

September 22, USBands Northern VA Regionals, Purcellville SCHEDULE:

Bring a bag lunch to eat when we arrive at the competition!

No food in the band room.

Bring a small, easy to eat snack for after the competition, to eat on our way back to FHS, and/or bring some money, there *might* be an opportunity to get something at concessions.

Arrive at school in uniform carrying your jacket in your garment bag

- 9:30 AM: Truck loading crew reports, load truck
- 10:30 AM: **ALL MB MEMBERS** report to FHS band room, load truck with larger instruments, flags and coolers
- 10:30 AM: Parent volunteers report
- 11:15 AM Truck Leaves
- 11:15 PM: Load school buses (students carry hat boxes (put your gloves inside); clarinets and flutes in cases are carried onto the bus); Do not eat on the way to the competition (Eat your lunch before you get on the bus); water and Gatorade will be available at the competition
- 11:30 AM: Buses leave FHS for Purcellville
- 12:45 PM: Buses and truck arrive at competition; students with instruments on the truck go to the truck to unload, unload buses prepare for warm-up
- 1:45 PM?: FHS warm up
- 2:45 PM: FHS MB and PIT at stadium gate
- 3:00 PM:** **FHS Performance time**, immediately after performance pit crew, pit volunteers secure instruments ALL band members sit in stadium to see other bands perform. There might be an opportunity to buy something at the concessions. This will be the band director's decision.
- 3:45 PM Drum Majors report to band entrance gate
- 5:00 PM: MB & CG return to buses and truck after awards; load truck and buses
- 5:45 PM: Depart competition for FHS
- 7:00 PM: Arrive FHS, unpack buses and unload truck

Competition UNIFORM INSTRUCTIONS:

MB Students:

- arrive at band room wearing: show shirt, athletic shorts or leggings, calf length solid black socks, drill masters and bibbers
- bring with you on bus: hat box (with gloves inside), jacket (in garment bag), and your instrument and accessories

CG Students

- arrive at band room wearing full show costume, including black jazz shoes and socks (no sneakers, boots, etc.)
- have all makeup and hair 100% completed before the bus loading at 11:45 PM
- bring with you: flags in flag case and after performance uniform

Competition spectator information:

Woodgrove High School

36811 Alder School Rd., Purcellville, VA 20132

FHS Performance Time is 3:00 PM, Awards at 4:30 PM

SPECTATOR ENTRANCE FEE: \$15 cash, Concessions available bring cash