

NA Summer Band - An Opportunity to Help Students Play All Summer

Sponsored by the NA Musical, it will be an opportunity for young band students to keep up their playing skills while performing fun and exciting music. Rehearsal dates are: June 14th, June 21st, June 28th, July 5th, July 12th, July 19th, July 26th, and August 2nd. The NA Summer Band concert is on August 9th at 7:00 pm, and it is open to the public. All rehearsals will be held at North Allegheny Senior High. Two bands will be offered:

First Year Band is for students who have completed one year of band at North Allegheny (usually entering 5th or 6th-grade). Rehearsals are from 7:00 pm to 7:50 pm.

Second Year Band is for students who have completed two years (entering 6th or 7th-grade). Rehearsals are from 8:00 pm to 8:50 pm.

Tuition

Members are assessed a tuition of \$25 to participate in NA Summer Band, no matter how many rehearsals they attend. This fee includes an NA Summer Band T-shirt which will be worn at the concert. **There is not an attendance policy!** Musicians do not have to come every week. If you can't make it, that's okay! Come to as many as you can and have fun playing.

Parent Volunteers

Parents who wish to volunteer are welcome and very much appreciated! We could use a little help each week in case a child needs assistance. We also need a little more help at the first rehearsal and on the evening where T-Shirts are distributed. Each volunteer must on the approved list of volunteers in the North Allegheny School District. If you interested in volunteering, please indicate that when you register your child.

Frequently Asked Questions

We have a vacation planned and will have to miss a week, can my child still participate?

ABSOLUTELY. Come to as many evenings as you can. There is no attendance policy.

Does my child need to have their own instrument?

YES. Please make sure that the instrument is in good working condition. Reed players should have four working reeds in their case (oboists should have 2). Percussionists should bring their percussion kit, sticks and mallets.

My child uses a school-owned instrument, will one be available for them?

THAT DEPENDS. Please speak with your child's band teacher and ask if you may continue to borrow the instrument for the summer.

Does my child need to buy a folder, lesson book or any music?

NO. All of the music played by the bands will be provided. Students will receive a folder and music to be played throughout the summer.

Who is directing the bands?

Mrs. Granite, the band director at Marshall Elementary.

Depending on interest and the number of students registered, other NA band directors may stop by and assist her.

Does this take the place of private lessons?

NO. Rehearsals will only include large-group instruction. If your child wishes to take private lessons, please talk to your child's band director for suggested teachers.

Please complete and return your registration form and tuition payment by the last day of school.

You can also visit nasummerband.weebly.com to register online.

NA Summer Band 2017 Registration - Due By the Last Day of School

Play All Summer

Student Information	Please write neatly.
First and Last Name	
Grade completed in June 2017	4th 5th 6th Other
Instrument (circle one)	Flute Oboe Clarinet Alto Sax Tenor Sax Bari Sax Trumpet Horn Trombone Baritone Tuba Percussion
Elementary School Attended	BWE FES HES IES MCK MES PES
Band Selection (circle one)	First Year (completed 1 year) Second Year (completed 2 years)
Street Address	
City, State Zip	
T-Shirt Size (circle one)	Child's: Small Medium Large Extra Large Adult's: Small Medium Large Extra Large
Parent / Guardian Information	Please write neatly.
First and Last Name (may add two names)	
Email Address (may add more than one address)	
Cell Phone (may add more than one cell phone number)	
Volunteer? (circle one)	Yes, I would like to No, I do not want to

Tuition & Registration Due by the Last Day of School

Please place your registration form and \$25 check (written to "NA Musical") in an envelope. Mail it or give it to your Band Director.

Mailing Address	Deliver to Your Band Director
Linda Granite Marshall Elementary School 5135 Wexford Run Road Wexford, PA 15090	Please mark the envelope: NA Summer Band Registration - Linda Granite, MES