

North Harrison Percussion Department

Summer Schedule 2010

June: Monday (6/21) Camp for Bass Drums: 1 PM – 5 PM

Tuesday (6/22) Camp for Bass Drums: 1 PM – 5 PM

Wednesday (6/23) Camp for Snares/Tenors: 1 PM – 5 PM

Thursday (6/24) Camp for Full Battery: 11 AM – 6 PM

Friday (6/25) Tentative Summer Pool Party @ 2 PM!!!

Monday (6/28) Camp for Front Ensemble: 1 PM – 5 PM

Tuesday (6/29) Camp for Front Ensemble: 1 PM – 5 PM

Wednesday (6/30) Camp for Front Ensemble: 1 PM – 5 PM

July: Tuesday (7/6) Rehearsal: 6 PM – 8:30 PM

Thursday (7/8) Rehearsal: 6 PM – 8:30 PM

Saturday (7/10) Tentative Camp with Jon Corson: 10 AM – 6 PM

Monday – Friday (7/12 – 7/16): Music Camp – 10 AM – 5 PM

Monday – Friday (7/19 – 7/23): Band Camp – 8 AM – 5 PM

Sunday (7/25) Corydon Parade: 5:30 PM

August: Tuesday (8/3) Rehearsal: 6 PM – 9 PM

Thursday (8/5) Rehearsal: 6 PM – 9 PM

Tuesday (8/10) Rehearsal: 6 PM – 9 PM

Thursday (8/12) Rehearsal: 6 PM – 9 PM

PERFORMANCE AND REHEARSAL SCHEDULE WILL BE GIVEN AT THE BEGINNING OF THE 2010 SCHOOL YEAR. WE WILL FOLLOW THE TUESDAY/THURSDAY SCHEDULE ONCE SCHOOL IS IN SESSION.

Hey all,

There are quite a few things to discuss with the summer schedule mentioned above.

For June, we'll be having our audition rehearsals. For 6/21 and 6/22, we'll be auditioning for the bass drum line. These will be closed auditions, so make sure to ask in case you're wondering if you need to be there or not. Please don't assume that you won't be marching a bass drum. Ask me if you have any questions.

For 6/23, the snares and tenors will be catching up with what the basses cover the days prior to. On Thursday, the battery will be rehearsing as a full ensemble. For students that don't make the line for the fall, we'll have some open spots in the front ensemble. These spots are crucial to the success of the percussion ensemble, so while we'll try to give students what they want, please understand that we need to place students where they are needed most.

That Friday, we'll have our annual summer party for the entire percussion ensemble. This will tentatively be held at the residence of Brantley Heath. Directions will be made available throughout auditions week.

The following week will be camps for the front ensemble. While the winter mallet players are more than welcome to attend (and encouraged to attend!), it won't be mandatory for them. The other mallet ensemble rehearsal for the summer will be a camp with Jon Corson. The tentative date is set for 7/10. Both the fall and winter mallet players will need to make this camp, as it will be a tremendous opportunity to work with Jon for a camp day.

Other than that, things are pretty straightforward. For July, we have full band rehearsals on 7/6 and 7/8. We also have music camp, with each day consisting of rehearsals from 10 AM – 5 PM. The week following, we'll have band camp with each day consisting of rehearsals from 8 AM – 5 PM.

As always, I understand if summer vacations conflict with rehearsals. Just do your best to make what you can, and be ready to make up for any lost rehearsal time due to vacations. Let's work together to make this an even more successful season than last year!

Let me know if you have any questions whatsoever.

Sincerely,

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