

Winter Park High School Bands Financial Obligations 2019/2020

COLOR GUARD/WINTER GUARD

Payment Schedule

Please be aware that *all payments are non-refundable*, and the schedule below represents a *payment plan for the total Band fee*.
You are encouraged to use SchoolPay.com for all payments. Checks are also acceptable made payable to WPHS Bands.

5/7/2019	Fair Share Payment 1	\$50
5/7	Band Camp Lunches (optional)	\$70
7/31	Uniform Accessories Package (Fall)	\$60
7/31	Guard Warm-Up (optional)	\$60 – <i>fundraising credit cannot be used for this item</i>
7/31	Extra Show Shirt (optional)	\$10/each – <i>fundraising credit cannot be used for this item</i>
9/4	Fair Share Payment 2	\$100
10/2	Fair Share Payment 3	\$50
11/6	Fair Share Payment 4	\$100
12/4	Fair Share Payment 5	\$150
1/8/2020	Fair Share Payment 6	\$150
	Uniform Accessories Package (Winter)	\$60
2/5/2020	Fair Share Payment 7	\$100
3/4/2020	Fair Share Payment 8	\$100

Other Possible Expenses throughout the School Year

Concert Attire (varies) \$15 - \$30

Fundraisers

Program Ads and Sponsors (50% - 60% of profit earned to student accounts)	May 2019 – August 2019
Coupon Book (35% - 40% of profit earned to student accounts)	September 2019
Butter Braid Pastries (approx. 45% of profit to student accounts)	October 2019
Door-To-Door Fundraiser (approx. 70% of profit split among students)	February 1, 2020 (mandatory for all)

Fundraising Ideas? Bring them to the Band Booster meetings!

Winter Park Band financial obligations should not be a deterrent to Band Program participation, and the various fundraising opportunities that are provided throughout the year are designed to alleviate that burden. If, in addition to participating in all fundraisers, you have an extreme hardship in meeting these financial obligations, a regular payment plan contract can be set up on a case-by-case basis. **Those needing additional information should contact either one of the Band Directors, or our Treasurer, Mary Beth Johnston.**

I understand the financial obligations listed above, and agree to make payments on time; I understand that a delinquent Band Account may prevent a student from rehearsing and/or performing, and payments are non-refundable; I understand that I am responsible for all fees for the school year, even if my child leaves the Band Program; and, I understand that the Door-2-Door fundraiser on Saturday, February 1, 2020 is a mandatory event.

Parent Name (print)

Parent Signature

Date

Student Name (print)

DUE: TUESDAY, MAY 7, 2019 AT BAND REGISTRATION

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Color Guard/Winter Guard Financial Obligation Descriptions

Guard Fair Share (\$800)

The Guard Fair Share pays for virtually everything we do. Some of our largest expenses are staff and transportation of our equipment to performance sites. Other expenses include show writing, music purchases, show and sound equipment, competition registrations, equipment purchases, student awards, flags, rifles, and miscellaneous equipment. Following the completion of the marching band season in November, the members of the Guard perform as the Winter Guard. Rehearsals for Winter Guard generally begin in mid-November, and there are performances throughout the winter and early spring. **The Guard Fair Share is representative of the entire year as whole, not just specific parts of the school year. The payments are spread across much of the year to help alleviate the financial burden.**

Uniform Accessories Packages (\$60/semester)

This includes all of the uniform accessory items for use with the Color Guard & Winter Guard – gloves, shoes, etc. This is a \$120 fee spread over two seasons (\$60 for fall/\$60 for winter). There is also the option of purchasing a Guard warm-up for \$60.

Uniform Purchases (for those Guard members who are also in a concert band)

Concert tuxedo jackets and pants and concert dresses are owned by Winter Park High School and will be loaned out to students for use during the school year. Students are responsible for the purchase of a tuxedo shirt, black bow tie, and cummerbund (for gentlemen), pearls and earrings (for ladies), and black closed toe dress shoes (ladies and gentlemen). The bow tie, cummerbund, pearls, and earrings are all purchased through the Band program.

Concert Instrument Maintenance (\$60/semester) (for those Guard members who are also in a concert band)

Each student who uses a school-owned wind instrument will pay \$60 per semester for the maintenance of that instrument. Instruments used only occasionally at the discretion of the band directors do not incur a maintenance charge. No student will pay more than \$120 per school year for instrument maintenance. **Unusual or extreme damage resulting in repairs or replacement will be the responsibility of the student.**

Fundraising Credit/ Band Accounts

Fundraising credit is used like a “coupon” toward future Winter Park Band expenses. Fundraising credit CANNOT be used for any taxable item (i.e. extra show shirts) or fundraising purchases. It is the responsibility of the student and parent to monitor their Charms account and be aware of the fundraising credit available to them. Unused fundraising credit rolls over to the next school year. All monies raised through fundraising officially belong to the Winter Park Band Program and cannot be refunded for any reason.

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