

Vandegriff High School Band

Weekly Announcement Sheet

December 12 - 17, 2022

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Weekly Schedule

Week of December 12, 2022 - Winter Concert Band Rehearsals (see below)

Monday, December 12 – Band Rehearsals (see below)

Tuesday, December 13 – Band Rehearsals (see below)

Wednesday, December 14 – Winter Concert (South PAC, 7pm) - See below for schedule

Thursday, December 15 – Letter Jacket Fitting - for all students who earned one (7am)

Friday, December 16 – Last Day of the Semester!

Saturday, December 17 – Playoff Game (AT&T Stadium, 3pm)

Information for Upcoming Events

Winter Concert Rehearsals

Students, if you are in the Symphonic Band, Concert Band 1 or Concert Band 2, you will have two rehearsals outside of school the week of the concert. This is especially important for percussionists and double reed players.

	Before School (7:00 - 8:00am) Band Hall	Afterschool 3:50 - 5:00pm) PAC	Afterschool 3:50 - 5:00pm) Band Hall
Monday, Dec. 12		Symphonic Band	Concert Band 1
Tuesday, Dec. 13	Concert Band 2	Concert Band 1	Symphonic Band
Wednesday, Dec. 14	Concert Band 2		

Championship Ring Fittings

Ring orders are due on December 20th. Use this link to order. <https://2dkdog57nai.typeform.com/to/CLoJPzqW>
[Championship Ring Mockup](#)

Macy's Shirts/Sweatshirts

Use this link to order additional gear! <https://customstores.pepwear.com/vandegriff-hs-band/>

Treasurer-Elect Executive Board Position Opening

Our current Treasurer-Elect, Andrea Wardrop, has accepted a new job in the accounting department for VHS (congrats, Andrea!). District employees are prohibited from being signers on booster bank accounts, so unfortunately this means that Andrea needs to step down as Treasurer-Elect. If you are interested in the position of current Treasurer-Elect (Treasurer next year), please contact Kyle Fieleke at president@vhsband.com.

Ornaments Update

Ornaments are delayed and should arrive December 20, 2022. If you can help bag the orders on 12/20 and/or 12.21, or if you want to pick up your ornaments in Steiner Ranch in time to add it to the tree, please email spirit@vhsband.com. Otherwise, ornaments will be available for pickup in the band hall after the New Year.

State Championship T-shirts Update

State Championship t-shirts have been ordered and those will be distributed around January 3 - 5, 2023.

UPCOMING ITINERARIES

Winter Concert - Leander ISD South PAC (Cedar Park HS)

Wednesday, December 14, 2022, 7:00 PM

Winter Concert Notes

- As a reminder, the Winter Concert will be at the Leander ISD South PAC which is located at CPHS. Students must provide their own transportation to/from CPHS.
- All Concert Attire can be checked out after school on Wednesday.
- All Concert Attire must be checked back in Thursday before school.
- Students wearing a Tux – be sure you have a clean white undershirt, long black socks and black dress shoes.
- Students wearing a Dress - be sure that you wear the same shoes you did for your fitting.

Winter Concert Band Itinerary

This is one of the two concerts each year where the students have an opportunity to listen to each band play. The expectation is that ALL students stay for the duration of the concert and listen to their peers perform.

Wind Ensemble

6:30 PM – Arrive, FULLY DRESSED, at South PAC with Instrument and Music

6:45 PM – Full Band will be seated in section reserved for band students

7:00 PM – Concert Begins

Symphonic Band

6:30 PM – Arrive, FULLY DRESSED, at South PAC with Instrument and Music

6:45 PM – Full Band will be seated in section reserved for band students

7:00 PM – Concert Begins – Symphonic Band Warms up in Band Hall

*The Symphonic Band will perform 3rd. Stay fully dressed, and move back to reserved section to watch Wind Ensemble

Concert Band 1

6:15 PM – Arrive, FULLY DRESSED, to Cedar Park Band Hall with Instrument and Music

6:20 PM – Warm Up in Band Hall

6:50 PM – Move to PAC

7:00 PM – Concert Begins

*The Concert Band 1 will perform 2nd. Stay fully dressed, and move back to reserved section to watch remaining bands

Concert Band 2

6:15 PM – Arrive, FULLY DRESSED, at South PAC and report to Stage for Warm Up

6:30 PM – Warm Up on Stage

6:50 PM – Full Band will be seated in section reserved for band students

7:00 PM – Concert Begins

*Concert Band 2 will perform first. Stay fully dressed, and move back to reserved section to watch remaining bands

Football Game - Playoff Week 6

Saturday, December 17, 2022: Game Day Schedule – Vandegriff vs. Desoto - 3:00 PM

AT&T Stadium, 1 AT&T Way, Arlington, TX 76011

All students (band and vision) who are in town are expected to attend. This is a HUGE game for our school and our team, and we need as many Vipers as possible there to cheer them on.

7:00 AM - Band Hall Opens

7:30 AM – Run Through Rehearsal - Band Field

8:00 AM – Inspection, Load Truck

8:45 AM – Load Buses

9:00 AM – Depart VHS

1:30 PM – Arrive at AT&T Stadium/Eat Lunch

1:55 PM - Get Dressed/Get Equipment

2:10 PM – Move into stands

2:45 PM – Pre-Game (School Song, National Anthem, etc.)

3:00 PM – Kick Off

****4:15 PM – Halftime: VHS Legacies and Band perform FIRST (We are the Visitor Team)**

**5:30 PM – Game Ends

**6:00 PM – Load Truck and Buses (grab dinner for the bus)

**6:30 PM – Depart AT&T Stadium

**10:30 PM – Arrive at Vandegriff; Unload

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

Other Important Upcoming Events

December 14

Winter Concert (SPAC)

December 16

Last Day of the Semester; Potential Playoff Game

December 17

Playoff Game, AT&T Stadium (Arlington, TX) - 3:00pm

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