

Spring-Ford Area Senior High School Band & Color Guard Announcements for the Week of September 8-13, 2008

1. The Spring-Ford High School Symphonic Wind Ensemble has been selected to perform at the Pennsylvania Music Educators Association (PMEA) Annual In-Service Conference, to be held from April 22 - 25, 2009 in Valley Forge, PA. It is a very special honor to have been chosen, as over 130 audition recordings were submitted for evaluation from performing ensembles throughout the state of Pennsylvania. Our performance time is tentatively scheduled for Friday, April 24, 2008 @ 10:45 AM @ the Valley Forge Convention Center.
2. The following is the schedule of marching band sectionals, rehearsals, & performances for the month of September, 2008. All sectionals will be held in the high school (10-12 grade center) band room:
 - Friday, September 5, 2008
Away Football vs. Norristown High School
(Report time- 4:00 PM)
 - Monday, September 8, 2008
Full Marching Band
(3:30-6:30 PM)
Color Guard
(5:30-8:30 PM)
 - Tuesday, September 9, 2008
Marching Band Sectional
Sousaphones
(3:30-5:30 PM)
 - Wednesday, September 10, 2008
Marching Band Sectional
Piccolos
(3:30-5:30 PM)
 - Thursday, September 11, 2008
Full Marching Band/Color Guard
(5:30-8:30 PM)
 - Friday, September 12, 2008
Away Football vs. Perkiomen Valley High School
(Report time- 4:00 PM)
 - Saturday, September 13, 2008
Marching Band Sectional
Percussion Battery
(9:00 AM-2:00 PM)

 - Monday, September 15, 2008
Full Marching Band
(3:30-6:30 PM)

- Color Guard
(5:30-8:30 PM)
- Tuesday, September 16, 2008
Marching Band Sectional
Bb Clarinets
(3:30-5:30 PM)
10-12 Grade Center Open House Performance
(6:30-7:00 PM)
 - Wednesday, September 17, 2008
Marching Band Sectional
Alto & Tenor Saxophones/French horns
(3:30-5:30 PM)
 - Thursday, September 18, 2008
Full Marching Band/Color Guard
(5:30-8:30 PM)
 - Friday, September 19, 2008
Home Football vs. Boyertown High School
(Report time- 4:00 PM)
 - Saturday, September 20, 2008
Full Marching Band & Color Guard
(9:00 AM-3:00 PM)
Tournament of Bands (TOB) Competition @
Lancaster Catholic High School
(PM- TTBA)
 - Monday, September 22, 2008
Full Marching Band
(3:30-5:30 PM)
Color Guard
(5:30-8:30 PM)
 - Tuesday, September 23, 2008
Marching Band Sectionals
French horns/Trumpets
(3:30-5:30 PM)
 - Wednesday, September 24, 2008
Marching Band Sectionals
Trombones
(3:30-5:30 PM)
 - Thursday, September 25, 2008
Full Marching Band/Color Guard
(5:30-8:30 PM)
9th Grade Center Open House Performance
(6:30-7:30 PM)
 - Friday, September 26, 2008
Away Football vs. Owen J. Roberts
(Report time- 4:00 PM)

- Saturday, September 27, 2008
Full Marching Band/Color Guard
(9:00 AM-3:30 PM)
Cavalcade of Bands (CBA) Competition @
Boyertown High School
(PM- TTBA)
 - Monday, September 29, 2008
Full Marching Band/Color Guard
(5:30-8:30 PM)
 - Tuesday, September 30, 2008
Marching Band Sectional
Baritones
(3:30-5:30 PM)
 - Wednesday, October 1, 2008
Marching Band Sectionals
Sousaphones
(3:30-5:30 PM)
3. The Spring-Ford High School Golden Ram Marching Band percussion battery will be holding a sectional on Saturday, September 13 from 9 am until 2 pm @ the 10-12 grade center. There will be a short snack break for about 15-20 minutes, so please bring something for that.
 4. The monthly meeting of the Spring-Ford Music Association will be held on Tuesday, September 9, 2008 @ 7:30 PM in the 10-12 grade center chorus room.
 5. The following is the schedule for the Lancaster Catholic Tournament of Bands (TOB) Competition, to be held on Saturday, September 20, 2008:

Group	High School	Performance Time
National Anthem	Lancaster Catholic HS Choir	4:50 PM
Group I	Pottsgrove High School	5:00 PM
Group I	Bishop McDevitt High School	5:14 PM
Group II	Middletown Area High School	5:28 PM
Group II	North Hagerstown (MD) High School	5:42 PM
Group II	Huntingtown High School	5:56 PM
Exhibition	Spring Grove High School	6:10 PM
Group III	Governor Mifflin High School	6:24 PM
Group III	Penn Manor High School	6:38 PM
Group III	Urbana (MD) High School	6:52 PM
Group III	Lampeter-Strasburg High School	7:06 PM
Group IV	Upper Darby High School	7:20 PM
Group IV	Daniel Boone High School	7:34 PM
Group IV	Wilson High School	7:48 PM
Group IV	<i>Spring-Ford Area High School</i>	<i>8:02 PM</i>
Exhibition	Lancaster Catholic High School	8:16 PM

Exhibition	Dover Area High School	8:30 PM
Awards	Awards	9:00 PM

6. Tickets are available, for purchase, for the Lancaster Catholic High School Tournament of Bands (TOB) competition. The price of the general admission is \$10.00 per ticket (adult & student)
7. All band announcements can be found on the Spring-Ford High School Band web-site, located @ www.sfgrmu.org