Swanson Middle School Band Calendar 2024-2025

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AS OF 08/26/2024 - Please refer to the Google Calendar for the most up-to-date information.

September	4	Pep Band Rehearsals Begin • Every Wednesday - October 31st	2:40-3:40pm
September	10	Jazz Ensemble Information Meeting	2:40-3:00pm
September	13	Middle School Band Night @ Washington-Liberty HS • For 8th Graders attending WLHS	5:30-10:00pm
September	17	Jazz Ensemble Auditions	2:40-4:30pm
September	18	Swanson Back To School Night	6:00-8:30pm
September	24	Jazz Ensemble Rehearsals Begin • Every Tuesday through the end of the school year	2:40-4:00pm
September	27	Band Attire (Concert Attire & T-Shirts) Order DUE	
October	10	Middle School Band Night @ Yorktown HS • For 8th Graders attending YHS	5:30-10:00pm
October	24	APS Marching Band Showcase @ Wakefield HS	7:00-9:00pm
October	25	Masquerade Party @ SMS • Band, Choir, and Orchestra students	7:00-9:00pm
October	31	Cardinal ES Halloween Parade • Pep Band Only	1:00-3:00pm
November	7	7th/8th Grade Honor Band Auditions @ Kenmore MS • Audition music can be found HERE	4:30-7:30pm
November	14	6th Grade Jr Honor Band Auditions @ Kenmore MS • Audition music can be found HERE	4:30-7:30pm
December	9	Evening with Yorktown HS Band • For 8th Graders attending YHS	6:30pm
December	12	Winter Band Concert • Concert Band, Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Ensemble	7:00pm
December	13	First Spring Trip Payments DUE	

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April	9	Jazz Ensemble Pyramid Concert @ WLHS	6:30pm
April	25	Solo & Ensemble Festival @ Cooper MS	TBD
April	26	Solo & Ensemble Festival @ Cooper MS	TBD
May	3	Music in the Parks: Six Flags • Concert Band	All Day
May	9	Music in the Parks: Hershey Park • Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble & Jazz Ensemble	All Day
May	29	Spring Band Concert • Concert Band, Symphonic Band, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Ensemble	7:00pm
June	5	WLHS Marching Band Reading Session • For 8th Graders attending WLHS	6:00-8:00pm

Swanson MS Bands -

Concert Band - Period 6 & Period 7 + Selected Act II Cadet Band Students

Symphonic Band - Period 3

Wind Ensemble - Period 4

Jazz Band - Every Tuesday after school (any student may audition)

Pep Band - Every Wednesday after school

(optional - open to any student in the band program, no audition required)