

Vandegriff High School Band

Weekly Announcement Sheet

February 27 - March 3, 2023

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Weekly Schedule

Week of February 27, 2023 - Sectionals (Use Google Classroom for updates)

Monday, February 27 – Sectionals

Tuesday, February 28 – Sectionals; Percussion Cluster Pizza Party

Wednesday, March 1 – Sectionals; **Percussion Ensemble Concert (7pm)**

Thursday, March 2 – Sectionals

Friday, March 3 – Sectionals

Week of February 27, 2023 - Sectionals (Use Google Classroom for updates)

Monday, March 6 – Sectionals

Tuesday, March 7 – Sectionals; Last Day of Mulch Fundraiser!

Wednesday, March 8 – Sectionals

Thursday, March 9 – Sectionals; **Chamber Ensemble Concert (7pm)**

Friday, March 10 – Sectionals; **BRING YOUR INSTRUMENT HOME FOR THE BREAK!**

Information for Upcoming Events

Percussion Ensemble Concert

All Viper Band and Vision families are invited to attend the Percussion Ensemble Concert at 7pm on Wednesday, March 1, 2023 in the VHS Auditorium!

Percussionists, please refer to information from Mr. Hobbs regarding timeline and attire.

Senior Scholarships

The Band and Vision Booster Club Scholarship and Maxwell Fink Memorial Scholarship applications are **due by March 31**. The applications may be accessed using the following links:

- Booster scholarships: [apply here](#)
- Maxwell Fink Scholarship application form: [apply here](#)

Information for the Chamber Music Concert

The Chamber Music Concert is coming up on Thursday, March 9th at 7:00PM in the Vandegriff HS Auditorium (PAC). Students that are performing in the chamber concert, should be seated in the auditorium as an ensemble by 6:40PM. All students should plan on being in the audience for the full duration of the concert.

Attire - Performing students should wear all black (dress slacks, shirts, dresses, shoes, socks, etc.). Students should not plan on wearing their concert uniform (tuxes/dresses) unless they have no other option and then they should come talk to Mrs. Bush so we can make sure it is ready for them that evening.

Please reach out to Mrs. Bush with any questions!

Sectional Schedule

Students, check your Google Classroom for any updates.

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.

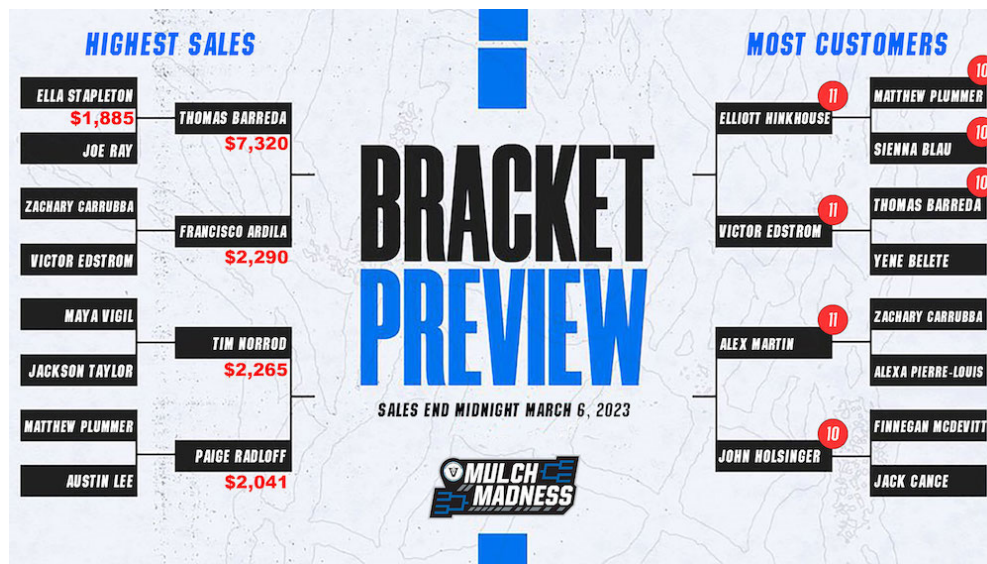
Executive Board Officer Positions

- 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 Fundraising Campaign Extended to March 6

Due to the ice storm, we have extended the last day to order to March 6th. This gives us **eight days to go** and we have already surpassed our \$150,000 goal reaching almost **\$165,000** in sales and donations.

STUDENT - Log in to your Fund-Team account and directly call or email any contact that has not opened the Fund-Team email and responded.

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](#)

We have over seventy-four volunteers already signed up! You make planning for delivery so much easier. Thank you!!

Other Important Upcoming Dates

February 28
March 1
March 9

Percussion Cluster Pizza Party
Percussion Ensemble Concert
Chamber Music Concert

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| March 13-17 | SPRING BREAK! - NO SCHOOL |
| 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) @ Liberty Hill HS |
| April 18/19 | UIL (Symphonic Band, Concert Band 1, Concert Band 2) @ Leander HS |
| 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