Avon Grove Marching Band Pre-Season Updates: February

## Get Excited

Plans are underway for the 2016 Marching Band Season! Your staff believes this will be our best year yet and we can't wait to get started!

We wanted to let you know some important dates, so you can plan accordingly.

- **May 11** Informational Meeting and first rehearsal. 6pm-8pm. AGHS (meet in band room area). We will announce our show, staff, and get started on our journey! This is for all sections: winds, percussion, guard.
- 3 other evenings before school is out (dates TBD) we will have "mini-camp" rehearsals. One of these evenings will also be a parent information night.
- Thursday, May 26 MEMORIAL DAY parade practice 6pm-8pm. Everyone must attend, remember we are doing NEW music and routines for this.
- Saturday, May 28- West Grove Memorial Day Parade (for ALL 2015 members).
- June-July-August Summer Training. We will run rehearsals 2 days a week during the summer. One will be a visual focus, one will be a musical focus. It is assumed that students will be in and out of these rehearsals for vacations. The thought behind the earlier start is to provide more meeting opportunities for students so that no matter when they vacation, there are still times they can come in. The goal is to have the entire band better prepared for camp. The complete schedule of dates is coming soon.
- Percussion Mini-Camp (dates TBD)
- BAND CAMP- Home Camp will be **August 8-12**, Away Camp will be **August 15-19** at Refreshing Mountain Camp.
- HOMECOMING- September 24 (tentative)
- HOME SHOW- October 15 (tentative)

Dates are being added to the <u>Music Dept. Google Calendar</u> as they become finalized, please check back often for updates.

### Indoor Season

- We are SO PROUD of our students involved in indoor guard, indoor percussion, and jazz band. Not only are they having great performances, they are developing skills that will make our entire ensemble stronger this fall!
- Please help support them AND assist in one of our most important fundraisers by volunteering and donating items for the Indoor Showcase on March 12. See this <u>FLYER</u> to see how you can help.



#### REMIND

 Our NEW Remind for the 2016 Fall Season has been created. See the info below to sign up to receive updates for this upcoming season. We'll be using the 2015 AND the 2016 Reminds until the Memorial Day Parade; after that the 2015 ones will be deleted (you don't have to unsubscribe). Avon Grove Marching Band Pre-Season Updates: February

# Mrs. Adcock would like you to join AGMB-2016-Info!



#### Sign Up Now to receive messages about the upcoming 2016 Marching Band Season!

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