

## 2020 BJHS Marching Band Color Guard Contract

The following contract outlines expenses, time commitments, behavioral expectations, and other policies for the BJHS Marching Band Color Guard for Fall 2020. If conflicts arise with meeting any of these, please contact the directors and/or booster officers for assistance..

### FALL EXPENSES

\* **\$50 Class Fee** - paid to the school along with other class fees during schedule pick-up.

\* **\$200 Band Booster Fee** for Color Guard - paid to boosters or on line by **August 28<sup>th</sup>**, which is the first Band Booster meeting. One parent must attend this meeting. Checks made payable to **BJHS Band**. (Up to **\$50** will be credited to my student account - \$50.00/shift after working in the concession stand)

\* **\$10 2020-2021 Member T-shirt** with sponsor names

\*All uniform and other expenses may vary from year to year and are listed in the Band Handbook. Final costs will be given at auditions and the parent meeting.

\_\_\_\_ Parent initials      \_\_\_\_ Student initials - I have read and will comply with all required costs and purchases.

### FALL SCHEDULING CONSIDERATIONS

#### Color Guard

- Class Time- 1<sup>st</sup> block (in-person or virtual)
- ALL MEMBERS – after school schedule**
- Tuesdays- Football Band 3:45-5:30pm; Guard sectional 5:30-7:00pm
- Thursdays- Football Band 3:45-5:30pm

The football schedule goes from August to November. Playoffs can extend into December and may include Thanksgiving break. Most games are Friday night but games can be scheduled on a Thursday or Saturday.

\_\_\_\_ Parent initials      \_\_\_\_ Student initials - I have read and will comply with all required scheduling.

### TRANSPORTATION

This year, students will be allowed to transport themselves to the Madison City Schools stadium instead of riding the bus from BJHS. Please indicate which method you/your student will use. **Bus seating will be very limited to allow for social distancing.** Please note that the method chosen will need to be the method for all games. Due to logistics, it cannot be changed from game to game. **If there is a problem with transportation, please contact the directors ASAP so accommodations can be made. By initialing below, you are consenting to that mode of transportation for your student and assume all responsibility for that choice.**

\_\_\_\_ Student will drive themselves      \_\_\_\_ Parents will drop-off/pickup      \_\_\_\_ Ride bus from  
BJHS

\_\_\_\_ Parent initials      \_\_\_\_ Student initials - I have read and will comply with all transportation requirements.

## TIME COMMITMENT

I understand that membership in the BJHS Band Program requires a significant time commitment (both curricular and extracurricular) outlined on the aforementioned pages. **All rehearsals, camps, parades, performances, and functions are MANDATORY** and are a significant portion of the grading system. I understand that two UNEXCUSED absences will result in immediate dismissal from the program. Additionally, I understand that all band booster meetings and emails sent by directors/booster officers offer the valuable and necessary information. As a parent and booster of this program, I understand there are many volunteer needs that are necessary to keep the program running smoothly, and I will do my best to give of my time as needed.

I pledge to honor the time commitment of the ensembles with which I am affiliated and to stay informed via email communication, booster meetings, and the website.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Parent initials** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student initials -I have read and will comply with all time commitments.**

## FINANCIAL COMMITMENT

I understand that membership in the BJHS Band Program requires a significant financial commitment outlined on the aforementioned pages. **Failure to honor these financial obligations** will result in administrative action affecting the registration and auditioning processes. Several fundraisers throughout the year are designed to help cover these financial commitments. **I understand that I need to contact the directors and/or booster officers should I need help meeting these obligations.** I also understand that I can contact booster treasurers to establish a payment plan to meet these obligations.

I pledge to fulfill the financial commitments of the ensembles in which I choose to participate.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Parent initials** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student initials -I have read and will comply with all financial commitments.**

## UNIFORM COMMITMENT

I understand that membership in the BJHS Band Program requires caring for and maintaining a variety of marching uniforms.

I pledge to:

- Follow all instructions regarding uniform maintenance/care/cleaning given at uniform fittings
- Purchase necessary items to complete uniform
- Follow all rules regarding appearance of uniform, personal conduct and appearance while in uniform
- Follow other details stated in the band handbook I will receive with my uniform

\_\_\_\_\_ **Parent initials** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student initials -I have read and will comply with all uniform commitments.**

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Student \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (2020-2021) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian (s) \_\_\_\_\_

**All parents** of Marching Band members are asked to work in the concession stand two times and will receive \$50 credit from paid booster fees to their student account for each time up to \$50.

\_\_\_\_ I plan to work in the concession stand to receive credit for my student's account.

**Field Trip Commitment and Permission**

I understand that membership in the BJHS Band Program requires several field trips (football games, competitions, parades, MPA, Winter Guard performances, etc.).

**As a student, I pledge to follow all rules of the band program, the school handbook and code of conduct while attending these events.**

**As a parent volunteer and chaperone, I pledge to comply with Madison City Schools' policy and procedure for background checks.**

**As a parent, I give permission for my student to travel via bus and to receive emergency treatment if necessary.**

**Parent/Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_