



Bangor Slater Bands

Bangor Area High School
187 Five Points Richmond Rd.
Bangor, PA 18013
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2022-2023 Slater Marching Band Contract

For full Handbook scan QR CODE



Marching band is an extra-curricular activity. Since marching band is not a required activity, students who choose to participate must commit to being on time to ALL rehearsals and performances. This will mean rearranging work schedules or other activities. Parents must ensure that students will be EARLY to all rehearsals and performances. Pulling up in the parking lot at rehearsal time is LATE for rehearsal. Unlike sports teams, there is no way of substituting for players who do not attend or do not perform up to standard. Failure to participate will be detrimental to the organization and will result in increased expenditures to pay the design team for drill revisions.

Schedule

I have received the schedule of activities for the year, and I make the commitment to attend rehearsals and performances, as well as band camp.

Preparation

I make the commitment to come to all rehearsals fully prepared, with my instrument in good working order, music, drill charts, dot book, pencil and all other necessary equipment. I will be dressed in appropriate clothing and running shoes. I will arrive to rehearsal with enough lead-time to be "on the field" at rehearsal time. Pulling up in the parking lot at rehearsal time is LATE for rehearsal.

Financial Commitment

I understand that there is a financial component to join the Marching Band. While we do not have band fees, fundraisers are needed in order to support our program. Small purchases of accessories (shirts, gloves, shoes, etc.) as outlined in the handbook are the responsibility of the student. I will make every effort to fulfill this commitment in a timely fashion through fundraising and volunteering for fundraisers.

Attendance

I understand that attendance at all rehearsals and performances is mandatory, unless prior arrangements have been negotiated. The Band Director may make individual exceptions based on specific circumstances. I further understand that if I miss a rehearsal, I must make up the material that was covered in the rehearsal in order to be eligible to participate in the next performance. I must fill out an absence form prior to the date to be excused from a rehearsal or performance at the beginning of the season. I have read, understand, and agree to the following attendance policy.

DEFINITIONS

Excused Absence: illness, death in the family

Un-excused Absence: work, homework, no ride, sleeping, etc.

Band Camp: IS MANDATORY!

SEASON REHEARSALS AND PERFORMANCES: Excused absences may be granted on a case-by-case basis. Only Mr. Horne will grant authorization. Emergencies will be handled on an individual basis. It is essential that no student is absent from a Show or performance. An excused absence will only be dealt with in an extreme or emergency situation and will be determined by the director.

Student's Name (PRINT)

Student's Signature

Date



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Parent Contract

I have read the Marching Band Commitment/Contract that my son or daughter has signed. I support the commitment that my son or daughter has made to the Bangor Area High School Slater Marching Band. I understand that this includes a responsibility on my part to ensure that my son or daughter has transportation to and from each rehearsal and performance. I will also take an active part in guiding my son or daughter's time management to guarantee that this commitment is fulfilled. I understand that parent marching band communication will be disseminated via the BAND app, and to receive this, I must monitor the BAND app group regularly. I understand that fundraisers are used to fund both our program and student travel costs. I understand that any fundraised money is nonrefundable. I will contact Mr. Horne if my child is in need financial assistance. I understand that participation in fundraising events is needed in order to fund our program. Furthermore, I understand that as a parent and member of the Band Boosters, I will be required to volunteer within the Band Boosters organization to ensure a successful season of the Slater. This may include, but is not limited to, helping at Band Camp, Football Games, Shows, Practices, and Fundraising activities/events.

As the saying goes, "IT TAKES A VILLAGE!" We need the support of all band families to successfully get the band on the field and on the road! Please check at least one of the following volunteer areas you or a family member would be able to help with!

_____ Concessions _____ Pit Crew _____ Uniforms (Fitting and/or repair) _____ Band Festival
_____ Program Book Ad Sales _____ Bingo/Tricky Tray _____ Apparel/Merch Sales

Parent Name (PRINT)

Parent Signature

Date

Parent Email address(es) _____

Please Return to Mr. Horne by May 31st, 2022



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Spring & Summer Rehearsals

May 10th: Color Guard & Percussion Only 2:30-4 PM

May 17th: Full Band 2:30-4:30

May 21st: 2:30-5:00

May 31st: Full Band 2:30-4:30

Color Guard & Percussion	Winds
Thursday, July 8th	Tuesday, July 6 th
Thursday, July 22nd	Tuesday, July 20 th
Thursday, July 29th	Tuesday, July 27 th
Thursday, August 5th	Tuesday, August 3 rd
All Summer Pre-Camp Rehearsals 9-11 AM	

BAND CAMP (MANDATORY)

Week 1: August 8th-11th (M-Th)

Week 2: August 15th-19th (M-F)



Visit bangorareabands.weebly.com/calendar or scan QR Code for FULL Season Calendar.



BAND APP Parent Group: Scan QR Code or go to <https://band.us/n/a1a451Sal0r9C> to join Bangor Band Parents 21-22.

