

ATHLETIC BANDS AT MCKENDREE UNIVERSITY

Current Monday, July 21 @ 2:24 p.m.

MARCHING BEARCAT BAND SCHEDULE - FALL 2015

TENTATIVE BAND CAMP / NSO SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 16 - Section Leader Training – 5:00-9:00 p.m.
Monday, August 17 - MBB Camp Check-in/Move-in – 1:00 -7:30 p.m. – Afternoon
Tuesday, August 18 - MBB Camp (new member, Drumline, Color Guard rehearsal day) – 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Wednesday, August 19 - MBB Camp – 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. (full MBB from noon-9:00 p.m.)
Thursday, August 20 – MBB Camp – 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (full MBB for the duration of camp)
Friday, August 21 - MBB Camp – 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Saturday, August 22 - MBB Camp – 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, August 23 – Day Off!
Monday, August 24 - MBB Camp – 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Tuesday, August 25 - MBB Camp – 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Wednesday, August 26 - **MBB performs at Convocation and NSO Lunch – ALL MBB MEMBERS! 9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.**
Thursday, August 27 – NSO / Veteran MBB Members Day Off
Saturday-Sunday, August 29-30 – New Student Orientation (NSO)

FALL SEMESTER TENTATIVE PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

Monday, August 31 – Classes Start!
Saturday, September 5 - **Home Game vs. College of Faith – 6:00 kick-off!**
Saturday, September 19 - **Home Game vs. Northwood – 1:00 kick-off!**
Friday, September 25 - Evening Rehearsal / Set-up to prepare for Preview of Champions
Saturday, September 26 - **PREVIEW OF CHAMPIONS MARCHING BAND COMPETITION - MBB works and performs!!!**
Saturday, October 3 - **Home Game (Homecoming) vs. Southwest Baptist – 1:00 kick-off!**
Saturday, October 10 - **Home Game vs. Indianapolis – 1:00 kick-off!**
Saturday, October 31 - **Home Game vs. Lincoln – 1:00 kick-off!**
Saturday, November 7 - **Home Game vs. Quincy – 1:00 kick-off!**
Thursday, November 19 – **Young People’s Concert - 9:30 a.m.**
Friday, November 20 – **MBB Concert – 7:30 p.m.**
Saturday, November 21 - NCAA D-II 1st Round Play-off Game - TBD
Saturday, November 28 - NCAA D-II 2nd Round Play-off Game – TBD
Saturday, December 5 – **Admissions Preview Day – MBB Performs! – 11:30 a.m. Call Time**
Saturday, December 5 - NCAA D-II 3rd Round Play-off Game - TBD
Saturday, December 12 - NCAA D-II Semi-Final Play-off Game - TBD
Saturday, December 19 - NCAA D-II Championship Play-off Game - TBD

REHEARSALS

- 1) Rehearsals are held from 3:00-5:00 on Mondays and Fridays. Wednesday rehearsals are held for 2 hours from EITHER 2:00-3:50 OR 3:00-4:50 p.m. Friday rehearsals will run until we are done!
- 2) Game day rehearsals are held approximately 4-5 hours prior to the kick-off. These rehearsals typically run 2 hours.
- 3) We try to take off a few Fridays throughout the semester when we can. These will be announced the week prior but are finalized the rehearsal prior based upon how well we are doing in rehearsals.

PURPLE AND WHITE PEP BANDS

Basketball games are still being scheduled and finalized. It looks like there will be 8 dates in the fall semester and 9 dates in the spring semester so similar to this year. I will send you this information sometime in the early fall. We will plan on splitting the band in half for fall semester games so that each of you perform at approximately half of all the basketball games and then have the full band perform at all home spring semester games.

GO BEARCATS!!!