

July 8, 2013

Dear KHS Band Students,

We hope you have had an exciting and relaxing summer and are ready to invade another great school year with music from James Bond!

Your 007 Directors have been planning and your drum majors have been at camp to help prepare them for the school year ahead of us. On July 29-30th, the entire staff along with drum majors and section leaders will be at a retreat to prepare for both marching and concert seasons. July 30th, band camp will begin! The first afternoon of camp will consist of freshman and section leaders, **all** color guard and **all** percussion. This will allow the freshman and new members of the band to feel more comfortable while learning our style of marching.

We will break at the lunch hour and would like people to bring a sack lunch. On July 31st, band camp officially starts for everyone!

July 29-30	Section Leader Retreat	
July 30	1:00-4:00	freshman, section leaders, all percussion, all flags
July 31	9:30-3:30	Everyone
Aug. 1	9:30-3:30	All Y'all
Aug. 2	9:30-3:30	ALL

WHAT TO BRING:

INSTRUMENT, **TENNIS SHOES**, SUNSCREEN, WATER BOTTLE, PENCIL

NOTE TO PARENTS:

- There will be a band parent meeting and band BBQ at Brashear Park Tuesday, July 30. at 6:00. The band will provide hamburgers and hotdogs and we ask the students to bring a side, dessert, or chips.
- Band Camp will end with an ICE CREAM SOCIAL at 3:30 in the KHS Cafeteria and awards for the students.
- Freshman will need to buy marching shoes and we will order the shoes during band camp. If you will not be at camp, please make sure that we get your shoe size so we can add it to the order.
- Many athletic camps are working the same week. If your child is involved in multiple activities, they will not be penalized. Please let me know about their conflicts ahead of time and have them plan on coming to band camp as soon as they can. Missed hours will be made up at the beginning of the school year.

After you read the information please click on the following link:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheet/viewform?fromEmail=true&formkey=dGZnYVJLVEhjNjFhUUUVvTmptNXJKaIE6MA>

Sincerely

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