

September 5, 2018



Our Festival of Bands is just around the corner — Saturday, September 22 at 6 pm, and you do not want to miss this evening of music, fun, and friendship.

Nine area bands with over 1100 performers will present their 2018 marching shows, including: Strath Haven High School, Garnet Valley High School, Owen J. Roberts High School, Henderson High School, Springfield High School, Brandywine High School, Lampeter-Strasburg High School, Springton Lake Middle School, and Penncrest High School. Plus there will be an epic drum-line battle and an all-band finale!

There will also be great food, fun, and festivities on our Midway including a snack bar, food vendors, bakery shoppe, event T-shirts, 50/50 raffle, and more.

How can you be a part of the fun?

- 1) Sign up to volunteer [2018-2019 PHS Band Parents: 2018 Festival of Bands](#) and/or to donate refreshments [2018-2019 PHS Band Parents: Refreshments - Festival of Bands](#)
- 2) Spread the word to your family and friends with our poster penncrestband.org/images/2018-2019/pdfs/Festival2018/FestivalPoster2018.pdf
- 3) Pre-order your t-shirts at [2018 Festival of Bands](#). They're just \$8 if you order now (\$10 at the show); deadline is September 10. Supplies will be limited at the show so pre-ordering is the way to go.

Last year was our first Festival and the kids, parents, and audience all had a blast while raising money for the band and making new band friends. Come join the fun on this fantastic night! Questions? Contact Susan & Sunny at PHSBandFest@gmail.com

UNIFORMS

Uniform distribution is complete! Your child should have everything he/she needs to dress in FULL UNIFORM for Friday's home football game against Strath Haven. During his/her fitting, your child was given an information sheet detailing care instructions for the uniform. PLEASE READ IT! If you cannot locate this form, you can read uniform care instructions in the band handbook, or click here to access it: <http://www.penncrestband.org/images/2018-2019/pdfs/UniformCare2018.pdf>

Please remember - your child is responsible for any damage to the uniform as a result of neglect, accidental or deliberate actions.

For those who ordered a white tuxedo shirt.....these shirts are used during the concert band season (after marching band). Instrumentalists will be measured for their tux shirt during band class some time after Winter Break and receive their shirt prior to the Winter concert in February.

BAND CAMP FUN

Congratulations to the following students who won Band Camp awards:

- Rookie of the Day (8/29): Baye Fletcher
- Veteran of the Day (8/29): Maura Morris
- Most Prepared Musician: Adam Dougherty
- Most Prepared Marcher: Erick Wade
- Silent but Deadly: Sarah Ahlgren
- Spirit Award: Archer Castle
- Most Improved: Cody Kelly
- Uber Rookie: Sophia Lenderman
- Crash & Burn of Champions Winner: Maura Morris