



Weekly Cadence

9/30/19

Cadence - A rhythmic pattern performed with drums to keep a marching unit synchronized.

A quick 🎵 from member, Leah Whitfield,

Hello! My name is Leah Whitfield and I am a junior flute player. Last Saturday, we worked on part three music and drill. We're all so excited to put the last movement on the field with new music and new drill! The camp day was really fun and we got a lot done. Although the music is very different from what we usually play, it's really easy to groove to and the dance breaks in the ballad are so fun! I love the show this season and am excited to produce it in the coming weeks!

Throughout my three years in the band, I have been continuously impressed with how much people grow during their first year, myself included. Not only does marching technique improve, but motivation, mental focus, and physical strength grow. In my experience, band taught me how to maintain my focus for long periods of time and take advantage of every second to improve. Students also gradually start to take more responsibility. The tech crew has adjusted really well to all the responsibility that has been assigned to them. Though many students are claiming more responsibility and helping each other out, some could give more to the team. I wish that people would invest more time and work into our show, though I know we are already giving so much after late nights of homework and studying and hot rehearsals. We can only be our best when every individual is trying their hardest. Even picking up a piece of trash in the band room or helping to move props before practice would help. Being more organized will allow this band to focus on what we need to improve and reach our potential.

The seniors are leading extremely well, especially since it is a smaller class. This year's senior class is different from all the rest because they are not only great leaders, they are also amazing friends. The friendships we make through the teamwork involved in band help prepare us for life after high school. Through the hundreds of hours we put in throughout our season, the best ones are when we come to band with fire and invest in the show. When we do that, nothing can stop us.

SNACKS NEEDED

Thanks to all parents who donated snacks for Louisville. It's time to collect snacks again for the BOA St. Louis Super Regional. Please drop off individual PRE-PACKAGED SNACKS to the band room on the table marked "BOA Snacks – St. Louis."

FINAL DROPOFF: Saturday, October 5th – Sonic Boom!

Any questions? Email Cyndi @ dcaosg@gmail.com.

FALL LAUNDRY

It's time to wash those uniforms and get ready for St. Louis! Volunteers are needed to take home a locker's worth of uniforms on Monday, October 7th, wash them and return them to the band room on Tuesday, October 15th. I will be there both nights from 5:00 – 7:30. Supplies and instructions will be provided!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4CA9AA2DA7FF2-fall>



VETERANS DAY FLAG INSTALLATION



Volunteers needed! Please go to Charms to sign up for distribution, installation or return!

THE FRANKLIN BAND

Schedule for the week of Sept 30, 2019



MONDAY

Winds	3:15-5:35
Guard Rehearsal	5:00-7:30
Percussion	5:30-8:00

TUESDAY

Full Ensemble Rehearsal	5:00-7:30
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WEDNESDAY

No Rehearsal

THURSDAY

Full Ensemble Rehearsal	3:15-5:35
FALL FOUNDATIONS CONCERT	6:00-6:30

On the Track in the stadium (Weather Permitting) or in Band Room.

Please watch all the bands perform. Parents will sit around or INSIDE the band set up.

FRIDAY

Football Game @ Centennial¹

Rehearsal	3:15
Rehearsal Ends	4:45
<i>Guard & Front E. Stay to Rehearse</i>	
Load busses	4:50
Load Buses Depart for mall	5:00
Arrive mall/eat dinner ²	5:15
Depart mall	6:10
Arrive Centennial	6:25
Kickoff	7:00
Game ends/Load/Depart Centennial	9:30/10pm
Arrive Franklin High School	10:15 ish

SATURDAY

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Looking ahead...

- This Saturday is Sonic Boom!. We'll have info for parents and students about roles and responsibilities that day. Many of you have already signed up in Charms. Thank you!
- On Tuesday, October 10 we'll rehearse after school from 3:15-5:35. That's the Tuesday before Fall Break. BE AT THAT REHEARSAL, PLEASE!

¹ Member Shirts, Black Shorts,

² Bring money for the mall

Camp Day/Sonic Boom!

SATURDAY, October 5

Arrive Bandroom	8:45AM
Rehearsal	9:00
Lunch ³	Noon
Resume Rehearsal	1:00PM
Rehearsal Ends/Rest ⁴	4:00
Dinner ⁵ /Dress in Uniform	4:30
Be seated on home side as audience member ⁶	5:45
Sonic Boom! Welcome, SSB, Introductions <i>TFB Sax Quartet Plays National Anthem</i>	
Sonic Boom! Starts	6:00
Meet in sections in band room	7:00
Walk to warmup	
Warm Up (area A)	7:25-8:10
Pit Warm Up	7:25-7:55
Pit Gate Time	8:05
Band Gate Time	8:20
<i>The Franklin Band Performs SymphoniCity!</i>	8:30
Awards	9:00
Contest Ends/Begin Tear Down and Cleanup	9:15
Dismissal ⁷	10:00

All hands on deck to volunteer and help operate the Sonic Boom! Whatever your role, even if it is simply attending, know that you are an ambassador for The Franklin band. Let's all be on our best as we host this contest! We are representing not only our program, but Franklin High School, and Franklin, Tennessee! Everyone should leave our campus knowing that this was a great experience for their children, programs, and families in attendance! Thank you!

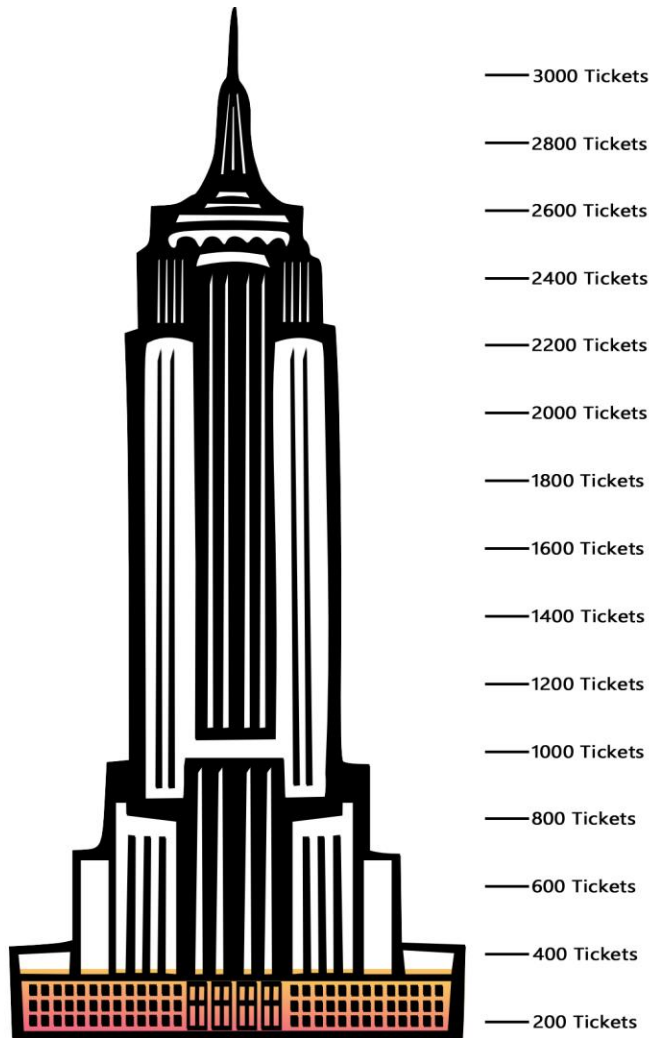
Looking Ahead

SONIC BOOM/Camp Day	October 5
Fall Break <i>No Rehearsals</i>	October 10-13
BOA St. Louis Super Regional	October 19-20 <i>overnight</i>
Camp Day-Community Night	October 26
COC Rehearsal	October TBD
Contest of Champions & Tailgate	November 2
MARCH-A-THON	November 9

Away Foot Ball Games

@Centennial Full Band October 4

For all details check out the TFB Directors Calendar: <http://bit.do/tfbcalendar>



Raffle Turn In and Pick Up

- **Tuesday 10/1:** End of practice 6-7:30pm in band room

- **Thursday 10/3:** 4-5:30pm in band room

- **Saturday 10/5:**
SONIC BOOM!
Merch/Raffle Table inside entrance of stadium

- **Tuesday 10/15:** End of practice 6-7:30pm in band room

- **Thursday 10/17:** 4-5:30pm in band room

- **Friday 10/18:** Home Football Game vs. Brentwood - 5:30pm-half-time

*****Tuesday, 10/22:**
FINAL TURN IN @
Booster Mtg. in Band Room***
Any questions? Contact Cyndi @

fhsbandraffle@gmail.com

Swag / Show Shirts

Merchandise will be on sale during Sonic Boom. TFB and a limited amount of ***SymphoniCity*** items will be available.

We have a variety of items for sale - TFB blankets, hoodies, t-shirts, long sleeve t-shirts, hats, stickers, magnets, bags, show shirts, hoodies and stickers.



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FRANKLIN BAND

**Become a Friend of
The Franklin Band!**

Think about sending out the Friends of the Franklin Band brochure to alumni, businesses, and family members! It is attached to this email as well.

♥ Thank you to everyone who has shown support to the Lazarus family during this difficult time. Riq and Victoria made it home safely from California on Thursday night. Surgery is likely to happen Wednesday of this week. There is a long road of recovery still ahead, so anyone who can help give to support them with their medical needs is encouraged to go to their GoFundMe page. Here is the link: ♥

https://www.gofundme.com/f/richard-quotriqquot-lazarus-medical-amp-recovery-fund?utm_source=customer&utm_medium=copy_link&utm_campaign=p_cp+share-sheet

More info regarding meals and other ways to support will be forthcoming. Thank you for helping one of our own!

If you know of anyone needing support from The Franklin Band Family, please contact Jennifer Pagel at jenniferjpagel@gmail.com.

BAND CLASS CALENDAR

2019-2020

August	Grassland Band Jumpstart	August 24
October	Music for All Honor Ensembles Auditions Due http://bit.do/mfahonor Fall Foundations Concert Mid-State Clinic Homecoming Week	October 1 October 3 October 7 October 21-25
November	Mid-State Registration & Mock Auditions March-a-Thon Percussion Ensemble Begins Jazz Band Begins	November 6-7 November 9 November 11-15 November 18
December	Mid-State Auditions 11-12 Band Holiday Chamber Performances Winter Concert Mid-State Auditions Jazz, Orchestra, 9-10 Band	December 7 December 5-13 December 12 December 14
January	Mid-State Clinic Band Mid-State Clinic Jazz & Orchestra Williamson County Honor Band	January 9-11 January 16-18 January 30- 31
February	Mattress Sale Franklin's Symphonic Concert Festival Side by Side Rehearsal & Concert	February TBD February 15 February 27
March	Concert Performance Assessment - Home Concert Concert Performance Assessment Music for All National Festival (optional participation)	March 5 March 9-13 March 14-15
April	<i>O'fallon Township - Franklin HS Mixer</i> TMEA Conference/All-State Band and Orchestra Spring Concert (all bands) Percussion Concert	April 3-4 April 15-18 April TBD* April TBD
May	Car Wash Jazz Band/POPS Concert Band Banquet Chamber Ensemble Showcase Wind Ensemble Auditions	May 2 May 7 May 8 May 12 May 13-15