

# McLEAN BAND CALENDAR 2018-19

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**NOTE: Every effort possible will be made to adhere to this calendar. Please understand that sometimes circumstances arise that cause events to be rescheduled. We will make our best effort to make everyone aware of any changes in a timely manner.**

## **THIS CALENDAR DOES NOT INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING REOCCURRING EVENTS:**

### *Marching Band:*

During September and October:

Tuesdays – 3:30-6:00PM

Wednesdays – 7:00-9:30PM

Thursdays – 3:30-6:00PM

### *Symphonic Band:*

Wednesday nights from 7:00-9:30PM starting in the end of October through the remainder of the school year

### *Wind Ensemble:*

Monday afternoons from 3:15-4:45PM starting in November through the remainder of the school year

### *Jazz Ensemble:*

Tuesday evenings - 7:00-9:00PM

Thursday afternoons – 4:00-6:00PM

### *Jazz Lab Band:*

Monday evenings - 5:00-6:30PM

### *Elementary Area Band:*

Tuesday evenings from 4:45-6:15PM in the Band Room

### *MHSBPA Board Meetings:*

Second Tuesday of each month – 7:30PM in the Career Center

### *Battery Training Clinics and Rehearsals:*

Thursday evenings from 6-8PM starting in April until the end of the school year

## **September:**

4 – MHSBPA Board Meetings Begin – 7:30PM - Career Center

6 – Back to school night – 6:30

11 - General Band & Guard Parent Membership Meeting 7:30PM in band room

**14 – Home Football Game**

**15 – TAG DAY FUNDRAISER – All Band & Guard Students Participate**

**21 – Home Football Game – Band Senior Night**

**22 – Possible Marching Competition – USBands Northern VA Regional**

24 – Sr. Regional Orchestra Audition at TJ – optional

**29 – Possible Marching Competition – VMBC Herndon or Rock Ridge Band Day or USBands Marine Corps Invitational**

## **October:**

**6 – Possible Marching Competition – SAT in morning, competition at night – USBands Broadneck**

8 – Columbus Day - Student Holiday

**12 – Home Football Game - Homecoming**

**19 – Home Football Game**

**20 – Possible Marching Competition – VA State Championship, VA Beach**

24 – Symphonic Band rehearsals begin

30 – Jazz Ensemble auditions after school

## **November:**

**1 – Fall Concert – LF Sym, McL Sym – 7:00**

2 – End of Q1

5-6 – Student Holidays

8-10 – Senior Regional Orchestra – for those who make it from the audition in September

12 – Wind Ensemble rehearsals begin

13 – Elementary Area Band first rehearsal – 4:45-6:15

21-23 – Thanksgiving Holiday

**29 – Chamber Ensemble Concert – 7:00PM**

**December:**

- 2 – Marching Band Holiday Parade Performance**
- 4 – Concert Band rehearsal – 3:15-4:45
- 11 – Concert Band rehearsal – 3:15-4:45
- 7-8 – Fruit Sale Distribution – all students will work one shift
- 12 – Longfellow Band Winter Concert – 7:00PM
- 13 – McLean Band Winter Concert – all bands – 7:00PM**
- 21 – Holiday Performance for school – Jazz Band only**
- 22-6 – Winter Break

**January:**

- 11 – All-District Band setup day**
- 12 – All-District Band auditions – required for Symphonic, others optional**
- 14 – Jazz Lab Band begins
- 21 – MLK Day - Student Holiday
- 24 – End of Q2
- 25 – Student Holiday
- 31-2 – All-District Band Event (for those who made it from the audition) – Chantilly HS
- 26 – Jazz Band Duke Ellington Competition – Arlington, VA**

**February:**

- 4 - Student Holiday
- 5 – Wind Ensemble rehearsal – 3:15-4:45 (Monday Holiday)
- 18 – President’s Day - Student Holiday
- 19 – Wind Ensemble rehearsal – 3:15-4:45 (Monday Holiday)
- 23 – All-State Band Auditions – James Madison University

**March:**

- 1 – Symphonic Band rehearsal with guest conductor – 3:15-5:15
- 7 – Pyramid Concert – Area Band, LF Sym, McL Sym – 7:00**
- 8 – Wind Ensemble Open Rehearsal – 3:15-5
- 8 – Longfellow Band Pre-Assessment Concert – 7:00
- 9 – Raffle Day!!! ALL STUDENTS PARTICIPATE 8:00-4:00**
- 12 – Symphonic Band rehearsal with guest conductor – 3:15-5:15
- 15-16 – Middle School State Assessment – Marshall HS
- 19 - Concert Band rehearsal – 3:15-4:45
- 21 - Wind Ensemble rehearsal – 3:15-4:45
- 22 – Symphonic Band rehearsal – 3:15-4:45
- 23 – Wind Ensemble State Assessment Performance – South Lakes HS**
- 23 – Symphonic Band State Assessment Performance – South Lakes HS**
- 26 - Concert Band rehearsal – 3:15-4:45
- 27-31 – Spring Trip**

**April:**

- 4 – End of Q3
- 4-6 – All-State Band – for those who make it
- 5 – Student Holiday
- 5 – Winter Guard Friends and Family Show – Lower Gym – 7:00
- 13-21 – Spring Break
- 23 – New Band Student Orientation – 7:00
- 27 - Prom
- 27 – Solo/Ensemble Festival – Carson MS - optional participation
- 30 – Percussion Ensemble Concert – 7:00PM**

**May:**

- 7 – US Navy Band Concert – 7:00PM
- 14 – Concert Band rehearsal – 3:15-4:45
- 16 – Chamber Ensemble Concert – 7:00PM**
- 18 – Chantilly Jazz Festival**
- 18 – Front Ensemble Rehearsal – 10AM-1PM - First year members only
- 21 – Concert Band rehearsal – 3:15-4:45
- 23 – McLean Band Spring/Raffle Concert – all bands – 7:00PM**
- 27 – Memorial Day - Student Holiday
- 28 – Lewinsville Jazz Concert**
- 30 – Section Leader Interviews – 3:00-6:00

**June:**

- 1 – Front Ensemble Rehearsal – 10AM-1PM – All members
- 1 – Jammin’ Java – Jazz Ensemble – 1PM**
- 1 – Battery Mini-Camp – 10AM-3PM
- 2 – Band Banquet – 6:00PM in the cafeteria**
- 4-6 – Marching Band Leadership Training – 3:15-4:45

7 – Longfellow Band Spring Concert – 7PM  
8 – Front Ensemble Rehearsal – 10AM-1PM – All members  
8 – Battery Mini-Camp – 10AM-3PM  
13 – Last Day of School