



April 2022

Dear Lafayette Band Students and Parents,

Welcome to the 2022 - 2023 Lafayette High School Band! We are pleased that you will be joining *The Pride of the Bluegrass* for an exciting year of marching and concert music. Planning for the upcoming year is already underway - our staff and instructors are preparing for spring and summer mini-camps as well as Band Camp with a Fall 2022 marching show specifically written, arranged, and designed for our students. We are excited for our kids to once again be back on the marching field and in the concert hall!

There are several very important items included in this packet:

- 2022 - 2023 Band Contribution Information
- Self Medication Form
- Medical Authorization Form - Mandatory for students to participate in band
- KHSAA Athletic Physical Form
- OTC Physician Authorization

A note for students: Virtual auditions for the 2022-2023 Lafayette Band are scheduled for the end of April. All students must audition for placement in one of three concert bands and for part selection in the marching band. Check www.lafayetteband.org for audition music.

- All audition videos must be uploaded by Wednesday, April 27th

Other important dates to mark on your calendar:

Marching Band Mini-Camps

- May 6: 4:00 - 7:00
- May 7: 9:00 - 12:00
- May 28: 9:00 - 2:00

We look forward to an exciting year with *The Pride of the Bluegrass*. The LBA will be holding a meeting for all marching band and color guard families on the first full day of Band Camp on **Monday evening, July 25**. Mark your calendars - we ask that all families participating in band and color guard attend this important meeting. Please contact us if you have any questions.

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