 10211 W. Parmer Ln, Austin, TX 78717

2:40-3:15 PM – Warm Up in Area A

2:40-3:10 PM – PIT Warm Up Time

3:20 PM – PIT Report to Gate

3:35 PM – Band Report to Gate

**3:45 PM - Prelims Performance Time!**

4:00 PM – Prelims Competition Ends

4:30 PM – Uniforms off/put away equipment

4:30 PM – Prelims Awards Presentation

5:00 PM – Meeting/Dinner (should we draw an early finals time, dinner may be adjusted)

**\*\*The schedule for the remainder of the evening will be based on making finals, and what our potential draw would be in that finals competition. The outline from Bands of America for the rest of the evening is as follows:**

6:30 PM – Gates Open

7:00 PM – National Anthem and Introductions

7:30 PM – First Finalist Band Performs

10:30 PM – Finals Competition Ends

10:45 PM – Finals Awards Presentation

### **Football Game - WEEK 5**

**Friday, September 30, 2022 : Game Day Schedule – Vandegriff vs. Manor - 7:00 PM**

**Manor ISD Athletic Complex, 14832 FM 973, Manor, TX 78653**

7:15 AM Leadership Meeting

8:15 AM School Begins – bring all items necessary for the game to the band hall

- Black Shoes
- Black Performance Wear
- Black Socks
- Instrument (cleaned and polished)
- Flip Folder
- Water Jug (full)

3:00 PM Students are released to "End of Day" PIT (Band students report to band hall)  
3:15 PM Run Through Rehearsal - Stadium  
4:15 PM Inspection, Eat, Load Truck at the Stadium  
5:15 PM Load School Buses  
5:30 PM Depart VHS  
6:30 PM Arrive at Manor ISD Stadium  
7:30 PM Move into stands

**\*\*8:15 PM – Halftime: VHS Legacies and Band perform second (We will perform toward the Home stands)**

\*\*10:00 PM – Game Ends

\*\*10:30 PM – Load Truck and Buses

\*\*11:00 PM – Depart Manor ISD Stadium

\*\*11:45 AM – Arrive at Vandegriff; Unload

*\*\*All of these times are approximate and depend on the length of the football game.*

### **LEANDER ISD FESTIVAL OF BANDS**

**Monday, October 3, 2022**

**Gupton Stadium, 200 Gupton Way Dr., Cedar Park, TX 78613**

**This event will feature all six LISD high school marching bands in exhibition performances. There will also be a mass band performance with all middle school bands.**

**Tickets: CAN ONLY BE PURCHASED ONLINE - [Purchase Tickets Here](#)**

Schedule Coming Soon! We are waiting on our official performance time.

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### **Other Important Upcoming Events**

September 19	<b>TMEA Region Jazz Auditions (specific students only)</b>
September 23	<b>Contest Preview Performance</b>
September 24	<b>BOA Austin</b>
September 26	<b>No School</b>
September 30 , FOOTBALL	<b>Vandegriff vs. Manor @ Manor HS</b>
October 3	<b>Festival of Bands</b>
October 4	<b>Band Booster Meeting</b>
October 7, FOOTBALL	<b>Vandegriff vs. McNeil @ HOME</b>
October 8	<b>Texas Marching Classic</b>
October 10	<b>Macy's Bootcamp Rehearsal</b>
October 11	<b>UIL Region Marching Contest</b>
October 14, FOOTBALL	<b>Vandegriff vs. Round Rock @ HOME (Senior Night)</b>

**Official Band Calendar:** Please visit our official calendar at [vhsband.com](http://vhsband.com). This calendar will be maintained and updated on a regular basis. [www.vhsband.com/calendar](http://www.vhsband.com/calendar)