

# Newsletter

## Pasco Middle School Pirate Band

### Summer Schedule

**Summer Band Days:** This summer we will be holding practice days at our band hall for **FREE** for any students currently enrolled in, **or interested in joining**, our band. During these summer band days, you will be able to receive individual and group lessons. This will provide students an opportunity to get a jump start on the year by receiving assistance with upcoming All-County auditions, All-State auditions, marching music, scales, and general music skills.

Summer Band Days will be June 18th, June 20th, July 9th, July 11th July 16th, and July 18th from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**Percussion Camp:** This is a two-day camp for our 2nd and 3rd year percussion students to learn how to be a member of the drum line. Students will be learning drum cadences and going over this year's marching music.

This camp will be help on July 24th and July 30th from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**Band Camp:** This is our full band camp which includes all 2nd and 3rd year percussion and band students. During this camp, students will get an overview of how to march and will learn to play some of our Marching Band music.

This camp will directly influence the types of events, trips, and performances that our band will be able to participate in this year. It is very important to have as many band students in attendance as possible. This camp will be held in the band room August 6th and August 8th from 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Onsite security will not be provided for these activities



#### Percussion Camp

July 24th and 30th

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.



#### Band Camp

August 6th and 8th

3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.



### WHAT SHOULD WE PRACTICE OVER THE SUMMER?

You should practice your **scales**, All-County music, and Marching Band music.

You can get your music and practice with Mr. Schmidt during the summer band days!

**Remember, our band is only as good as you choose to make it!**