

2011-2012 PRIDE OF PICKENS BAND CALENDAR

As of June 20, 2011

June 28	General Meeting at PHS in the band room at 6:00- come meet Mr. Oubre and hear about this coming year.
July 14-15	Percussion Pre-Camp, 9am to 6pm
July 15	Rookie Camp- all new marchers and selected leadership should report. 8:30am to 4pm- more info to come!
July 18-22	Full Band Camp at PHS (Schedule will be in the summer mail out) plan on 8:30am to 8:00pm
July 22	Marching Band Exhibition and Cookout in the Stadium
July 26	Band pictures (full band and sections) and music/drill rehearsal, 5:30-8pm
July 28-29	Teacher Pre-Planning
July 28	Music/drill rehearsal, 5:30-8pm
August 1-2	Teacher Pre-Planning
August 1 or 2 (tent.)	PHS Open House
August 3	First Day of school- begin school-day MB rehearsal schedule as follows: Mondays- Percussion only, 3:30-6pm....Color Guard- TBA for time Tuesdays- MB, Full Band, 3:30-6pm Thursdays- MB, Full Band, 3:30-6pm
August 16	Booster Meeting 6:00 general meeting
August 18	West Hall (Home Scrimmage) 7:00 game start WE WILL perform at this scrimmage game.
August 26	vs. Dawson (Away)
September 2	vs. Fannin (Home)
September 5	No school
September 9	vs. Ringgold (Away)
September 16	vs. Heritage (Away)
September 23	No home football game
September 24	GMMF
September 27	Booster Meeting 6:00 general meeting
September 30	vs. Murray (Homecoming)
October 1	Marble Festival Parade
October 1	CONTEST- Rehearsal after Parade at PHS before departure
October 6	In-service (No school for students)
October 7	Fall break (We still play at the game on Friday night vs. Cedartown)
October 7	vs. Cedartown (Home)
October 14	vs. Gilmer (Away)
October 15 or 22	Contest Performance, location TBA- rehearsal in the AM before departure (exact date decided ASAP)
October 20	Fall Concert 7pm, PAC
October 21	vs. Allatoona (Home) – possibly EIGHTH GRADE NIGHT with JMS and PCMS
October (Date TBA)	First Round All-State Jazz Auditions (Location TBA)
October 27	Marching practice, 4-5pm
October 28	vs. Cartersville (Away)
November 1	PHS Band Auditions
November 3	Marching practice, 4-5pm
November 4	vs. Play-In Game and Senior Night
November 8	Booster Meeting 6:00 general meeting
November 10	Veterans Day Parade...info TBA
November 11	Veterans Day Concert...info TBA
November 11	First Round Playoffs
November 21-25	Thanksgiving Break
December 1	Jasper Christmas Parade Rehearsal, 4pm-6pm (this will also be Drum Major auditions, etc.)
December 3	Jasper Christmas Parade at 6pm, call time TBA
December 8	Winter Concert 7pm
December 10	District (first-round) All-State/Honor Band Auditions- location TBA
December 16	Last day of First Semester
December 19-30	Christmas Holiday

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January 2	New Years Day Holiday
January 3	In-Service for teachers
January 4	Return to school- 1 st day of 2 nd semester
January 7	Second Round All-State Final Audition- Houston County, GA
January 10	Booster Meeting 6:00 general meeting
January 16	MLK Holiday (No School)
January 19-22	UGA Janfest
January 26-28	GMEA Convention, Savannah (Director)
February (exact date TBA)	District 9 Honor Band
February 20	Presidents Day Holiday
March 1-3	All-State Band, Savannah
March 6	Booster Meeting 6:00 general meeting
March (exact date TBA)	District 9 HS Band Large Group Performance Evaluations, Reinhardt College
March 9	In-Service for teachers
March 23-24	NBA/CBDNA Southern Division Meeting (Director)
April 3	Booster Meeting 6:00 general meeting
April 2-6	Percussion Camp (tryouts for incoming 9 th graders and current members) 4:00-6pm
April 2-6	Guard audition clinic (4/6 opt. help day) 4:00-6pm
April 9	Guard Audition, 4-6pm
April 16-20	Spring Break
April 24-26	Rookie Camp (required for all incoming 9 th graders and new marchers for marching band) 4:00-6pm
May 7	Spring Concert 7pm at PHS
May 15	Band Banquet at PHS
May 18	Last Day of School
May 19	Graduation
May 22	Booster Meeting 6:00 general meeting

This calendar is being provided in June of 2011 as a way for band members and their families to begin planning job, family, church, other school activities/clubs, etc. schedules to work with these band dates. NOT included are sectional and/or full band rehearsals that will be called in preparation for any bold-faced concert/festival dates. Such dates will be announced no less than 2 weeks prior.