

Marriotts Ridge High School Band

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Dear Symphonic Wind Ensemble Students and Caregivers,

Here is the information about our performance at the Howard County Band Festival. The date and location is **Thursday, March 20th, 2025 at Glenelg High School**. This is an important graded performance, so please read this information carefully and be sure to have all schedule conflicts resolved ahead of time. **Attendance is absolutely mandatory, and the performance is a large part of the third quarter grade for the class.**

March 20th Band Festival Itinerary

- 12:45 Students report to the band room after D Lunch, change into concert attire, gather equipment
- 1:15 Depart MRHS for Glenelg High School
- 1:45 Arrive at Glenelg, Unload busses, Move to auditorium
- 2:00 Watch/Listen to LRHS Concert Band
- 2:35 Warm up in Choral Room**
- 3:10 Adjudicated performance on stage**
- 3:45 Sight-Reading performance in band room**
- 4:45 Listen to LRHS Wind Ensemble
- 5:15 Pack up and get ready to depart GHS
- 5:45 Depart GHS
- 6:15 Arrive at MRHS. Students dismissed after all equipment is unloaded and stored correctly

We will dress in concert attire for the performance. **You may wear your concert attire to school or be prepared to change into it before we depart.** Bring EVERYTHING you will need for the performance. Be sure to double check! All times are approximate and may be adjusted. Be prepared to be flexible.

When we participate in events such as this, students are expected to conduct themselves **professionally** and **appropriately** at all times. The student Code of Conduct will be strictly enforced. Students who fail to uphold these expectations will lose grade points from the Procedures and Practices grade and may be subject to disciplinary action.

Parents, please plan on attending the performance if you able! The festival is free and open to the public. Your teenager may not show it, but they do very much appreciate your support. Performing for a large audience is exciting as a performer and many times these festivals have far too many empty seats. We want the best and largest audience support.

Please fill out the form below. Detach and return to Mr. Ellis no later than March 14th.

_____ will attend this performance.

Print student name

We have read all of the information in the above itinerary. We understand that the all HCPSS policies and student Code of Conduct will be strictly enforced. Our signatures below indicate understanding and permission to participate in this event.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

I can be available to assist with _____ Equipment Transportation _____ Student Supervision

Parent Phone/Email if you can assist _____