



Stevenson High School Instrumental Music Department

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Band and Orchestra Event Calendar 2017-2018

Dates and times are subject to change.

MB = Marching Band

CB = Concert Band

SB = Symphony Band

WE = Wind Ensemble

O = Orchestra

August 20-24 (Sunday-Thursday)	AWAY	Marching Band Camp at Covenant Hills Camp (Otisville, MI)	MB
Friday, August 25	7 p.m.	Homecoming Football Game (Franklin)	MB
Friday, September 8	7 p.m.	Home Football Game (Churchill)	MB
Friday, September 15	7 p.m.	Home Football Game (Howell)	MB
Saturday, September 16	TBA	Wayne Memorial Scholastic Clinic	MB
Tuesday, September 26	During school day	SHS MB Leadership to HMS	MB
Wednesday, September 27	5-8 p.m.	Stevenson/Holmes MB practice	MB
Friday, September 29	7 p.m.	Home Football Game (Canton) <i>HMS w/SHS - Pink Out/Seniors</i>	MB
Saturday, October 7	TBA	Scholastic Competition (@ Alma)	MB
Monday, October 9	5-10 p.m.	MSBOA Marching Band Festival	MB
Friday, October 13	7 p.m.	Homecoming Football Game (Salem)	MB
Wednesday, October 18	7 p.m.	Marching Band Season Finale (<i>MB practice 10/16, 3-5p</i>)	MB
Wednesday, October 25	all classes	Solo and Ensemble Registration Deadline	ALL
Monday, October 30	7 p.m.	Halloween String Concert @ SHS	O
Monday, November 6	3-4:15 p.m.	Jazz Band Auditions	
Friday, November 10	7 p.m. <i>9 p.m.-4 a.m.</i>	Music Department Concert <i>Music Marathon</i>	WE, SB, CB, O, MB
Wednesday, December 13	7 p.m.	Band and Orchestra Holiday Concert (Auditorium)	WE, SB, CB, O
Wednesday, January 31	6 p.m.	Solo and Ensemble Mentor Clinic	
Thursday, February 1	6:45 p.m.	Incoming 9 th Grade Night	JB
Saturday, February 3	All day	MSBOA District Solo and Ensemble Festival	
Thursday, February 8	7 p.m.	Collage Concert (MB practice 2/5, 3-4:30p)	SB, CB, O, MB, JB
Wednesday, February 28	7 p.m.	Festival Preview Concert	WE, SB, O
Thurs, Fri, Sat, Mar 1, 2, or 3	TBA	MSBOA District Band and Orchestra Festival	WE, SB, O
Saturday, March 17	All day	MSBOA State Solo and Ensemble Festival	
Thurs.-Sat., March 22-24	7 p.m.	School Musical	
Wednesday, March 28	7 p.m.	String Fling (gymnasium)	O
Mon.-Sat., April 2-7		Music Department Orlando Tour	
Tuesday, April 17	7 p.m.	Band-O-Rama (MB practice 4/16, 3-4:30p)	All Bands
Wednesday, May 2	3-6 p.m.	Drum Major Auditions	(MB)
Thursday, May 3	3:30-5:30 p.m.	Middle School Auditions	
Tuesday, May 15	7 p.m.	Band Spring Concert	All Bands
Thursday, May 17	7:30 p.m.	Honors Night	
Friday, May 18	5-11 p.m.	Instrumental Music Potluck, Awards, and Dance	ALL
Saturday, May 19	9 a.m.-2 p.m.	Color Guard Try-outs	(MB)
Tuesday, May 22	7 p.m.	Orchestra Spring Concert (with HMS)	O
Thursday, May 24	3-6 p.m.	Drumline Auditions	(MB)
Monday, June 4	3:30-6 p.m.	Section Leader Auditions	(MB)
Thursday, June 7	6-7:30 p.m.	Marching Band Pre-Season Session	MB

*Dates in **bold** are major concerts.

Marching Band practices will be Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 3-5 p.m. (there will be minor adjustments due to the performance schedule and stadium use). Color Guard sectionals will be on Wednesdays from 6-8p *in addition to the regular band practice from 3-5p*.

Jazz Band will rehearse 1-2 days/week 2:45-4 p.m. November through March.

Solo and Ensemble is an event for which students register to participate. It is not a required event; however, I encourage students to participate. More information regarding Solo and Ensemble can be found in the handbook and will be available on the website.