



KHS Tiger Band Booster Club

2021 Newsletter

Welcome KHS. Band Families! We are preparing for a very exciting year! The Tiger Band Booster Club assists the students and directors in many ways. Transporting and maintaining a band of more than 200 students requires great parent involvement. There are many ways each of us can contribute and lend a hand. As you read the following information, please consider where you can get involved. WE NEED YOUR HELP!

****Fees****

ALL New Marching Band Students are required to pay an **initial \$75 band fee**. This covers the cost of a new pair of black marching shoes, gloves, uniform maintenance, one band t-shirt, casual band jacket, and gloves (housed with the uniforms).

NOTE: Due to the program shutdown last year ALL incoming Freshmen & ALL SOPHOMORE students for the 2021–2022 year will be considered “New Marching Band Students”.

Returning Band Students are required to pay a **\$30 band fee, which includes a t-shirt and gloves.**

Checks payable to **KHS BAND BOOSTERS** must be in by **August 23rd**. Envelopes are to be placed in the Band Camp Office mailbox labeled “**Band Fee**” and the student’s name.

For questions or concerns about band fees, please contact Mr. Garner (sgarner@kingstoncityschools.org) or Mr. Giebelhaus (jgiebelhaus@kingstoncityschools.org).

Communication

Communication is very important to us! We have a variety of ways to help families stay informed:

- **sportsYou**—sportsYou is a free smartphone app messaging system, much like Remind, that we will use to share important information with parents. It is quick and easy (and MANDATORY!). Follow these directions or see the attached form for instructions to join the KHS Tiger Band team.
 1. Download the app (iPhone or Android) at: <https://sportsyou.app>
 2. **Enter our team code: AE63-8M3Z**
 3. When asked to choose a role, please choose “family.” When asked for your player’s name, please use your child’s name.
- **Website**—The KHS Tiger Band website is www.khstigerbandboosters.org. **Please check our website frequently for the latest news and pertinent information! It is updated frequently.**
- **Facebook** is a great place to view and post photos of the band and stay updated on band activities. Join our FB Group! (KHS Tiger Band Boosters)
- **Mandatory Summer Informational Meetings: August 19th and 25th, at 5:00 pm outside the cafeteria entrance at Crosby Elementary. All parents are required to attend one of these meetings.** Come get updated information on fundraising, Fall Fanfare, upcoming activities, chaperoning, and meet other band parents. Become involved and be part of the band family!
- **Booster Club Meetings** are held on **the second Wednesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. starting in September** in the KHS choir room. Get off to a great start by scheduling the **September 15th** meeting on your calendar. Be well-informed about all events of the year. We welcome new faces!

Uniforms

Performance Guidelines:

We treat our uniforms with great respect. Band members are expected to present themselves in perfect dress at all performances. There is **NO EATING** while in uniform and **only water** is allowed. All students **must wear their band t-shirts** and a **thin pair of shorts** under their uniforms. **Black crew length socks** are mandatory. If you forget your socks or band t-shirt, you will be required to purchase a replacement in the uniform room, socks \$2, t-shirt \$8. Layering tights or *Underarmour* is acceptable during cold weather. No sweatpants or cargo shorts. Long hair must be pulled up and pinned neatly under the hat. Yes, even the guys!

The following are **NOT PERMITTED** while in uniform:

Jewelry (except for stud earrings)

Facial Piercings

Nail Polish, Acrylic or Gel Nails

Failure to present yourself according to these guidelines will result in lost points for our band at competitions. Upon return to KHS, uniforms must be hung carefully (Band buddies will teach freshmen how to correctly perform this task). Then, hangers are returned to their numbered hooks.

Shoes and hat boxes go in their designated locations in the uniform room.

♪ **VOLUNTEERS are needed for Uniform Fittings** ♪

Uniform fitting for students will take place during band camp hours.

All students are fitted for jackets, pants, gloves and a hat. Many hands are needed!

**If you can help at all, please contact
Stacie Kremper 845- 334-9381**

Band Camp Information:

Band camp can be **HOT!**

Pack a cooler with plenty of drinks, snacks, and a meal!

Students are not permitted to leave during Band Camp to get food

Parents **MUST** make **1 of 2 MANDATORY** information meetings

Parents may drop off food

****Please note****

Breaks do not occur at set times, students can't be disturbed during practice.

This year the district will be offering free lunches to students during band camp. A sign up sheet will be circulated each day for those students who would desire one.

In a backpack, we suggest sunscreen, a hat, light jacket, bug repellent and sunglasses.

Wear sneakers every day. (NO FLIP FLOPS/SANDALS)

Students must wear a t-shirt in their assigned instrumental section's color every day of camp (Orange, red, blue, purple, yellow, green, navy, white, and pink). Order of shirts is determined by each section leadership. The last day students wear their sectional shirt. Students will check with their section leaders for the color of the day.

- **Students:** Give \$15 to your section leader to cover the cost of your custom section t-shirt and pizza party! (Money due by August 20th)
- Thursday August 19 First Informational Meeting 5:00pm
- Wednesday August 25 Second Informational Meeting 5:00pm
- Tuesday August 31st Finale Performance, 5pm

Band Camp Grand Finale

 Wednesday, August 31st 

- **Friends & Family:** *Get Informed & Be Amazed!*
The first performance of the 2021 field show is for YOU! When you see what this hard working group of students and directors accomplish in such a short time, the goose bumps are guaranteed!
- **Come early-Stay Late:** Before the performance, visit the tables set up outside the school. Order your 100-page yearbook, \$25 for a full color memento that chronicles every event the band experiences all year long. Submit an order and/or purchase Band Wear at our merchandising booth. Collect information about our fundraisers. Learn more about volunteer opportunities.

Performance- August 31, 5:00 pm

Lawn chairs, blankets and cameras recommended!

Mingle!

Meet your child's new friends, their parents, band leadership, etc.

Seasoned band parents are happy to answer any questions!

Chaperones/Equipment:

Chaperones and equipment volunteers are needed for all band events including band camp, football games, competitions and parades. New volunteers must fill out the volunteer form and be approved by the district before the event. Make sure all chaperone applications are handed in to Mr. Giebelhaus. All chaperones must work **TWO** events before they can chaperone an overnight trip. We need (**4 – 6**) chaperones each day of band camp. To volunteer, email **Colleen Mulready** at collmulready@gmail.com or text her at 845-309-2791 or for Equipment Crew contact **Jim Machung** at jfm_987@yahoo.com

Ways and Means:

Instruments, equipment, travel to competitions and LOTS of other exciting activities that make KHS Tiger Band THE BEST all takes \$\$\$ and this parent-run committee works to provide many ways to raise it throughout the year. There are fundraisers for Student Accounts to help offset costs of student trips, and fundraisers for the Band's General Fund to help pay for the many other things that we do to support our kids and make KHS Band an awesome experience for them.

For more information or to join the fun, contact **Kathleen Detweiler 845-853-6974**

KHS Fall Fanfare:

Fall Fanfare is a New York State high school marching band competition that will take place Sunday, October 24th at Dietz Stadium in Kingston.

Six high school marching bands from around New York State will be performing.

This is one of our largest fundraisers; many volunteers are needed to make this a successful show. Those interested in volunteering for this 1 day event can contact Mike Detweiler at

mrdetwol@aol.com

or

Please attend one of the informational meetings on 8/19 or 8/25 to sign up to help!



If your student is a member of the band...

You are automatically a Band Booster.

Please join us for meetings the 2nd Wednesday of the month at
7 pm in the KHS Choir Room.

September 15

October 13

November 10 (Fall Fanfare Debriefing)

December 8

January 12

February 9

March 9

April 13

May 11

June 8

Feel free to contact Booster Members

All contact information is available on the website.

www.khstigerbandboosters.org

Follow us on Facebook: KHS Tiger Band Boosters

Or call Mike Detweiler 845-853-5973

We look forward to meeting you soon!

Second Wednesday of the month



K.H.S. Tiger Band Booster – Officers:

Mike Detweiler, President

Laurie Beth Richter, Vice President

Dan Couse, Vice President

Allyson Whittaker, Treasurer

Maegan Coppage Rzek Ast. Treasurer

Jenn Smith, Asst. Treasurer

Colleen Mulready, Secretary

Kathleen Detweiler, Ways & Means

Vacant, Parliamentarian

KHS BAND SUMMER/FALL 2021

July 14 Freshman Marching Crosby Elementary 6-8 PM
July 22 Freshman Marching Crosby Elementary 6-8 PM
July 30 Freshman Marching Crosby Elementary 6-8 PM
August 4 Full Band Crosby Elementary 6-8 PM
August 5 Freshman Marching Crosby Elementary 6-8 PM
August 10 Full Band Crosby Elementary 6-8 PM
August 11 Freshman Marching Crosby Elementary 6-8 PM
August 13 Freshman Marching Crosby Elementary 6-8 PM
August 16 Full Band Crosby Elementary 6-8 PM
August 18-20 Band Camp Crosby Elementary 11 AM-6 PM
August 23-27 Band Camp Crosby Elementary 11 AM-6 PM
August 30 Band Camp Crosby Elementary 11 AM-6 PM
August 31 Band Camp Crosby Elementary 11 AM-6 PM First Performance @ 5:00 PM
September 12 Crosby Elementary Rehearsal 3-8 PM
September 18 Mohonasen Competition 1
September 19 Crosby Elementary Rehearsal 3-8 PM
September 25 Mini Band Camp Day @ Dietz TBD (Rain date Oct 2)
September 26 Crosby Elementary Rehearsal 3-8 PM
October 2 (Mini Band Camp Day @ Crosby TBD Rain date)
October 3 Crosby Elementary Rehearsal 3-8 PM
October 9 New Hartford Competition 2
October 10 Arlington Competition 3 Depart from KHS Band room TBD
October 16 Vestal Competition 4
October 17 Crosby Elementary Rehearsal 3-8 PM
October 23 Crosby Elementary Rehearsal TBD
October 24 Kingston Fall Fanfare @ Dietz Competition 5
October 25-28 Crosby Rehearsal (Championship week) 6-9PM
October 30 Crosby Elementary Rehearsal
October 31 NYSFB Championships Syracuse Dome 2 PM Performance
November 18 KHS Band "Pops" Concert @ KHS 7:00 PM

2021-2022 KHS TIGER BAND BOOSTER FUND-RAISING OPPORTUNITIES

Event	Date	Type	Student Commission
Krispy Kreme Donuts (Delivery Sept)	August	Individual	\$3.00 per dozen sold
Mum Sale (Delivery Sept)	August	General	
Cooke Tavern Soups (deliver Nov)	October	Individual	40% of your sales
Fall Fanfare	October 20	General	
Citrus (Delivery Dec)	November	Individual	TBD
KHS Fall Play Concession	Nov/Dec	General	
KHS Spring Play Concession	March	General	
NYSSMA Concession	April	General	
Gertrude Hawk Chocolates	Ongoing	Individual	\$19.20 (per \$1 bar box)

KHS BAND YEARBOOK
2021 – 2022
In full color!!!!

Don't miss out – 100 pages of friends and good times
Your memory book of the entire band year
ORDER NOW – ONLY \$25

STUDENT NAME : _____

PHONE : _____

EMAIL : _____

\$25 CASH : _____ CHECK# : _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO KHS BAND BOOSTERS Return to the band room mailbox

BAND WEAR at BAND CAMP

Stop by our Band Wear Merchandising Table

8/19 & 8/25 starting at 5 p.m.

8/31 starting at 4:00 p.m.

Purchase and/or place an order for some awesome items!

In-stock merchandise includes hoodies, shorts, hats, string bags, chaperone shirts, and more! Show your support for the band!

Questions?

Jenn Couse talkteacher91@gmail.com

Christine Morrison Cmorr68419@gmail.com

KHS Tiger Band Wear Order Form

Student Name: _____ **Phone#** _____

Parent Name: _____ **Email** _____

Please return this form & payment (checks payable to KHS Tiger Band Boosters) to the booster mailbox in Mr. Garner's office. **All orders must be pre-paid.** If you have any questions please contact Jenn Couse @ talkteacher91@gmail.com or Christine Morrison @ Cmorr68419@gmail.com

ITEM	SIZE	PRICE	QTY	TOTAL
Chaperone T Shirts	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X	\$10.00		\$.00
Chaperone Long Sleeve T-Shirt	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X	\$15.00		\$.00
Crew- neck Sweatshirt Lettering available on back only	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X Section or Name: _____	\$21.00 \$0.50/ letter		\$.00
Pullover Hooded Sweatshirt Lettering available on back only	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X Section or Name: _____	\$25.00 \$0.50/ letter		\$.00
Zip-UP Hooded Sweatshirt Embroidery avail. (Front only)	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X Section or Name: _____	\$27.00 \$35.00		\$.00
Fleece Zip-Up Jacket Embroidery avail. (Front only)	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X Section or Name: _____	\$38.00 \$46.00		\$.00
Full Zip Hooded Wind Jacket Embroidery avail. (Front only)	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X Section or Name: _____	\$30.00 \$38.00		\$.00
¼ Zip Hooded Wind Jacket Embroidery avail. (Front only)	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X Section or Name: _____	\$42.00 \$50.00		\$.00
Sweatpants: Elastic Bottom	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X	\$18.00		\$.00
Women's Shorts	__S__M__L__XL__2X__3X	\$20.00		\$.00
Baseball Hat	__S/M__L/XL	\$12.00		\$.00
Stadium Blanket-Fleece Embroidery avail.	Section or Name: _____	\$26.00 \$34.00		\$.00
String Bags		\$10.00		\$.00
Lanyards		\$2.00		\$.00
Car Stickers		\$2.00		\$.00
Grand Total				\$.00

Thank you for supporting your KHS Tiger Band!

KHS TIGER BAND 2021-2022 Registration Form

Due with payment of Band Fees by August 23

Band Fees:

***New Band/Color Guard Member: \$75.00 initial fee**

Returning Band/Color Guard Member: \$30.00 annual fee

Submit 1 form if you have multiple band students, but you must submit band fees for each student.

Checks should be made payable to KHS TIGER BAND BOOSTERS.

Put envelope (marked BAND FEES) with this completed form and payment in mailbox at marching practices or band camp. Thank you!

<u>Band Student Name(s)</u>	<u>Instrument</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Fees</u>
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
		Total Paid	_____

Parents/Guardians Information

Name: _____

Phone: _____

- Please note First year fee rate applies to ALL Freshman AND Sophomore students due to last year's season cancellation. This also includes any students transferring into the program for the first time