2019 Fall Band and Guard Camp

Dear Band and Guard Students and Parents,

My name is Travis Keller and I am the new Band Director for Mulvane Schools. One of our first events for the school year is our Fall Band Camp. All students enrolled in Varsity Band for the Fall Semester need to attend this camp. We will use this time to help prepare for Old Settlers Day Parade and to begin working on our Fall Marching Show.

When:

◆ Friday, August 9 (4:00 PM - 8:00 PM)

◆ Saturday August 10 (8:00 AM - 3:00 PM)

We will rehearse indoors if the weather is a concern!

Where: Mulvane High School (We will start in the Band Room 609)

What to bring: ♦ Instrument and any music you may have

◆ Comfortable Tennis Shoes (no sandals, flip-flops, or crocs)
◆ Flip Folder and Lyre (available at any music store or online)
◆ Water, Sunscreen, and Comfortable Clothing: It will be HOT!

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◆ Food/Snacks (We will have short breaks for kids to eat)

If there are any parents wishing to donate water or ice for these days, it would be greatly appreciated. We are also looking to accept donations of popsicles. Please contact me if you are willing to help: tkeller@usd263.org

Percussion and Guard Members:

We have been asked to perform the back to school in-service. We will need to meet before the event to prep a couple cadences and routines for the event. Here are some basic details for this event. Again, this is for percussion and guard members only.

Monday, August 5th	9:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Practice at MHS
Wednesday, August 7th	7:00 AM - 7:45 AM	Warm-up/RunThrough
Wednesday, August 7th	8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Performance at MHS

I am excited and looking forward to this school year. The next page contains a tentative schedule for our camp days and has other information about the fall semester. It is important that all students attend camp both days. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have.

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Band Director

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Guard Instructor

Tentative Schedule for Band Camp

Friday, August 9, 2019

4:00-4:15 - Welcome/Expectations

4:15-4:55 - Indoor Rehearsal

4:55-5:05 - Break

5:05-5:45 - Indoor Rehearsal

5:45-6:30 - Supper Break

6:30-7:15 - Outside Rehearsal

7:15-7:30 - Break

7:30-8:00 - Outside Rehearsal

Saturday, August 10, 2019

8:00-9:00 - Outside Rehearsal

9:00-9:15 - Break

9:15-10:15- Outside Rehearsal

10:15-10:30 - Break

10:30-11:30 - Outside Rehearsal

11:30-12:30 - Lunch Break

12:30-1:30 - Inside Rehearsal

1:30-1:45 - Break

1:45-2:45 - Inside Rehearsal

2:45-3:00 - Parade Lap/Sequence

A list of Required Performances for Mulvane High School Fall 2019

Specific Details will be announced as performances get closer.

Welcome Back Teacher In-Service* - Wednesday, August 7th*
(*Guard and Percussion Only)

Old Settlers Day Parade - Saturday, August 18th

Various Pep Assemblies at Mulvane High School - Various

Home Football Games - Sept. 20, Sept. 27, Oct. 18, Oct. 25, and Playoff Games! (Playoff Games include the possibility of November 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 30th)

Homecoming Pep Rally - Friday, October 18th

Ted Power's Band Day - Saturday, October 19th

Arkalalah Marching Festival - Saturday, October 26th

Mulvane High School Instrumental Music Concert - Monday, December 16th

Basketball Pep Band - Tuesday, December 17th

Students enrolled in Band are expected to be at all performances!