



SOUTHSIDE BAND WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Week of February 18, 2019

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Week at a Glance

Monday 2/18	Tuesday 2/19	Wednesday 2/20	Thursday 2/21	Friday 2/22
<i>President's Day No School</i>	Symphonic Band MPA Rehearsal 3:00 – 5:00 pm	ACT TESTING Yes, 7 th period will meet & REHEARSE! Be at school!		

Important Information

1. **Band Fees & Concert Attire:** Please be sure to take care of any and all outstanding financial obligations as soon as possible. All fees for the 2018-2019 school year (including concert attire) must be **paid in full by the May 7th Spring Concert**. Balances may be found by logging into Charms, or by contacting the band office.
*A reminder, band fees may now be paid online through the *school's* website.
2. **Calendar:** The spring calendar has been published online along with an overview page and the dates for this summer's band camp. Please take a look at our rehearsal and performance schedule online at <http://www.shs-band.com/calendar.html>
3. **State MPA:** State Music Performance Assessment is the most important performance of our year. Think of it as standardized testing for music. Please be sure to check the calendar for all after-school commitments. **PARENTS: encourage your child to practice every day!!!!**
4. **FORMAL ATTIRE RULES & GUIDELINES:** Parents, please review the following rules and guidelines for our formal attire and make sure that you and your child knows what is expected and required for all performances.

Ladies:

- Concert black dress designated by the band directors
- Black pantyhose must be worn, closed toed black dress shoe with not too large of a heel
- Appropriate undergarments that do not show
- No wrist jewelry, simple earrings only
- Pear necklaces are provided and collected by the band

Gentlemen:

- Full tuxedo set (coat, trousers, tux shirt, bowtie, vest, black dress shoes)
- Long, black socks with appropriate dress shoes must be worn
- Plain white undershirt (no graphic tees – they will show through) (do not go without an undershirt....we will see too much under stage lights)
- No wrist jewelry, or piercings of any kind
- Comb your hair...seriously guys; let's not look like schlubs.

Upcoming Events

- **Symphonic Band MPA Rehearsal** – February 19th, 3-5 pm
- **State MPA** – Feb. 25 – March 1, 2019 – Gadsden City HS Auditorium *open and free to the public.

Student Shout Out

This week's shout out goes to Grayson Davis for being the world's friendliest door greeter! Thanks for always having such a huge smile for everyone.

***Remember – ATTITUDES aren't learned; they're CAUGHT!**

Thought of the Week

"Finally; **whatever is** true, **whatever is** noble, **whatever is** right, **whatever is** pure, **whatever is** lovely, **whatever is** admirable — if anything is excellent or praiseworthy — think about such things."

- Paul of Tarsus