

GMS VARSITY BAND AFTER SCHOOL REHEARSALS

UIL CONCERT AND SIGHTREADING CONTEST

MANDATORY ATTENDANCE FOR VARSITY BAND MEMBERS

- Tuesday 2/13/23 – 3:45-5:00 GMS Band Hall
- Tuesday 2/20/23 - 3:45-5:00 GMS Band Hall
- Tuesday 2/27/23 – 3:45-5:00 GMS Band Hall
- Monday 3/4/23 – 3:45-5:00 GMS Band Hall
- Tuesday 3/19/23 – 3:45-5:00 GMS Band Hall
- Wednesday 3/27/23 - 3:45-5:00 GMS Band Hall
- Tuesday 4/2/23 - 3:45-6:00 Held at GHS Auditorium. (Parents welcome!)
- 4/4 or 4/5 -UIL Concert and Sightreading Contest - Gilmer High School

On 4/2, we will bus students over to GHS after school. Parents are welcome and encouraged to join us for this rehearsal! It will be a full rehearsal that will start and stop as we go just like in our regular class day. This is your chance to see how a normal day in our class works! We will be working all three UIL Concert songs in addition to sightreading. Parents will pick students up at GHS this day utilizing the stadium parking lot.

Our contest date will be either April 4th or 5th. Parents are welcome and encouraged to join us for this as well. It's free to attend. It will be during school and we will be back before school is out (Hopefully with a shiny new Sweepstakes trophy)! As soon as I know which date and time we will be performing, I will let everyone know.

These dates can always be found on the GMS Band webpage located on the GMS website.

I've worked with the coaches to make sure that there aren't any conflicts with Athletics for these dates. Please let me know ASAP about any conflicts you may have with these dates. Attendance is mandatory for these rehearsals. Not coming to one of these rehearsals can result in your grade suffering as well as removal from the Varsity Band.

The last day for chair challenges will be 3/6.

Rhett Pilcher
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