



CENTENNIAL HIGH SCHOOL BAND & COLORGUARD

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*HUSKY MARCHING ALLIANCE ~ FESTIVAL WINDS ~ CONCERT BAND
WINTER GUARD ~ PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE ~ JAZZ BAND ~ PEP BAND*

Huskies,

Welcome to the home of Heroes, Leaders, and Champions! We look forward to a great fall season, which begins with our "audition" camp on June 4th-8th. We have an exciting season planned, including football games, field shows, parades, and concerts. The Cen10 Band & Colorguard is a full-service program, with many different performance options available for our great students. Please take some time to read this material, and feel free to ask any questions by contacting Mr. Gaughan at (951) 739-5670 x.20607 or via email at mgaughan@cnsd.k12.ca.us.

THE HUSKY MARCHING ALLIANCE (HMA)

The HMA is our award-winning Marching Band, which includes winds, percussion, and colorguard. We perform at football games, parades, field shows, special events, pep rallies, assemblies, and other events throughout the year. Our primary competition season runs September to December. The HMA is a 7-time State Band Championship finalist, most recently finishing 4th in Division 5A in 2018. We have won numerous Sweepstakes and First Place awards, and have marched at Disneyland and the Hollywood Christmas Parade.



2 WAYS 2 PLAY IN THE HMA

HMA FIELD BAND

- Membership is by audition
- Competition field show ensemble
- Members participate in all events except Pep Band.
- 3-4 rehearsals per week

HMA PARADE BAND

- Includes ALL members
- Perform at football games, parades, and assemblies
- 1-2 rehearsals per week

2018 Summer Schedule:

June 4	9:00-5:00	Rookie Day – new members/section leaders/captains
June 5-7	9:00-5:00	Camp Day – All members
June 8	9:00-5:00	Audition Day – students will audition in groups at assigned times
Tuesdays, June 12-July 17	6:00-9:00	Full HMA rehearsal with P.T./marching/music
July 31, August 1-4 & 6-7	8:00-4:00	FALL BAND CAMP – All members
Saturday, August 4 th	@ 6:00 PM	Welcome Back Barbecue – hosted by Booster Board! <i>This event is for members and their family.</i>

- ✓ Uniform fittings will take place during our Tuesday night rehearsals.
- ✓ All members must wear PE clothes & athletic shoes to summer rehearsals.
- ✓ All members must have a water bottle (1-gallon Coleman-red), labeled with their name, at all rehearsals.
- ✓ Meals are not provided, so bring your own food to camp days.
- ✓ Sunscreen and a hat are your friend. Sunglasses, too!



Coleman 1-gallon jug – buy it in RED

ALL MEMBERS OF THE HMA MUST SUBMIT A COMPLETED ATHLETIC PHYSICAL PACKET BY JUNE 8TH.

Students enrolled in Marching Band will earn PE credit for the fall semester. If you participate all four years, you can earn PE credit and never have to take a “regular” PE class! This also frees up a period in your regular day schedule. [All new members will be enrolled in Marching Band PE. Parents must contact Mr. Gaughan in order to make other arrangements.] We will be graduating several IB Diploma students this year, and the majority of band students are enrolled in multiple AP classes. If you have questions regarding your student’s schedule, please contact your counselor

2018 HMA FALL SCHEDULE

REHEARSALS

(F) FIELD BAND

(P) PARADE BAND (ALL MEMBERS)

REGULAR REHEARSAL SCHEDULE:

Mondays, 3:00-5:30 (P)
 Tuesdays, 6:00-9:00 PM (F)
 *Thursdays, 3:00-5:30 (F)

OTHER REHEARSALS:

Saturday, August 11, 8:00-12:00 (F)
 Friday, August 24, 6:00-9:00 PM (F)
 Friday, September 7, 3:00-5:30 (P)

*Thursdays in August will run 6:00-9:00 due to expected high temperatures.
 Rehearsals may be limited or cancelled based on the decision of the Head Athletic Trainer.

Rehearsals may be added or rescheduled based on other school events, weather, student availability, etc. We will do our best to give one week's notice of any change in schedule.

PERFORMANCES

<u>Day/Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Approximate Time</u>
Sat Aug 4	Welcome Back Barbecue (P)	Cen10	5:00-8:00
Thur Aug 16	Football Kick-Off Night (P)	Cen10	During our rehearsal time
Fri Aug 17	Varsity Football Game (P)	Cen10	5:00-10:00
Fri Aug 31	Varsity Football Game (P)	Cen10	5:00-10:00
Sep TBD	L.A. County Fair Parade (P)	Pomona	2:00-9:30
Fri Sep 14	Varsity Football Game (P)	Cen10	5:00-10:00
Sat Sep 22	Field Show Clinic (F)	Riverside	10:00-3:00
Sat Oct 6	UCLA Band Day (P)	Pasadena	TBD
Sat Oct 13	CSBC Field Tournament (F)	Meniffee	3:00-10:00
Fri Oct 19	Varsity Football Game (P)	Cen10	5:00-10:00
Sat Oct 20	CIRCLE CITY CLASSIC (P)	CEN10	All Day (our home show)
Thur Oct 25	Varsity Football Game (P)	Cen10	5:00-10:00
Sat Nov 3	CSBC Field Tournament (F)	Riverside	3:00-10:00
Sat Nov 10	CSBC Semi-Finals (F)	Mission Viejo	TBD
Sat Nov 17	CSBC CHAMPIONSHIPS (F)	Hunt. Beach	TBD
Nov/Dec ?	Disneyland Parade (P)	Anaheim	TBD (audition application)
Nov/Dec	CIF Football Playoffs (P/Pep)	TBD	TBD

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Marching Band is a course for credit on your student's schedule. All students are required to attend all rehearsals and events, and all CNUUSD and Centennial attendance policies will be in effect at all times. We also enforce a "3 Strikes" Policy. If any member misses three rehearsals, parents will be notified and any further absences may result in a failing grade and/or removal from the program. The only excused absences from a performance are serious illness, family weddings/funerals, and major religious activity.

CONCERT BAND

All freshmen will also be enrolled in Concert Band. This is a class during the regular day, similar to the class you may have taken during jr. high. We rehearse daily, and the focus is on concert music, music theory, and sit-down performances. We have a limited supply of school instruments and recommend that you rent or purchase your own instrument. If you play tuba, baritone, bari sax, or percussion, an instrument will be provided.

Concert Band Performances (fall only): September 25 & December 13

PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE

All percussionists of all grades will be enrolled in this course during the day, instead of Concert Band. In this class students will learn how to play a variety of instruments, including both marching and concert percussion. We will rehearse marching band and concert music. Performances include those for Concert Band, Festival Winds, Pep Band, and Marching Band.

MARCHING AUXILIARY UNIT/TALL FLAGS

This is the class for all members of the colorguard. This class will be held during 6th period. All members will be expected to “dress out” daily, and rehearsals will be held in the Band Room, on the stage, or outdoors as needed. This class is supervised by the Band Director and rehearsals are run by either student Captains or adult staff.

“We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence then, is not an act but a habit.” -Aristotle

CENTENNIAL BAND & COLORGUARD STAFF

Michael Gaughan, Band Director (2004)

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