

# **TWIB NOTES: 11/4**

## CARRABBA'S NIGHT DINNER EVENT ON TUESDAY

Tickets are still available, but you need to act fast. Last day to purchase is Monday, November 4th at midnight!! Dining entertainment has been announced! Wind Symphony and the Jazz Band 2 will play during the first dinner seating. Come to the second dinner seating if you want to hear the Wind Ensemble and Jazz Band 1 play. Purchase your tickets at <u>www.allenband.com/dinnerevent</u>. Silent Auction will have lots of items available including, Dallas Cowboys memorabilia, Private dinner and tasting by Carrabba's for 4, Band Spell Out, Reserved Parking at a Concert, Reserved Seating at a Concert, Be a Drum Major for a Quarter, Themed baskets, baskets, and more baskets. Questions, email Christina at <u>publicrelations@allenband.com</u>.

# GAME 10 (11/8): ALLEN @ PLANO WEST (CLARK STADIUM)

Please scroll down to see the itinerary for Game 10 on Friday – this is an AWAY GAME. Call time in the Band Hall or Ensemble Room is 5:00pm. Meals will be provided (Chick-Fil-A Sandwich, water, snacks). You need be at call time ready for inspection: blue uniform shirt, long black socks, black band shoes, gloves, flip folder with music, hair up, no visible jewelry (other than one stud earrings), NO MAKE-UP (BAND), WATER JUG, and instrument in working condition.

## LOST & FOUND

Please check the lost & found area if you are missing things. They area is full the space needs to be cleaned up. We will clear the lost & found area on Wednesday afternoon.

# FALL CONCERTS W/ DISTINGUISHED COMPOSER FRANK TICHELI

We are excited to host our guest composer Frank Ticheli the week of November 18-21, 2019 as he will work with students during classes and be a part of our fall concerts in the Allen Performing Arts Center (see schedule below). He will be working with all of our bands students, AISD Middle School Honor Bands, and AHS Symphony Orchestra. We are very fortunate to be able to host such this world-renown composer to our campus this month. Join us at each of the concerts below:

<u>November 19 (Tues) – Concert #1</u>		
6:30pm	LFC Concert 1	
6:55pm	LFC Concert 2	
7:20pm	LFC Symphonic Band	

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7:45pm	AHS Symphonic Band 3

8:10pm AHS Symphonic Band 1

# November 20 (Wed) – Concert #2

6:45pm Combined Curtis/Ereckson/Ford MS Honor Bands

7:05pm LFC Wind Ensemble

7:30pm AHS Wind Ensemble

8:05pm AHS Symphony Orchestra

# November 21 (Thurs) – Concert #3

6:30pm	AHS Concert 2
6:55pm	AHS Concert 1
7:20pm	AHS Symphonic 2
7:45pm	AHS/LFC Clarinet Choir
8:00pm	AHS Wind Symphony

## AHS BAND HALL DOOR HOURS (UNLOCKED 7AM-8AM)

The AHS Band Hall Doors will be unlocked at 7am to accommodate lessons. They will be locked by 8:30am as full Wind Ensemble rehearsals will begin by 8:30am everyday. If you enter the band hall doors before 8:30am, be aware that Wind Ensemble sectionals may be happening – please be silent if a rehearsal is happening in the band hall. If you need to enter the locker room after 8am, you will need to enter from the PAC doors for building access.

#### ABBA SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Seniors- the Foundation for Allen Schools has opened their scholarship application process. You have until Friday December 6th to fill out the application and turn in. To be eligible for the ABBA senior scholarship, the senior must be a current general member of the Allen Band Booster Association (ABBA). In addition, Senior Scholarship applicants must complete (10) service hours per year of enrollment in Allen Eagle Band or Colorguard. These service hours are accrued from volunteering at internal ABBA events, such as Registration, concessions scheduled by ABBA, etc. or Band approved events such as All-Region events held at AISD, First Steps, UIL concerts, etc. Hours will be verified by 4th VP Volunteers. Apply at <a href="https://www.allenisd.org/domain/2316">https://www.allenisd.org/domain/2316</a> For questions, please email secretary@allenband.com.

## **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

The Carrabba's Dinner Event this Tuesday evening need help. This is a great way for students to earn service hours for the ABBA Senior Scholarship. Sign up here:

## https://www.allenband.com/content.aspx?page\_id=2664&club\_id=207916

Last district football game of the season is this Friday, 11/8. Sign ups will be live at 6:00 pm today. Our Shout Out goes to someone many of us in ABBA known for his countless hours of helping the Band: Neil Riddick. Neil is an Investment Advisor and Registered Representative at Tallie O Young and Associates. He focuses on empowering motivated people to meet their financial objectives. He will help you with your personal, financial, retirement or business planning, along with investment services, employee benefits and estate trust planning.

#### UNIFORM HELP

Being the biggest band in the land means we have the most uniforms too! There is a huge need for help with this. This week concert attire fittings begin. Please consider signing up for a slot to come help. Every week a portion of marching uniforms go to the dry cleaners. When they come back, we need parent help to organize and hang these uniforms.

To help with either concert fittings or marching uniforms, please sign up at, <u>https://www.allenband.com/content.aspx?page\_id=2664&club\_id=207916</u>

# ABBA NOVEMBER GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The November General Membership Meeting has been moved to Monday, November 11, due to Freshman All-Region tryouts. Come join us at 7:00 pm in the Ensemble Room at the High School.

#### WEEKLY ASSESSMENTS THIS WEEK

Every Thursday, all AHS Band students are to turn their Canvas assessment video on Thursday by 11:59pm. All LFC student assessments are due by 11:59pm on Sunday. Students can look up their assignments, the grading rubric, and submission page on Canvas.

- <u>1<sup>st</sup> Period AHS Assignment submitted in Canvas</u>: Region 1C
- <u>8<sup>th</sup> Period AHS Assignment submitted in Canvas</u>: All Region Etude #2 (2<sup>nd</sup> half of freshman cut) & A Con. Scale
- LFC Students: All Region Etude #2 (2<sup>nd</sup> half of freshman cut) & A Concert Scale

## THE NEXT THREE WEEKS

- 11/5: Carrabba's Dinner & Silent Auction
- 11/8: 7:00am Marching Rehearsal; Away Game vs. Plano West
- 11/9: Lewisville Percussion Contest
- 11/11: 7:00pm Allen Band Booster Association General Meeting
- 11/12: 9<sup>th</sup> Grade All-Region Auditions
- 11/15: Playoff Game (Home)
- 11/19: Fall Concert #1
- 11/20: Fall Concert #2
- 11/21: Fall Concert #3
- 11/22: Possible Playoff Game (Fri or Sat)
- 11/23: Possible Playoff Game (Fri or Sat), Region Jazz Concert



# Allen @ Plano West

Friday, November 8, 2019 7:00 p.m. Kick Off Clark Stadium

4:45pm	<ul> <li>Start Instrument Drop-Off:</li> <li>Drop off area will be by assigned area by Eagle 1 or Eagle 2</li> <li>Instruments for loading: Percussion, Tubas, Baritones, Trombones, Mellophones, Bari Sax, Tenor Sax, Bass Clarinet. All other instruments stay with students on the buses</li> </ul>
5:00pm	Call Time/Load Equipment/Inspection begins: at uniform racks
5:15pm	Inspection ends/Head to track/Drill Team Block; Scan-in by track
5:20pm	Announcements: No Fight Song/Gameday Announcements
5:25pm	<ul> <li>Load Buses: Pick-Up Chick-Fil-A and head to buses</li> <li>(18) School buses will be parked behind band hall</li> <li>Buses 1-15 Band, 17-18 Guard (Buses 1-2 Seniors, 3-4 Percussion and 5 Tuba)</li> <li>Sit two to a seat and leave first two benches on each side for chaperones</li> <li>Chick-Fil-A Sandwich and one water provided.</li> </ul>
5:35pm	Depart for Clark Stadium
6:00pm	Arrive Clark Stadium: Begin unloading
6:15pm	Line Up: Begin entering the stands
6:45pm	Band Warm-Up/Announcements
6:53pm	AHS: School Song
7:00pm	KICK-OFF: Go Eagles!
7:55pm	<ul> <li>Halftime: to Allen side</li> <li>Traditional Show</li> <li>Tallenette Feature: "Born to Be Wild"</li> <li>EAGLES</li> <li>Drumline goes to student section - Grab a snack and get ready for 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter</li> </ul>
10:00pm	Load Buses and Depart for Allen High School: Contact parents for pick up
10:25pm	Approximate arrival time to AHS: Please contact your children for arrival update
11:00pm	<ul> <li>Uniform Check-In/Instrument Unload/Clean Band Hall:</li> <li>SLTs will check off each student prior to final dismissal</li> <li>All instruments unloaded and properly put away in lockers. CLEAN BAND HALL.</li> </ul>

\*\*\* We will have bullets to refill water jugs throughout evening \*\*\*