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BJ Band 8/31 Weekly Announcements

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08/31/2025 Weekly Announcements

What a wonderful Senior Night! Congratulations to our Seniors and their parents - looking forward to celebrating with you all year long! Hope everyone enjoys the long weekend! The next football game is the MADISON BOWL! We are the HOME team this year! The Sponsorship Flyer is attached. Please consider talking to your favorite businesses to see if they would want to sponsor our program

Important Items:

- 2025 Important Dates—[CLICK HERE](#)
- **TODAY- Last day to order for the Pampered Chef Fundraiser.**
- September 1st - NO SCHOOL NO REHEARSAL
- Friday Football game -James Clemens at Home - details to come from directors
- September 6th - Competition Rehearsal - 1-8pm with Parent Performance @ Stadium
- September 7th Deadline to purchase photos from Greg Machen
- September Booster Parent Meeting Thursday September 11 - online

Volunteer Opportunities - [Sign ups HERE](#)

If you're signing up for two spots (like you and a spouse or friend) - please sign up separately so we have each volunteer's name and info. We need to be able to keep track of BIB card requirements and make things run smoothly. Thanks!

BAND PHOTOS! Greg Machen Photography has pictures for the Band, Dance Team and Color Guard ready to view and purchase!

- **Deadline to order is September 7th 2025.**

- All orders are processed *after* the deadline and will be ready in approx 3 weeks.
- Web Site*: <https://greg-machen-photography.hhimagehost.com/bjhs>
 - Click on the appropriate event.
 - The password for Band, Dance Team and Color Guard is *bjhs*

Events - RCMI is taking place on Saturday, September 20th

- We are looking for gator/side-by-side/golf carts that we can borrow for RCMI. The competition space is large and being able to move around to replenish water and such is vital. Please contact Amy for further details.
- Please contact Amy Fruchtnicht for a sponsor packet. amy321@gmail.com or 315-804-1808.
- Volunteer sign-ups will be coming out soon. Be on the lookout out!

Senior Banners - Thank you everyone who helped honor our Seniors!! It was great to be able to recognize them. Volunteer opportunity available to help with Senior Banners. Senior Banners are hung for every home game.

Uniform Committee -

- WASH YOUR UNIFORM! Lots of dust at the game Friday night.
- Please remember to report any uniform issues to jenni.s.harvey@gmail.com and bring uniforms to the school on Monday if any repairs are needed. (Uniforms can be left with directors for the uniform committee to pick up)
- Any stains that don't come out with stain treatment should be reported to avoid being charged the cleaning fee. Stains and any other uniform issues can be reported using the [Uniform Issue form](#)

Dance -

- Sept 15 - Lost Pizza Fundraiser from 4-9pm Mention the Patriettes when purchasing
- Sept 27 - Patriettes Mini Camp for grades K-8 See attached Flyer

Color Guard -

- Thank you to all who came out to support the Color Guard at the Bubbles car wash! It was a great success!

- *ALL Guard members must have tights with their uniforms. Please see all uniform guidelines here:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1zUdL4Ki2JleuuWbXxltV78B9Ja1-C2LDi8OUQWrdWSI/edit?usp=drivesdk>

Fundraising - Remember it is a trip year! Participating in fundraisers can help with the expense.

- **LAST DAY!!! Pampered chef sales continue until August 31! Continue sharing the link with family and friends!**

<https://www.pamperedchef.com/party/bjhsband0801>

- Cash Prizes will be awarded to the top 3 selling students! We will be getting a total of 40% back from the fundraiser - 30% will go to the individual students, 10% to the general band fund.
- Coupon book order forms and money need to be turned in to the band box by 5:30 on Tuesday September 2nd.
 - Contact Rebecca with any questions! beccaemmons21@gmail.com
- Robin's Nest is offering BJBAND family shirts to friends and family of band members.
 - They have 2 designs offered in silver or white and that can be customized with your child's name or instrument or anything you want to add!
 - Stop by Robin's Nest or call to place your order and be ready for the first game! A portion of the sales will come back to the band as a donation!
- Mattress sale is coming up September 13. You can pick up flyers and yard signs in the band room.
- We will be selling pecans in late October/November and socks in time for Christmas as other fundraisers to benefit student fees/trip costs directly.
- Kroger Rewards -We would greatly appreciate it if you would allow Kroger to donate to the band. In your account - on a computer click on My Account, then Community Rewards and select Bob Jones Band Boosters. From your phone click on My Account, Rewards, Community Rewards and select Bob Jones Band Boosters.

Logistics - Thanks everyone who spent Saturday with us. It was a highly successful day and we couldn't do it without your help. Watch out for more volunteer opportunities for prop building. Game Day volunteer opportunities are ready for sign up!.

Student Hospitality - Saturday 9/6 we will feed the competition band dinner. This will include Publix sandwiches, salty + sweet, and fruit.

Photography Team - Please remember videos of the COMPETITION show should not be posted publicly until after the season has completed.

- Click here to access [Bob Jones Band Flickr Page](#)

Concessions - Thanks to all the volunteers that worked the stand at the game Friday night! We had an awesome team. For those that still need some volunteer hours and want to have some fun, we are in need of a cashier for the Madison Bowl on 9/5.

Please remember that if you sign up for two shifts for one night, that means that you are signing up for two people to work. You cannot sign yourself up for two shifts and plan to work those shifts yourself.

Volunteer Coordinator - If you're signed up for a position that involves working with students in any way, a BIB card is required. Link to apply [here](#). Once approved, please send a copy of your card to BobJonesBandVolunteer@gmail.com. Also, moving forward, please use this email for any volunteer-related questions to help us stay organized.

- Apply here: <https://securevolunteer.com/Madison-City-Schools/home>
- Please email a copy of your BIB card to: bobjonesbandvolunteer@gmail.com.
- Questions? Feel free to reach out by email or call/text me at 256-508-4318.

Treasurer Updates - Payments from Parent night have all been entered into CutTime. Any questions please email bjhsbands+treasurer@gmail.com CASH PAYMENTS NEED TO BE COUNTED BY DIRECTORS BEFORE BEING PUT IN BOX.

Please monitor CutTime for band related fees and payments.

You can make payments two ways:

1 - Drop off checks and/or cash in the band room drop box, ensuring checks have a valid drivers license number, 2 phone numbers, and reference the students name. For cash payments, please ensure one of the directors confirms the cash count on the envelope with the students name.

2 - Pay online through the Madison City Schools payment portal. <https://payportal-mcs.csiepay.com/Views/Payment/Pay.aspx>

Please make sure to forward the email confirmation to the treasurer.

(bjhsbands+treasurer@gmail.com)


Thanks,

Neda Ballard

Band Booster President

2 Attachments

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