# Vandegrift High School Band

Weekly Announcement Sheet September 5-9, 2022

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# **Weekly Schedule**

Week of September 5, 2022 - NO HEARING TIMES THIS WEEK (this is a change), Masterclasses Continue

Monday, September 5 - NO SCHOOL

Tuesday, September 6 - Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-6:20pm), Region Masterclasses Continue

**Wednesday, September 7 –** Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-5:50pm) **Thursday, September 8 –** Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-6:20pm)

Friday, September 9 – Football Game - Vandegrift vs. Waco Midway @ Crusader Stadium

Week of September 12, 2022 - "B" Week Hearing Times, Masterclasses Continue

Monday, September 12 – Region Masterclasses Continue Tuesday, September 13 – Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-6:20pm), Wednesday, September 14 – Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-5:50pm) Thursday, September 15 – Full Band Rehearsal (3:50pm-6:20pm)

Friday, September 16 - Football Game - Vandegrift vs. Stony Point @ HOME (8th Grade Night!)

Saturday, September 17 - Dripping Springs Drumline Contest

# **Information for Upcoming Events**

#### March-A-Thon Success!

**The March-A-Thon fundraising campaign has concluded and was a tremendous success raising \$133,343**, the most in the history of our program. This is an example of the dedication of our students and parents combined with the support of our families and community. We are very fortunate and the impact on the band program is enormous. Thank you to all who volunteered and donated!

### **Show Shirt Order Update**

On Thursday, 9/8, we will distribute the Show Shirts, Mom/Grandma Shirts, and Hoodie/Duffle/Beanie/Blanket orders during the evening rehearsal! The orders will be given to the students.

### Senior Night Walk Announcements

Senior Night is October 14th. Parent check-in will begin at 4:30. A detailed timeline will be sent out closer to the date of the event. If you have a senior, please complete the <u>Google form</u> for your student by September 16th to ensure all seniors are included in the walk/announcements. If you have questions about Senior Night, please contact Beth Jameson at <u>membership@vhsband.com</u>.

# Senior Night Fatheads

In the past some parents have celebrated their senior student by purchasing a Fathead poster of their student. This is entirely optional. It will take at least two weeks to get your delivery, so orders should be placed by September 29th (sooner advised).

# Ordering information:

Website: Fathead.com

Product type: Custom Foam With Hair and No Shoulders

Sizes Include: 10x16 (\$20), 16x21 (\$24), 21x33 (\$35) (21x33 is most popular)

# **UPCOMING ITINERARIES**

# Football Game - WEEK 3

Friday, September 9, 2022 : Game Day Schedule – HOME (neutral site) – Vandegrift vs. Waco Midway - 7:00 PM Crusader Stadium (Mary Hardin Baylor University), 905 University Dr, Belton, TX 76513

7:15 AM Leadership Meeting

8:15 AM School Begins - bring all items necessary for the game to the band hall

Black Shoes

- Black Performance Wear
- Black Socks
- Instrument (cleaned and polished)
- Flip Folder
- Water Jug (full)
- 3:00 PM Students are released to "End of Day" PIT (Band students report to band hall)
- 3:15 PM Run Through Rehearsal Stadium
- 4:15 PM Inspection, Eat, Load Truck at the Stadium
- 5:15 PM Load School Buses
- 5:30 PM Depart VHS
- 7:15 PM Arrive at Crusader Stadium
- 7:30 PM Move into stands

### \*\*8:15 PM – Halftime: VHS Legacies and Band perform second (We will perform toward the Home stands)

- \*\*10:00 PM Game Ends
- \*\*10:30 PM Load Truck and Buses
- \*\*11:00 PM Depart Crusader Stadium
- \*\*12:15 AM Arrive at Vandegrift; Unload
- \*\*All of these times are approximate and depend on the length of the football game.

### CONTEST (Drumline and Wind Soloists Only)- Dripping Springs Drumline Contest

Saturday, September 17, 2022

Dripping Springs High School Tiger Stadium, 940 Highway 290 West Dripping Springs, TX 78620

#### \*Please eat Breakfast before you arrive!

9:00 AM Band Hall Opens

9:30 AM Arrival

10:00AM Rehearsal Starts (battery/pit split)

12:00AM Eat Lunch

1:00 PM Full Percussion Ensemble (w/soloists)

3:00 PM Eat/Load

4:30 PM Depart for Dripping Springs High School

5:30 PM Arrival

5:35 PM Check In/Unload

6:00 PM Tune/Get dressed

6:30 PM Push to Warm Up

6:45 PM Full Ensemble Warm Up (will start split)

7:45 PM Push to Gate

7:55 PM Gate

### 8:00 PM Perform!

8:20 PM Load/Snack

9:00 PM Awards

\*Following Awards Students will push back to truck, change and begin to load

9:30 PM Depart for Vandegriff High School \*(All depends on length of awards ceremony)

\*10:30 PM Arrive Home (depending on traffic and awards ceremony length)

### Football Game - WEEK 4

# Friday, September 16, 2022 - Game Day Schedule – HOME – Vandegrift vs. Stony Point - 7:00 PM (8th Grade Night!) Monroe Stadium, 9500 McNeil Dr. Austin, TX 78750

7:15 AM Student Leadership Team Breakfast

8:15 AM School Begins – bring all items necessary for the game to the band hall

- Black Shoes
- Black Performance Wear
- Black Socks
- Instrument (cleaned and polished)
- Flip Folder
- Water Jug (full)
- 3:00 PM Students are released to "End of Day" PIT (Band students report to band hall)
- 3:15 PM Run Through Rehearsal Stadium
- 4:45pm Inspection
- 5:00pm Dinner
- 5:45pm Get Dressed in UNIFORM
- 6:00pm Warmup Begins
- 6:20pm Move to Stadium
- 6:30pm On the starting line to Perform

### 6:35pm Perform! (PREGAME)

6:45pm Pre-Game (School Song, Fight Song, etc.)

7:00pm Kick Off

\*\*8:15 PM – Half Time – Perform with Legacies and 8th Grade Night Performance!

\*\*9:45 PM – Game Concludes (School Song, Fight Song, Announcements)

\*\*10:00 PM – Students Back in Band Hall and Dismissal

\*\*These times are approximate and will depend on the length of the football game.

#### Other Important Upcoming Events

September 9, FOOTBALL Vandegrift vs. Waco Midway @ Mary Hardin Baylor (Home Game, Neutral Site)

September 16, FOOTBALL Vandegrift vs. Stony Point @ HOME (8th Grade Night)

September 17 Dripping Springs Drumline Contest

September 19 TMEA Region Jazz Auditions (specific students only)

September 23 Contest Preview Performance

September 24 BOA Austin September 26 No School

September 30, FOOTBALL Vandegrift vs. Manor @ Manor HS

October 3 Festival of Bands
October 4 Band Booster Meeting

October 7, FOOTBALL Vandegrift vs. McNeil @ HOME (Homecoming)

October 8 Texas Marching Classic
October 10 Macy's Bootcamp Rehearsal
October 11 UIL Region Marching Contest

October 14, FOOTBALL Vandegrift vs. Round Rock @ HOME (Senior Night)

**Official Band Calendar:** Please visit our official calendar at vhsband.com. This calendar will be maintained and updated on a regular basis. <a href="https://www.vhsband.com/calendar">www.vhsband.com/calendar</a>