

2nd Draft: This Calendar is subject to change

2011 JF Marching Band Calendar

PICTURES FOR THE FOOTBALL PROGRAM WILL BE TAKEN ONE DAY DURING BAND CAMP—PRACTICE WILL BE EXTENDED UNTIL 8:00 PM THAT EVENING TO MAKE UP FOR SOME OF THE TIME LOST DUE TO THE PICTURE SESSION—STAY TUNED FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.


Please note that we have practice scheduled on Wednesday 8/24 & 9/7—that is to accommodate no practice on the first day of school & the Labor Day holiday. Generally, we will not practice on Wednesdays throughout the season *unless* we cannot rehearse on one of the normally scheduled days, in which case we will move practice to Wednesday of that week. As of right now, there are no scheduled conflicts in the school calendar that would prevent us from practicing on our regular days. *Please* make every effort to make appointments (orthodontist, doctor, tutoring, hair, nails, etc.) on Wednesdays or other scheduled off days.

ROOKIE MARCHER CAMP: JULY 27, 28, & 29, 8:00 AM – NOON.
This gives 1st year marchers a “head start” on marching technique before band camp. All veteran marchers invited.

The Bedford Christmas Parade is absolutely *REQUIRED* for all marching band participants. It will be on Sat., Dec. 3 (it has traditionally been in late morning/early afternoon).

After competition season ends, Bedford Christmas Parade practices will be held on Tuesdays **and/or** Thursdays through December 3rd. We will also schedule practices for the London Parade performances as we get closer to the end of the competition season.
 (all London practices will begin in November)

7/24	7/25	7/26	7/27	7/28	7/29	7/30
	Guard Camp 8-12; 2-5 at FES	Guard Camp 8-12; 2-5 at FES	Guard Camp 8-12; 2-5 at FES	Guard Camp 8-12; 2-5 at FES Percussion Camp 9 – 5	Guard Camp 8-12; 2-5 at FES Percussion Camp 9 – 5	Percussion Camp 9 – 3
7/31	8/1	8/2	8/3	8/4	8/5	8/6
	Full Band 8-12; 3-7	Full Band 8-1 <i>Trip: DCI Show in Salem Entire Band</i>	Full Band 8-12; 3-7	Full Band 8-12; 3-7	Full Band 8-12; 3-7	
8/7	8/8	8/9	8/10	8/11	8/12	8/13
	Full Band 8-12; 3-7	Full Band 8-12; 3-7	Full Band 8-12; 3-7	Full Band 8-12; 3-7 Football Program Picture Day— schedule may be adjusted—TBA	Full Band 8-12; 3-7	
8/14	8/15	8/16	8/17	8/18	8/19	8/20
	Full Band 3-7	Full Band 3-7	Full Band 3-7 45	Full Band 3-7	Full Band 3-7	
8/21	8/22	8/23	8/24	8/25	8/26	8/27
	First Day of School—No Practice.	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Home Football Band Performs Practice at 4:00	

8/28	8/29	8/30	8/31	9/1	9/2	9/3
	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45		Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45	
9/4	9/5	9/6	9/7	9/8	9/9	9/10
	Labor Day— No School	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45	DRILL DAY @ FES 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM Lunch provided Everyone except pit!
9/11	9/12	9/13	9/14	9/15	9/16	9/17
	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45		Full Band 4:15-6:45	Home Football Band Performs Practice at 4:00 Homecoming	
9/18	9/19	9/20	9/21	9/22	9/23	9/24
	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45		Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-5:45 Away football vs. Brookville— winds & perc. go (maybe)	BCI @ JF ALL DAY
9/25	9/26	9/27	9/28	9/29	9/30	10/1
	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45		Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Cavalier Classic Competition Monticello HS Charlottesville, VA PM— <i>after</i> SATs
10/2	10/3	10/4	10/5	10/6	10/7	10/8
	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45		Full Band 4:15-6:45	Home Football Band Performs Practice at 4:00	Drums Along the Blue Ridge Competition, Bassett, VA Prelims & Finals
10/9	10/10	10/11	10/12	10/13	10/14	10/15
	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45		Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45	USSBA Southeast VA Regional VA Beach, VA OVERNIGHT
10/16	10/17	10/18	10/19	10/20	10/21	10/22
	Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-6:45		Full Band 4:15-6:45	Home Football Band Performs Practice at 4:00	James Madison University Parade of Champions Harrisonburg, VA
10/23	10/24	10/25	10/26	10/27	10/28	10/29
	Full Band 2:15-4:45 <i>(2-hour early dismissal day for BCPS)</i>	Full Band 4:15-6:45		Full Band 4:15-6:45	Full Band 4:15-5:45 Away football vs. Heritage—winds & perc. go. (maybe)	VBODA State Marching Assessment Location TBA
10/30	10/31	11/1	11/2	11/3	11/4	11/5
		Full Band 4:15-6:45		Fall Band Concert For Concert Band, Symphonic Band, & Wind Symphony 7:00 PM @ JFHS	Home Football Band Performs Practice at 5:00 Senior Night	