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POWHATAN FALL CLASSIC



POWHATAN HIGH SCHOOL

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33RD ANNUAL FALL CLASSIC PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

BAND	PERFORM			
ORANGE DIVISION				
CLASS 1A				
NOTTOWAY HS	1:00 PM			
PARRY MCCLUER HS	1:15 PM			
WILLIAM MONROE HS	1:30 PM			
RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY HS	1:45 PM			
BREAK				
CLASS 2A				
VARINA HS	2:15 PM			
WEST POINT HS	2:30 PM			
BROADWAY HS	2:45 PM			
NEW KENT HS	3:00 PM			
MADISON COUNTY HS	3:15 PM			
CUMBERLAND HS	3:30 PM			
ORANGE DIVISION AWARDS	3:45 PM			
BLACK DIVISION				
CLASS 3A				
HANOVER HS	4:30 PM			
MECHANICSVILLE HS	4:50 PM			
HERMITAGE HS	5:10 PM			
MECKLENBURG HS	5:30 PM			
COLONIAL HEIGHTS HS	5:50 PM			
BREAK				
DREAK				
CLASS 4A				
GLEN ALLEN HS	6:50 PM			
CHARLOTTESVILLE HS	7:10 PM			
ATLEE HS	7:30 PM			
GODWIN HS	7:50 PM			
MIDLOTHIAN HS	8:10 PM			
NORTH STAFFORD HS	8:30 PM			
POWHATAN HS EXHIBITION	9:00 PM			
BLACK DIVISION AWARDS	9:15 PM			

33RD ANNUAL FALL CLASSIC - FULL SCHEDULE

BAND	ARRIVAL	WARM UP	MOVE TO GATE	AT GATE	PERFORM
ORANGE DIVISION					
CLASS 1A					
NOTTOWAY HS	11:10 AM	11:50 AM	12:35 PM	12:45 PM	1:00 PM
PARRY MCCLUER HS	11:25 AM	12:05 PM	12:50 PM	1:00 PM	1:15 PM
WILLIAM MONROE HS	11:40 AM	12:20 PM	1:05 PM	1:15 PM	1:30 PM
RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY HS	11:55 AM	12:35 PM	1:20 PM	1:30 PM	1:45 PM

BREAK					
CLASS 2A					
VARINA HS	12:25 PM	1:05 PM	1:50 PM	2:00 PM	2:15 PM
WEST POINT HS	12:40 PM	1:20 PM	2:05 PM	2:15 PM	2:30 PM
BROADWAY HS	12:55 PM	1:35 PM	2:20 PM	2:30 PM	2:45 PM
NEW KENT HS	1:10 PM	1:50 PM	2:35 PM	2:45 PM	3:00 PM
MADISON COUNTY HS	1:25 PM	2:05 PM	2:50 PM	3:00 PM	3:15 PM
CUMBERLAND HS	1:40 PM	2:20 PM	3:05 PM	3:15 PM	3:30 PM

ORANGE DIVISION AWARDS

3:45 PM

BLACK DIVISION					
CLASS 3A					
HANOVER HS	2:40 PM	3:20 PM	4:05 PM	4:15 PM	4:30 PM
MECHANICSVILLE HS	3:00 PM	3:40 PM	4:25 PM	4:35 PM	4:50 PM
HERMITAGE HS	3:20 PM	4:00 PM	4:45 PM	4:55 PM	5:10 PM
MECKLENBURG HS	3:40 PM	4:20 PM	5:05 PM	5:15 PM	5:30 PM
COLONIAL HEIGHTS HS	4:00 PM	4:40 PM	5:25 PM	5:35 PM	5:50 PM

BREAK

CLASS 4A					
GLEN ALLEN HS	5:00 PM	5:40 PM	6:25 PM	6:35 PM	6:50 PM
CHARLOTTESVILLE HS	5:20 PM	6:00 PM	6:45 PM	6:55 PM	7:10 PM
ATLEE HS	5:40 PM	6:20 PM	7:05 PM	7:15 PM	7:30 PM
GODWIN HS	6:00 PM	6:40 PM	7:25 PM	7:35 PM	7:50 PM
MIDLOTHIAN HS	6:20 PM	7:00 PM	7:45 PM	7:55 PM	8:10 PM
NORTH STAFFORD HS	6:40 PM	7:20 PM	8:05 PM	8:15 PM	8:30 PM

POWHATAN HS EXHIBITION

9:00 PM

BLACK DIVISION AWARDS

9:15 PM

FALL CLASSIC BAND PARTICIPANTS FOR 2024

NOTTOWAY HS PARRY MCCLUER HS **WILLIAM MONROE HS** RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY HS VARINA HS **WEST POINT HS BROADWAY HS NEW KENT HS** MADISON COUNTY HS **CUMBERLAND HS** HANOVER HS MECHANICS VILLE HS HERMITAGE HS MECKLENBURG HS COLONIAL HEIGHTS HS **GLEN ALLEN HS** CHARLOTTESVILLE HS ATLEE HS **GODWIN HS** MIDLOTHIAN HS NORTH STAFFORD HS

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JUDGES

GREG THOMAS - GE VISUAL

Gregory P. Thomas is a recognized leader in the field of Instrumental Music Education in Virginia. He is a Virginia Band and Orchestra Director's Association Hall of Fame Inductee and led one of the state's most comprehensive and successful High School band programs from 1993 to 2019. Mr. Thomas received his bachelor's degree and Master of Music Education Degree from Virginia Commonwealth University. He taught for 34 years in the Albemarle County Public Schools, including 26 years as the Band Director at Albemarle High School. He is currently on the Faculty of James Madison University where he conducts the Jazz Band, teaches Instrumental Arranging, and Improvisation, and supervises student teachers. Under his direction, the Albemarle High School Band was recognized seventeen times by the VBODA as a "Virginia Honor Band." The Albemarle High School Jazz Band was a three-time finalist at the Savannah Jazz Festival and a 10-time winner of the Chantilly Jazz Festival. He has presented multiple times at the State VMEA conference on the subject of creativity in the instrumental ensemble. Mr. Thomas is a member of VMEA, VBODA, and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia and is in demand as an adjudicator and clinician around Virginia.

Mr. Thomas has been an active performer throughout the United States and has performed with Dee Dee Belson, Big Ray and the Kool-Kats, Gladys Knight, the Temptations, and other national and regional acts. His true pride, however, is his wife of 37 years, Veronica Price-Thomas, and their three children: Price, 36, Lauren, 32, and Carmen, 27.

RICHARD HUGGINS - GE MUSIC

Richard Huggins has served as band director in the state of Virginia for over thirty years, most recently in Hanover County. Originally from Roanoke, Mr. Huggins studied at Longwood College and graduated from James Madison University. Mr. Huggins first taught elementary bands in Fairfax County and then in Washington County, Virginia. Mr. Huggins served as band director at Patrick Henry High School (Glade Spring), then moved to Chesterfield County, where he taught for fifteen years. Mr. Huggins' ensembles have consistently earned superior ratings during his tenure.

Mr. Huggins is an active adjudicator, clinician, and drill writer. His professional affiliations include VMEA, VBODA, NAFME, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, and Phi Beta Mu. Mr. Huggins lives in Mechanicsville with his wife Patti and children Laura and Daniel.

MICHAEL AUMAN - PERCUSSION

Michael Auman is a Richmond, Virginia native who currently serves as the Percussion Director of Percussion Studies for Powhatan County Public Schools Grades 6-12. Previously he was the director of 2 concert bands and a Jazz Band called The Flashbacks at The Center of Belvedere in Charlottesville, Virginia. Mr. Auman was previously the Head Drumline Instructor at The University of Virginia in 2021.

He started drumming at a very young age and has not stopped. His mother, Ruth Auman, and his late father, Leon Auman, are respected music educators in The Commonwealth of Virginia and helped mold his talents at an early age. Michael was a Front Ensemble member of The Crossmen Drum and Bugle Corps in the early 2000s. After aging out, he took on such duties as wind and percussion arranger, drill writer, and most notably, The Director of Percussion at Mills E. Godwin High School in Henrico, Virginia from 2004-2021 and maintained a private studio of 30+ students a year during his time there. He has also been a member of The Richmond Philharmonic, Charlottesville Symphony, The Albemarle Symphony Orchestra, The Derbyshire Baptist Church Orchestra under Mr. David Schwoebel, The Richmond Pops Band under Mr. Joe Simpkins, The Cedar Creek Concert Band in Nashville, Tennessee under Mrs. Sherie Grossman, The Commonwealth Winds under Dr. Terry Austin, and performed the percussion book for two Broadway Shows at The Fringe Festival in Edinburgh, Scotland.

When Michael is not playing music or teaching, he is competing in triathlons with his wife, Liz, making a fine cup of tea, or snuggling on the couch with his dogs Theodore and Samantha.

MR TONY "BABA D" MCCAIN - COLOR GUARD

Mr. Tony "Baba D" McCain is a professional dancer, choreographer, adjudicator, consultant, and costume designer. Since 1982 Coach McCain has instructed 1000's of students, numerous award-winning teams, high schools, workshops, clinics, camps, organizations, and independent ensembles. He currently serves as The Color Guard Coordinator for Powhatan High School, The Founder, Chairman, and Creative Director of The Akoma Dance & Drum Performance Ensemble, and the Artistic Director of The Ngoma African Dance Ensemble at the University of Richmond. Also serves as an instructor on JMU's Summer Band Camp Guard Staff. Mr. McCain has also performed with The Carolina Gold Drum & Bugle Corps-Charter member and The Light Brigade World Winter Guard, which was The European Champions in 2007. He has also been awarded numerous Outstanding Performer Awards, served as a dance liaison in Senegal, West Africa, is a member of the Dzifa Masquerade Society, worked closely with the late Baba Chuck Davis' African American Dance Ensemble in Durham, NC, and the late Baba Melvin Deals' African Heritage Dancers and Drummers in Washington, DC. This marks his 41st year of experience in the Pageantry Arts. His educational background includes studying at VCU with a concentration in Physical Education and a minor in Dance/Choreography. In 2015, he was inducted into The Atlantic Indoor Association's Hall of Honor.

Darrell Pearman - Visual

Darrell Pearman has served as the director of the Blacksburg High School Band Program since 2007 having graduated with honors from Shenandoah Conservatory in 1997 and serving in school districts in Northern Virginia and Georgia. He received his Bachelor of Music in Music Education and Master of Music in Conducting Degrees from Shenandoah Conservatory in Winchester, Virginia. While at Shenandoah, he was a graduate assistant conductor of the Wind Ensemble, Brass Ensemble, and Symphony Orchestra.

Mr. Pearman's bands have achieved local and national recognition; including entry into the Virginia Honor Band Hall of Fame in March 2010 and consistent superior ratings at concert and marching assessments. The Blacksburg Symphonic Band was also selected to perform at the prestigious Music for All National Concert Band Festival in 2018, the 2018 VMEA Conference, and at Carnegie Hall in 2023. Prior to coming to Blacksburg, he was the Director of Bands at Woodbridge Sr. High School in Virginia for six years, Screven County High School in Georgia for one year, and Peter Muhlenberg Middle School in Woodstock, Virginia for three years. During his tenure at Woodbridge, the band performed at the inaugural Disney Honors Music Festival in 2005 and was a four-time Virginia Honor Band.

Mr. Pearman has been a member of the trumpet sections for the Maryland Symphony, Western Maryland Symphony, Deep Creek Festival Orchestra, Millbrook Orchestra, and Loudoun Symphony. Mr. Pearman marched with the Division II World Champion Carolina Crown Drum and Bugle Corps in 1993. He has judged marching and concert band assessments throughout Virginia. He is a member of Phi Beta Mu International Bandmasters Fraternity and Kappa Kappa Psi.

MUSIC- DUANE COSTON
GE MUSIC - RICHARD HUGGINS
COLOR GUARD- TONY MCCAIN

GENERAL EFFECT (M)-GENERAL EFFECT (V)-PERCUSSION- MICHAEL AUMAN

VOICES OF THE EARTH

Powhatan High School Marching Band Presents their 2024 field production



The Powhatan High School Marching Band is proud to present their 2024 field show "Voices of the Earth" featuring What A Wonderful World by Bob Thiele and George David Weiss, Ocean Eyes by Finneas O'Connell, Night on Bald Mountain by Modest Mussorgsky, and Air by Johann Sebastian Bach. Music was arranged by Jeff Chambers with percussion by Tim Mitchell and Luke DeDominces and sound design by Tim Mitchell.

LAURA HUGGINS, DIRECTOR OF BANDS

ASSISTED BY MICHAEL AUMAN, TONY MCCAIN, JAY SMITH AND NOAH JOHNSON

DRUM MAJORS

LILY HAMILTON, & REESE WARREN

STUDENT LEADERSHIP

MONROE HARRISON, OLIVIA VILAR-HARVEY, NICOLE MCNUTT, Zach Durrbeck, Christian Toman, Landon Mcateer, Isaac Abbondanza, Luke Fontenot, Levi Adams, Madilyn Seay, Lauren Pike

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