The Knights Creed

9/28/2025

Knights Tales



- -Congrats to our Knights Band for a FANTASTIC start to our contest season! We hope you all had a great experience with this. We had some great accolades (Winning Best Music and 2nd place overall in Prelims, 2nd in music and 3rd place in finals!!!) We look forward to implementing feedback and moving forward to our next contest!!
- -Band, you will need your flip folders for class EVERYDAY in classes. New Emerald song this week is "Born This Way"! For real this time!!!
- -This week is Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. ALL TARDIES, ABSENCES are enforced this week and will carry to our game Friday October 3rd, and possibly, our contest on Saturday October 4th.
- -WEEKLY GOALS! Next round of pass offs coming up!
- -PRACTICING: Now that we are setting drill on the parking lot, this has become a part of our curriculum. Pass offs with directors will now move over to drill. Students may need to come to the parking lot, periodically, by themselves to make sure they are prepared for these pass offs. To perform at halftime for the next game, students must have all their pass-offs completed up to the end of Mvt. 1 and 2. Our goal is to perform Mvts 1,2 and 3 on Friday October 3rd, but we will start setting up part 4 this week.
- -HANDBOOKS: Can now be found on www.clearfallsband.org
- -Itinerary for the game is on page 3. September calendar is posted on page 4.
- -AFTERSCHOOL: Students are REQUIRED to be out of the halls at 2:50 pm. Students must be working on homework in the band hall and make sure they are completing all assignments. Students failing grade checks are not using this time wisely. In addition, it is our recommendation that students bring a lunch/snack to eat during this time to be in the band hall doing homework vs. leaving and not keeping up on assignments. Frequent failing grade reports will result in a student being pulled from marching games/contests/or losing varsity spots.
- -WE HAVE A CHANGE IN SCHEDULE FOR OUR 2nd STADIUM REHEARSAL! We were not able to secure Challenger on the intended date and time for Monday October 20th. The only day we could secure was Wednesday October 22nd from 6:00-8:30 pm. We apologize for the inconvenience, but we really need this rehearsal right before Area Marching Contest.
- -The next STATE-WIDE grade check is coming up. All grades close on Thursday October 9th, and teachers have until Tuesday October 13^{th} at 4 pm to submit all grades.
- --We will be wearing uniforms for the remainder of the games and contests. Please make sure your uniform gets washed every week! Please check the itineraries for which UNDERSHIRT you will need to wear for each event.



Guard Corner

 Please adhere to the band schedule for this week.



Upcoming Events (please note some recent changes)

- -This week we will rehearse: Tues, Wed, Thurs. Tuesday, Thursday; times are 4:30-7:30 pm and Wednesday 3:30-5:00. Attendance/Tardy policy will be enforced for the next football game on 10/3. (pg. 19-20 handbook)
- -Students must have all pass-offs up to the end of mvt. 1, 2 and 3 completed participating in the halftime performance at the game. Students are, ultimately, responsible for keeping up with their pass offs. All attendance protocols must be followed to participate as well. (pg. 19-20 handbook)
- -Game 6 itinerary, page 3
- -US Bands Marching Contest Itinerary Page 4
- -October Calendar Page 5

Clear Falls High School Band Friday, September 19th, 2025 Vs. Clear Creek HS Veterans Stadium CCISD 2305 E Main St, League City, TX 77573

3:00 - Report Time/Run-through (Test Grade)

4:00 - Eat Lunch/Load

5:00 - Inspection/Line up for Bus Loading

5:15 - Depart for Veterans Stadium

6:00 - Arrive at Veterans Stadium (we will be late)

7:00 – Kickoff

10:30- Return Time (estimated)

Full Uniform for this game! For rehearsal we will wear our green dri-fits, black shorts (school appropriate length), LONG black socks, and band shoes to Run-throughs (part of grade) and the game. Not having an of these items may prevent them from marching or attending the game. We will travel in our bibblers and students must be in full uniform before exiting the bus at Veterans. No uniform components may be half-worn when exiting the bus. Students, please send your full uniform pictures to your leadership on Thursday evening: 1. Powerflex shirt, 2. Bibbers, 3. Green Dri-fit, 4. Long Black Socks, 5. Black Shorts, 6. Band Shoes, 7. Sheiko box with tricorn hat, 8. Tuner, 9. Flip Folder

Students will eat dinner in the area right outside of the auditorium and house 3. We ask that the band does not leave a mess anywhere we occupy space. Leadership keeps an eye on these areas and is prepared to clean up in the event the band does not. Students can eat and visit, there should be no other activities during this time. STUDENTS MAY NOT BE IN ANY OTHER AREAS OF THE SCHOOL. For inspection, your student will need to show your lyre (if applicable), flip folder, water bottle, and RAIN PONCHO. Students, please make sure you have a lyre. STUDENTS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO INSPECT WITHOUT ALL PROPER GEAR ON. Uniform components should not be changed from rehearsal to inspection to loading the bus due to items being left in past games.

After we return to the band hall, please put all items away before leaving the band hall. Please understand that although 10:30 pm is estimated, there is a chance we could arrive earlier or later depending on the course of the football game. If the football team passes for most of the game, it could move slower and cause us to be later.

Please do not pick students up in front of the band hall after the game, as it will be blocked off for the pit to unload and safely cross the street into the band hall. We also ask that parents do not park in the horseshoe in front of the school as that is where the buses will drop off the band. Please pull into a parking space and wait for your band student to exit the band hall. Also, please do not park in the handicap spaces unless you have a tag or license plate with a handicap designation. Students/chaperones do not leave your cars parked in the first 6 spaces closes to the band hall in the parking lot as the truck unloading will happen in those spaces.

Clear Falls High School Band

<u>US Bands Marching Contest</u>
@www.stallworth Field
2102 E Archer Rd, Baytown, TX 77521
Saturday October 4th, 2025

8:20 am- Report Time at Falls (8:00 am for pit)

8:30 am – Begin Run-throughs

9:30 am- End Run-throughs/Load/Snack

10:30 am- Inspection

10:45 am-Leave CFHS for Stallworth

11:45 pm- Arrive at Stallworth; use the restroom to get dressed for warm up

12:45 pm-Warm up for Prelims

1:30 pm- Performance

2:00 pm – Change out of uniform/head to the stands to watch bands

4:45 pm- Prelims Awards:

7:00 pm- Finals Begins (performance will depend on making top 12 out of 30 bands)

-If finals: We will eat dinner around 5:15 unless we draw one of the first finalists, then we will eat dinner soon after performing. Students may bring money for concessions.

In the event we do not make finals, we will head home around 6:00 pm at Falls. If we make finals, the finals awards will be at 10:30 pm, we leave at 11:00 pm and return home about 11:45 pm. *Students are STRONGLY encouraged to bring their homework on this trip!!!!!!

Students must report to Falls in their black non-baggy shorts, LONG black socks, band shoes, and blue "On High Seas" COTTON SHIRT, with their garment bag containing bibbers and Powerflex shirt. Students must eat before they arrive at CFHS at 7:55 am. Directors and chaperones will be monitoring students wearing their band shoes before they get on the bus.

Once we arrive at Falls in the morning, students need to move quickly to rehearse. When we arrive at Alvin, students will find the restroom and then get ready to dress in uniform. Students will not be allowed to wander around, please stay with the group. After warming up and performance, students MUST remain in their contest shirts or other director designated items to be easily identified by directors for the entire time. If there are any concerns with heat, they can notify one of our band staff.

TICKETS MAYBE PURCHASED AT: https://usbands.org/events/details.php?ID=1135

2025	October					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
29	30	01	02	03	04	05
NO SCHOOL!	Full Band 4:30-7:30	Full Band 3:30-5:00	Full Band 4:30-7:30	Game vs Creek Home Veterans Kickoff: 7 pm	Contest! US Bands @ Baytown Times: TBD EAT IN COMMONS!	
06	07	08	09	10	11	12
Full Band 4:30-7:30	Full Band 4:30-7:30	Full Band 3:30-5:00	UIL MARCHING CONTEST Times: TBD		No Contest	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
NO SCHOOL!	NO SCHOOL!	Full Band 3:00-5:00	Full Band 3:30-7:30	Game vs. Springs- Away- Challenger Kickoff: 7 pm	Contest! Gulf Coast @ Challenger Times: TBD	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Full Band 3:30-6:00	Full Band 3:30-6:00	STADIUM REHEARSAL 6:00-8:30 pm Agard	No Rehearsal; Go Home and Get Some Rest	Game vs. Brook- Challenger Home. Kickoff: 7 pm Intermediate Night	AREA MARCHING CONTEST Times: TBD	
27	28	29	30	31	01	02
Full Band 3:30-6:00	Full Band 3:30-6:00	No Rehearsal	Full Band 3:30-6:00	Game vs. Dickinson- Home Challenger Kickoff: 7 pm EAT IN AG		
03	04	Notes:				
Full Band 3:30-6:00 (if state)	Full Band 3:30-6:00 (if state)	Contests: Sept. 27th: Alvin Festival, Oct 4th-US Bands Baytown, Oct 9th- UIL, Oct. 18th-Gulf Coast, Oct. 25th-Area, State Marching November 3rd-4th				
State March	ning Contest					