



# WEST ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Marching Mountaineers and Family,

I hope that this email finds you and your family well. I am writing to you with some important news about the 2020 season. First of all, I would like to congratulate everyone who auditioned for a student leadership position. We had many qualified candidates and some tough choices.

I also have news about Band Camp. Sadly, Lake Owego Camp will not be open this summer. Therefore Band Camp 2020 will take place at West Orange High School. We are still working out many of the details, but many things are in place at this time. Our goal is to give everyone the best experience possible.

Here is what we do know, as of today:

**Safety** - The safety and the wellbeing of the students and staff is, and will be, our first priority. We will be following all district, state, and CDC protocols.

**Schedule** - The schedule for Band Camp will be roughly the same as it was at our away camp. We will start on Sunday, August 16 and conclude on Friday, August 21. Each day will be similar to previous year's schedules:

8:00am	morning meeting
8:30am	morning visual block (stretch, basics, drill)
12:00pm	lunch
1:00/1:30pm	afternoon music block (sectionals)
5:00pm	dinner
6:00pm	evening block (full ensemble rehearsal)
9:00pm	rehearsals end

A more detailed schedule will be sent once as we get closer to camp.

**Facilities** - We will have the use of the Band Practice Field, PVW gym, Tarnoff Cafeteria, Band/Choir/Orchestra rooms.

**Meals** - Each day, with the exception of Friday, each student will be fed lunch and dinner. Friday will be lunch only.

**Cost** - The cost per student will be \$125.00. This fee covers the cost of meals that we will be feeding students at WOHS (lunch and dinner) and each family's Music Booster membership fee. If you paid for the away camp in full already, you will be contacted about a refund.

There are things we do not know at this point. We do not know if our July rehearsals will run as planned. Guidance from the state and/or school district should be coming soon. If we are allowed on campus, but with smaller groups in attendance, we may have sectionals staggered throughout the week. Of course, anything having to do with Band Camp is under the assumption that we will be allowed on campus during August. That is not certain at this point as well. Please visit the Google Classroom, the online Google Band Calendar, and [www.WOHSMUSIC.org](http://www.WOHSMUSIC.org) for up-to-date information on the season.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email me at [LKelly@westorangeschools.org](mailto:LKelly@westorangeschools.org).

Take care,

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