

Vandegriff High School Band

Weekly Announcement Sheet

February 13-17, 2023

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Weekly Schedule

Week of February 13, 2023 - Sectionals (Use Google Classroom for updates)

Monday, February 13 – Sectionals

Tuesday, February 14 – Sectionals

Wednesday, February 15 – Sectionals; Trumpet Masterclass (4:00-5:30pm)

Thursday, February 16 – Sectionals

Friday, February 17 – Sectionals

Week of February 20, 2023 - Sectionals (Use Google Classroom for updates)

Monday, February 20 – **NO SCHOOL**

Tuesday, February 21 – Sectionals

Wednesday, February 22 – Sectionals

Thursday, February 23 – Sectionals

Friday, February 24 – Sectionals

Information for Upcoming Events

Sectional Schedule

Sectionals are back to our normal schedule.

Trumpet Masterclass

Trumpet Players: Wednesday, February 15, 4:00-5:30pm is a required Masterclass just for you! World-renowned trumpet player, Ryan Gardner, is coming to VHS to work with the trumpet studio! If you have a conflict/concern, please send Mrs. VanDoren an email. [Ryan Gardner - Biography](#)

Solo Competition

Our solo competition this year will be on **April 29th**. All Wind Player solos need to be finalized this upcoming Friday (1/13), so that music can be distributed to accompanists. Your lesson teachers have been filling out the solo spreadsheet for you. If you are not in lessons, you will be receiving your solo this week. Please email Mrs. Bush with any questions regarding your solo.

Executive Board Officer Positions

- The Booster Club positions of **Vice President Treasurer-Elect and Secretary** are available for the '22-23 school year. Each position is a 2-year commitment.
- The VP position is responsible for chaperone coordination during the marching season, and will move into the President role in Year 2.
- The Treasurer-Elect role assists the Treasurer in Year 1, and acts as Treasurer in Year 2.
- The Secretary is responsible for note taking at Booster general meetings and E-Board meetings.
- These roles will be elected at our April 11 Booster Club meeting.
- **If you are interested in any of these roles, please email Kathleen Vigil at vp@vhsband.com**

Board Officer Nominating Committee

- We're looking for 5 Booster Club voting members to review and recommend candidates for positions of Vice President, Treasurer-Elect and Secretary.
- The committee will speak with interested candidates, and will meet in March to discuss.
- **If you are interested in serving on the Nominating Committee, please email Kathleen Vigil at vp@vhsband.com**



Mulch Fundraiser Sales Are Impressive!

We have **two weeks to go** in our Mulch Fundraiser and reached almost **\$110,000** in sales and donations. The campaign will be open through February 28th.

STUDENTS, our campaign goal is **\$150,000**. Log in to your Fund-Team account, continue adding email addresses, scroll to the bottom of your dashboard, and contact those that have not opened the email and responded. Also, share your unique campaign link/QR code on social media—you get credit!

PARENTS, *Pallet Delivery Day* is **Friday, March 31st**. Please consider volunteering for this day of parent-only large mulch order delivery. We will need more than 35 volunteers.

STUDENTS & PARENTS, *Mulch Delivery Day* is **Saturday, April 1st**. We will need many parent volunteers to help with delivery, especially those with trucks (need 30) and large SUVs (20).

Sign up to volunteer! [Mulch Volunteer Information & Sign-up Links](#)

Other Important Upcoming Dates

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| February 20 | NO SCHOOL |
| February 28 | Percussion Cluster Pizza Party |
| March 1 | Percussion Ensemble Concert |
| March 9 | Chamber Music Concert |
| March 13-17 | SPRING BREAK! |
| March 20 | NO SCHOOL |
| March 30/31 | Visionary Dance Concert (7pm) |
| March 31 | Mulch Delivery (Large Order/Parents) |
| April 1 | Mulch Delivery Day (Required for ALL STUDENTS) |
| April 3 | Leadership Audition Meeting |
| April 4 | Pre-UIL Concert |
| April 7/10 | NO SCHOOL |
| April 11 | Drum Major Conducting Workshop |
| April 11 | Band Booster Meeting |
| April 14 | UIL (Wind Ensemble) |
| April 18/19 | UIL (Symphonic Band, Concert Band 1, Concert Band 2) |
| April 21 | Leadership Paperwork Due (12:00pm) |
| April 24 | Leadership Audition |
| April 29 | Solo Competition (Required for ALL Band Students) |
| May 6 | Band Banquet |
| May 15 | Spring Concert (Riverbend) |
| May 16-19 | Viper Band and Vision Camp |

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