

## BJ Band 11/2 Weekly Announcements

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11/2/2025

What a weekend!!!! The costumes at the Halloween trick or treating were pretty awesome! We have some very creative students! It was a fun time and it was great to see the students laughing and having fun together.

Then onto the serious note - the competition. It was clear the students were giving their all on the field - they sounded wonderful and should be very proud of their performance. While they did not make finals, they certainly performed one of their best shows yet.

Now we are getting ready for the December concert and the Indoor Groups.

If you were wanting a Patriot Program from the football season - there are a couple still available for purchase. Please email [cheerbobjoens@gmail.com](mailto:cheerbobjoens@gmail.com) if you are interested.

### *Important November/December Dates*

- Winter Guard
  - Auditions: November 10 & 12 (4-6pm)
  - Rehearsals:
    - JV: 11/18, 11/19, 12/2, 12/3, 12/9 (all 4-6pm)
    - Varsity: 11/18, 12/2, 12/9 (6-9pm); 11/20, 12/4 (4-6pm)
  - Parent Meeting: 11/18 (5:30pm)
- Indoor Winds
  - Auditions: November 10 & 12 (4-6pm)
  - Rehearsals: 11/18 (6-9pm), 11/19 (3:45–5:30pm), 12/2 (6-9pm), 12/3 (3:45–5:30pm)
  - Parent Meeting: 11/18 (6:30pm)
- Indoor Drumline
  - Rehearsals: 11/13, 11/20, 12/4 (6-9pm); 11/17, 11/24, 12/1 (3:45-6:30pm);
  - Saturday Rehearsal: 12/6 (8am-8pm)

- Parent Meeting: 11/17 (6pm)
- Concert Ensembles (all winds and percussion in marching band)
  - Rehearsals: 12/8 & 12/9 (3:45-5:30pm)
  - Concert: 12/11 (6pm)

Important Items:

- 2025 All Important Dates—[CLICK HERE](#)
- November 13th Booster Parent Meeting Virtual

Fundraising -

- **PECAN SALES ON DUE TOMORROW - Monday November 3.** Please have all forms and money turned into the bank box on Monday November 3rd.
- 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.

Student Hospitality:

Thank you to each individual for the way you contributed to the meals and snacks this weekend in Georgia!! Your students on the loading crew were also big helpers moving heavy coolers for me!

Treasurer

All volunteer credits have been entered in CutTime. If you believe you completed your Football & Competition Volunteer hours but do not see a credit in CutTime, please reach out so we can confirm your hours.

Disney

October Disney payments were due Friday, and there are quite a few accounts I have not seen payments for. As a reminder, if you paid online you must forward the receipt to the treasurer email [bjhsbands+treasurer@gmail.com](mailto:bjhsbands+treasurer@gmail.com)

Spirit Wear - Store: <https://bjband.deco-apparel.com/>

We have a revolving store! Meaning - your order will be processed in approximately 7 days from ordering. You will receive an email when your order is ready for pick up at Make it Personal!

#### Guard:

Winter Guard auditions are November 10th and 12th. Further Details being sent out by Amber separately.

#### Uniform Committee

- WASH YOUR UNIFORMS!
- Stain treatment ([CLICK HERE](#)) is essential weekly.
- Please remember to report any uniform issues to [jenni.s.harvey@gmail.com](mailto: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](#)

#### Photography Team -

The Competition Season has officially ended for us - Competition Videos can now be shared!

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

Photos from each photographer are typically uploaded within a few days after each event. Timing can vary depending on the number of pictures taken and the photographer's schedules. Not all pictures are uploaded at once. Be sure to check back throughout the week as we add more!

#### Treasurer

Payments from Parent night have all been entered into CutTime. Any questions please email [bjhsbands+treasurer@gmail.com](mailto: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.  
[\(bjhsbands+treasurer@gmail.com\)](mailto:bjhsbands+treasurer@gmail.com)

Thanks,

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