Hello Tiger Band Members,

Thank you all for a great weekend. It was a testament to what the students and parents of Millennium High School Band has become. First both concert groups qualified for the state concert festival and then the Winter Drum Line received $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ place at the WGI regional. Congratulations to everyone. We have another packed week ahead of us

Here is what is coming up:

All State Auditions – The following students have their all state audition on Friday March 8, 2013. Please not your parents will need to transport you to the event. It is at Gilbert High School. The address is 1101 E. Elliot Road, Gilbert, Arizona 85234.

Haley Brown	7:48 PM Friday
Jon Malapit	7:44 PM Friday
Jeremy Ulm	7:52 PM Friday
Gabe Corgan	7:44 PM Friday
Christine Xu	11:05 AM Saturday

Tux and dresses - We received all the dresses. Please get them all paid for. The tux payment is to Lesuer's tuxedo in Mesa and the dress payment is to the boosters. **Please do not send them to the bookstore**.

Winter Drum Line and winter guard—The season is over in a month and we are waiting on payments to finish ordering supplies.

Band Camp – Band Camp is approved. Please start making payments to the bookstore. Camp will cost \$485.00 for all winds and brass and \$585.00 for guard members. This will include the \$100.00 participation fee for this year. You will not have to pay it when the school year begins. Please let me know if you are on free and reduced lunch and we will adjust as per the school policy. Payment schedule will be as follows:

Brass and winds

February 19, 2013	\$75.00
March 19, 2013	\$100.00
April 17, 2013	\$100.00
May 14, 2013	\$100.00
June 5, 2013	\$110.00

Percussion and guard (Please finish winter payments first)

March 19, 2013	\$135.00
April 17, 2013	\$150.00
May 14, 2013	\$150.00
June 5, 2013	\$150.00

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Band debts - Please check the charms accounts as we are posting payments every two weeks. On April 15 I will turn all outstanding debts over to the bookstore to be placed on the student accounts. If you are on a payment plan you will continue making payments as schedule and all will be the same. If you have not made arrangements you will need to do so. This will include this year's debts only. Please know that if you have debts you will not be able to purchase dance tickets or other school engagements without a significant payment plan once turned over to the MHS Bookstore.

Band Banquet – If you did not make your registration payment and form, please contact Joanne Anderson at volunteer@millenniumhighschoolband.org.

Jazz Band Concert – Jazz Band has a concert on March 4, 2013. The concert is at 6:00 PM. Doors will open at 5:40 PM. Report time for jazz band members is 4:45 PM to set up. All other band members need to be at the concert by 6:00 PM to support the jazz band. Winter Guard members will not change practice times. If the concert is still going on after practice you are welcome to attend. Cost of the concert is 5.00 per person, under 5 are free, families of 3 or more will be 10.00. Students in the MHS Band do not need to pay.

Symphonic band and Wind Ensemble Concert- The concert is on March 5 at 6:00 PM. Doors will open at 4:40 PM. The cost is \$5.00 for each concert, families of 3 or more will be 10.00. Students are required to go to both concerts but will not have to pay. Winter Drum Line will end rehearsal a little bit early to make sure that they can change in time for the concert. Spring sports students please get with me and we will see how to make it work with your schedule.

Wind ensemble report time 5:15 PM Symphonic Band Report time 5:00 PM

Area Jazz Festival – (Jazz Bands ONLY)Wednesday March 6. Area is where we take the jazz band to area at Agua Fria we have and we play them for a rating. Please bring money for lunch as we will stop at McDonalds on the way back to eat due to the fact that C Lunch will be over by the time we get back. If you are available and would like to go, please let me know.

Report

7:45 AM Report
8:05 AM Bus Leaves
9:30 AM Jazz 2 Performs
11:00 AM Jazz 1 Performs

12:00 PM Leave for Lunch and return to MHS

Gilbert and Highland Drum Line Show - Winter Drum Line and Guard Even though the event is split at two locations we will still take one bus. The bus will be very packed. We need people to ride the bus, unfortunately we will not have any extra passes. Please check wgaz.org for ticket prices. Students will need money for lunch and dinner at concession stands. Both groups will need snacks as lunch times will be a little later. Drum line will load on Friday after practice. Please make sure to bring your water jug like marching band.

Guard Location

Highland High School 4301 E Guadalupe Rd Gilbert, AZ 85234

Drum Line Location

Gilbert High School 1101 E. Elliot Road Gilbert, Arizona 85234.

9:45 AM Report to MHS

10:15 AM Leave MHS for Gilbert 11:15 AM Arrive Mesquite

10:45-11:23 AM Unload Trailer Percussion stays guard leaves for

Highland

11:23 AM Guard Leaves for Highland 11:40 – 4:00 PM Guard Rehearse @ Highland 11:23 AM Drum line Rehearse @ Gilbert

1:23 PM Dress

2:23 PM Performance
3:13 PM Awards
3:45-4:15 PM Load Trailer
4:15 PM Leave for Dinner
5:10 PM Guard Performs

5:20-5:30 PM Meet guard and reload trailer

5:30 – 7:00 PM Go to Dinner

7:00 PM Return for Guard awards

8:18 PM Awards

8:45 PM Leave For MHS 9:45 PM Return MHS

Fundraiser – We will be starting the Little Ceasers pizza kits and butter braids this week

Monday March 4, 2013

3:15-7:00 PM Winter Guard Rehearsal

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6:00 – 7:00 PM Jazz Band Concert – All Attend

Tuesday, March 5, 2013

3:00-5:15 PM Drum Line Practice 6:00 PM Concert Band Concert

Wednesday, March 6, 2013

3:15-5:00 PM Winter Guard Rehearsal

8:00 AM -1:00 PM Jazz Band Area

6:00 – 7:00 PM Jazz Band 2 Rehearsal 7:15 – 8:30 PM Jazz Band 1 Rehearsal

Thursday, March 7, 2013

3:00-6:00 PM Drum Line Practice

6:30 PM MHS Band Booster Meeting 7:00 – 9:00 PM Drum Major Meeting

Friday, March 1, 2013

3:00-6:00 PM Drum Line Practice 6:00 PM All State Auditions

Saturday, March 2, 2013

9:45 AM -9:45 PM Gilbert and Highland

I know this is a lot of information, but I will try and do this every week. If you have any questions please let me know.

Musically,

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