



NCHS Band Boosters Summer 2010



Dear North Cobb Band Family:

Welcome to the 2010 Marching Season! Enclosed you will find valuable information regarding our mandatory parent meeting, band booster club meetings, band practice schedules, volunteer opportunities, and special events through the beginning of September. We suggest you mark your calendars or post this information for easy reference. The North Cobb Marching Band also has an informative website which is updated regularly – please mark this site in your favorites folder: www.nchsband.com.

Pre-Camp July 14th & 15th, 5:00P – 9:00P (*Please note the date change due to teacher furlough days*).

The **mandatory Band Camp** will begin on July 19th, starting promptly at 1:00pm. Students are not allowed to leave the school grounds, so they must bring a sack dinner during the first week of camp – we don't want anyone passing out from hunger or low blood sugar! Water and Gatorade will be provided by our Chaperones during each practice to keep the students hydrated.

Medical Permission form: Each marching band student must have a signed and notarized medical permission slip on file in the band office (these forms are used in the event of a medical emergency). You may download this form from our website. Your student should bring this form on the first day of band camp. A notary will be available at the mandatory parent meeting (7/19) and on other days that week (to be announced at the meeting) for those parents who do not have access to notary services.

Mandatory parent meeting/booster club meeting: This meeting will be held on Monday, July 19th at 7:30pm in the NCHS theater. It is important that a parent attend this meeting so that you are well informed for the events that will be taking place this fall. There will also be opportunities to sign up to volunteer and to purchase spirit wear and booster shirts. There are many different ways we as parents can assist in helping ensure that our band program runs smoothly. Please take a few minutes to look over the enclosed volunteer sheet.

Chaperone Training: Any parent wishing to assist the band in any volunteer capacity must attend a mandatory chaperone training session. The first training date is Monday, July 26th at 7:30pm. Additional training sessions will be listed on the website.

Family Day will be held on the last day of Band Camp, July 31st from 5-9:00pm. Family and friends are invited to join the band members for dinner and to see what the band has accomplished on the marching show during their first two weeks of band camp. The dinner expense for the marching students has been covered in their band fees. Additional information regarding the purchase for additional family dinner tickets will be provided at the mandatory parent meeting on July 19th. This is a big day for the band and we hope you will join us – it is a fun day for all who attend and participate.

As of today this information is accurate, but some dates are subject to change. We will be contacting you through e-mail to keep you up to date. Please be sure that we have your current e-mail address on file. We hope that you find this information helpful and we look forward to seeing you soon.

Sincerely,

Lynda Olle & Serena Moore
Welcome Committee



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NCHS Marching Band Summer Schedule

Date	Time	Event
July 14/15	5P – 9P	Pre-camp marching practice (notice date change due to furlough days)
July 15		Marching band fee #3 (\$80) due
July 19	7:30P	Mandatory parent meeting / booster club meeting in the NCHS Theater
July 19 – 22	1P-4P & 5P-9P	MANDATORY FULL BAND PRACTICE-bring a sack dinner
July 23		Medical forms due!
July 26	7:30P	Chaperone Training in Orchestra Room
July 26 – 30	5P – 9P	MANDATORY FULL BAND PRACTICE
July 31	9A – 9P	MANDATORY FULL BAND PRACTICE
July 31	5P – 9P	Family Day Dinner and Performance. Family meal tickets go on sale July 19 th at the mandatory parent meeting.
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August 2/3	5P – 9P	Band practice
August 5		First day of school – no band practice
August 9	4P – 6P	Band practice (only 2 hours this night)
August 10/12	4P – 7P	Band practice
August 15		Marching band fee #4 (\$80) due
August 16	4P – 6P	Band practice (only 2 hours this night)
August 16	7:00P	Booster Club/Parent Meeting in the band room
August 17/19	4P – 7P	Band practice
August 23	4P – 6P	Band practice (only 2 hours this night)
August 24/26	4P – 7P	Band practice
August 27		Season-opener football game at Alpharetta High School
August 31	4P – 7P	Band practice

Save the Date (More information coming soon!)

Braves Game – September 14

Exhibition – October 4

Competition Dates – October 16, 23, & 30

2010 NCHS FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
Aug 13 th	Allatoona (Scrimmage, no band)	Home	7:30 PM
Aug 27 th	Alpharetta	Away	7:30 PM
Sept 3 rd	Centennial	Home	7:30 PM
Sept 10 th	Lassiter	Away	7:30 PM
Sept 17 th	Kennesaw Mountain	Home	7:30 PM
Sept 24 th	~ BYE WEEK ~		
Oct 1 st	Campbell	Away	7:30 PM
Oct 8 th	Pebblebrook	Home	7:30 PM
Oct 15 th	Hillgrove	Home	7:30 PM
Oct 22 nd	McEachern	Away	7:30 PM
Oct 29 th	South Cobb (Senior Night)	Home	7:30 PM
Nov 5 th	Harrison	Away	7:30 PM