

**North Andover Scarlet Knight Band
2014 - 2015**



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North Andover Scarlet Knight Bands Leadership

President:

Sam Lheron

Vice President:

Griffin Barber

Secretary:

Ophelia Deng

Historians:

Ophelia Deng
Natalie Bartfay

Brass Manager:

Luke James

Woodwind Manager:

Scott Israel

Percussion Manager:

Devam Dhawan

Fundraising Coordinator:

Clare McGladrigan

Flute SL

Julia Donovan (H)
Lucy Yu (A)

Clarinet SL

Emily Biermann (H)
Caroline Zhang (A)

Alto Saxophone SL

Natalie Bartfay (H)
Ryan Sullivan (A)

Low Reeds SL

Erik Klose (H)
Mariah Dalmer (A)

Brass SL

Luke James (H)
TBA (A)

Front Ensemble SL

Gabby Tober (H)
Natalie Biermann (A)

Percussion SL

Luke Pickard (H)
TBA (A)

Color Guard SL

Hannah Durand

Drum Majors

Ana Sangermano (H)
Haley Biermann (A)
Griffin Barber (A)

Band Camp 2014

Band camp runs from Monday, August 11th through Saturday, August 16th.

Monday, August 11th	12:00PM – 8:00PM	Dinner Break 4:00PM- 5:00PM
Tuesday, August 12th	12:00 PM – 9:00PM	Dinner Break 4:00PM – 5:30PM
Wednesday, August 13th	12:00PM – 9:00PM	Dinner Break 4:00PM – 5:30PM
Thursday, August 14th	12:00PM – 9:00PM	Dinner Break 4:00PM – 5:30PM
Friday, August 15th	12:00PM – 9:00PM	Dinner Break 4:00PM – 5:30PM
Saturday, August 16 th	9:00AM – 6:00PM NAMA Sponsored Barbecue (Preview Show to Follow)	

Each day of camp you will need to bring:

- Water (I recommend you bring a thermos with your name on it)
- **Dot Books and Music**
- Sneakers at **all** rehearsals. (Extra socks are a good idea).
- Sunglasses, hat, sunscreen and bug spray.
- Weather specific clothing. Watch the weather!

A few other reminders...

- Make sure your instruments are in working condition before camp!
- Eat a good breakfast before you come to camp!!
- Come ready to work AND have fun! We are going to have a great season!

Marching Band FAQ's

What is Band Camp?

Band camp is the time before school begins where the band can focus on refreshing their marching skills, learning and memorizing all the new music and learning their formations on the field for the marching show.

What are MICCA and NESBA?

MICCA stands for the Massachusetts Instrumental Choral & Conductors Association. NESBA stands for the New England Scholastic Band Association. They are groups that support music in the schools and sponsor marching band festivals for bands throughout the fall. The marching band will have the opportunity to perform in front of judges and an audience and be evaluated at each sponsored performance. More information can be found at www.miccamusic.org and www.nesba.org.

What does the rehearsal schedule look like and will there be time for homework?

The rehearsal schedule during the school year will be two nights a week and Saturday mornings in September and October.

The fall rehearsal schedule can be found on the NAMA website and each student will receive a hard copy for the refrigerator! During the week, rehearsals are from 6:00PM – 9:00PM. Rehearsal days vary due to use of Walsh Stadium. Saturday rehearsals in September are from 9:00AM – 2:00PM. Saturday rehearsal times in October vary due to performance times.

Plan your fall schedules appropriately!

While this seems like a significant time commitment, if you are organized and plan ahead you will have plenty of time to do homework, study and socialize. There are several students in the marching band that participate in scouts, drama, play a fall sport, work and participate in marching band. **If you want to be in marching band, we can make it work! Please see me ahead of time so we can work out schedules!**

North Andover Scarlet Knight Band Handbook

Mission:

The purpose of the North Andover High School Scarlet Knight bands is:

1. To develop strong musicianship and ensemble performance skills.
2. To develop character, leadership, teamwork and individual responsibility while maintaining high moral standards.
3. To provide entertainment and promote school spirit in cooperation with school and civic activities.
4. To compete/perform locally and at the state level at the ensemble and individual levels.

Organization:

The North Andover High School band program is made up of all students involved in playing instruments in the Wind Ensemble (Audition Only), Symphonic Band (Any student grades 9-12), Jazz Ensemble (Audition Only) and the Scarlet Knight Marching Band; all band members are required to be members of the marching band.

Student offices are chosen through a combination of director choice, group voting and tryouts/performance. In the case of a vacancy, the Director will appoint the most qualified person to fill the vacancy. Any officer not fulfilling his/her responsibilities can be removed from office.

Student Officers:

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Librarian (2)
- Historian (2)
- Drum Majors
- Section Leaders
- Equipment Manager (optional appointment)

Ensembles:

Wind Ensemble:

The North Andover High School Wind Ensemble is one of the premiere instrumental performing groups at North Andover High School and is comprised of the most dedicated instrumentalists. As a member of this honors ensemble, students will perform high level literature for winds and percussion. For the first trimester, the Wind Ensemble combines with the Symphonic Band to perform as the Scarlet Knight Marching Band. Students who are accepted to the Wind Ensemble must commit fully to the group and understand the added responsibility of being a member of this ensemble. All Symphonic Band students are eligible to audition for the NAHS Wind Ensemble. **Students who are unable to take Wind Ensemble in school Trimester 1 are still required to participate in Marching Band.** Wind Ensemble is a full year course.

Symphonic Band:

Symphonic Band is a performance-based ensemble that is open to all students who have successfully completed at least one year of band at the middle school level. Students who have not met these criteria should contact the band director to arrange an audition. The Symphonic Band will perform in multiple venues, including a winter and spring concert, festival opportunities in and out of state and other various community events. Emphasis will be placed on ensemble playing- the perfection of a coordinated group. Students will play a variety of wind band literature, focusing on the improvement of musical and technical abilities of the musicians. **All students electing Symphonic Band automatically agreed to participate in all functions at which the Scarlet Knight Marching Band performs. Symphonic Band is a full year course. Students who are unable to take Symphonic Band in school Trimester 1 are still required to participate in Marching Band.**

Jazz Ensemble:

Students will study music of the jazz idiom. The repertoire for the ensemble will be chosen from jazz, swing, Dixieland, funk and rock. Students must audition for this ensemble. Jazz Ensemble is an extracurricular ensemble that meets once a week after school during the 2nd and 3rd trimesters.

Scarlet Knight Marching Band:

Marching Band is an after school performing ensemble made up of all 9-12 band students enrolled in either Wind Ensemble or Symphonic Band. This is a challenging yet fun aspect to band performance. Marching Band has the following requirements: attend a week of band camp in August, attend multiple after school rehearsals each week, perform at home football games, and perform at 3 NESBA competitions and 2 MICCA competitions. Perform at parades (Everett Homecoming, Veterans Day, North Andover Santa Parade, Little League Parade and Memorial Day). The majority of marching band events take place from September-November, with one additional parade on Memorial Day.

Policies

Sectionals:

“Sectionals” refer to separate rehearsals for each “section” or group of “instruments” isolated from the rest of the group. Throughout the year, sectionals occur weekly. Information about sectionals will be determined at the beginning of the year. Typically, a “section” agrees upon a time when all students can meet and this becomes the weekly sectional rehearsal time for the entire school year. Sectionals are usually 45 minutes-1 hour in duration and take place during after-school hours at the NAHS campus. Sectionals are mandatory; sectional rehearsals aid in the development of blend and balance within sections as well as the overall ensemble.

Preparedness:

You are expected to be prepared for all rehearsals and performances and have the following items:

- Musical instrument in working condition and necessary supplies (reeds, oil, mutes, sticks, tuner, metronome)
- Music (including all warm up exercises)
- Pencil
- For Marching Band rehearsals - lyre, flip folder, dot book, water, appropriate clothing for rehearsals (sneakers, socks, hat, sun screen, bug spray)
- Positive Attitude

Attendance:

Students and their families are asked to strictly adhere to the following rules regarding attendance.

1. Any excused absence from a rehearsal or performance must be given, in writing (and signed by a parent), and approved by the band director two weeks before the event.
2. “Call times” are arrival times and are 10 minutes before start time, which allows 10 minutes to prepare. Remember, to be early is to be on time and to be on time is to be late.
3. ALL band members are expected to attend band camp in August.

Regarding the most common attendance issues:

- No verbal excuses are considered ‘excused’ for any reason.
- Any unexcused absence from a rehearsal or performance results in the lowering of the term grade.
- If a last-minute issue arises that will affect attendance, it is the student’s responsibility to contact the director BEFORE rehearsal. Then, the student must bring a note (signed by parent/doctor) upon return.

Work Policy:

The director understands the importance of holding employment as a teenager, but also understands that employers will give days off, should they be required, if given enough notice.

- It is recommended that you give your employer a copy of your band schedule so that work shifts can be scheduled around rehearsals and performances.
- If your employer is uncooperative, notify the director who will then speak to the employer.

Sports and Band:

- It is challenging to participate in a fall sport and band, but it is possible.
- Students who participate in a fall sport **MUST** provide a practice/game schedule when their band schedule contract is returned.
- Conflicts will occur. If forced to choose, pick a performance over a practice, or a game over a rehearsal. If a practice interferes with a rehearsal, you are expected to divide your time evenly.
- With scheduling conflicts in mind, remember that participation in band is a component of the academic curriculum and participation in sports is extracurricular.

Appointments:

- Appointments should be scheduled on non-practice days.

"I didn't know":

- An unacceptable excuse. The entire year's schedule is sent home, posted in the band room, emailed, posted on the Facebook page and the website. Any changes are made widely available.

Football Games:

- The marching band is required to perform at **ALL HOME GAMES**. It is part of your obligation to the music organization, the school and the town. Games are generally on Friday nights. Thanksgiving Day games are every other year on Thanksgiving morning.

Parades:

- Not only are parades excellent publicity for the music program and the school, they are often valuable fundraising events. Participation in parades is required, and absence from these events will not be tolerated.

Dress Code:

Performances:

Unless otherwise specified, concert black or your marching band uniform is required at all performances.

- Concert black: Black shirt, (tucked in) black pants/skirt, black shoes (e.g. Dinkles). For All Town band Concert - White Band Polo Shirt with black pants/skirt, black shoes.
- Marching band: Complete uniform, black socks, black gloves, Dinkles. For football games, a hat or gloves are permitted in the stands.

Code of Conduct:

Classroom Conduct:

- Band members are to read the whiteboard in the band room for daily class plans and prepare themselves appropriately.
- During school hours, passes are required for tardiness. School policy is strictly adhered to. Students should be in their seats with their instrument 5 minutes after the late bell.
- During rehearsal, talking is to be kept to a minimum and should be related to rehearsal only. Playing when not requested by the director is unacceptable.
- No food with the exception of bottled water is allowed anywhere in the music department!
- Learn your music. Home practice is required. Upperclassmen, in particular, are expected to set a positive example.
- Students should never use or touch an instrument that is not assigned to them or does not belong to them.
- Every effort must be made to protect instruments and equipment.

Performance/Trip Conduct:

The first musical organization the public will see is the marching band in the early fall. The impression set forth impacts the year’s activities and the success of our other musical organizations.

- Attendance is mandatory, unless previously excused by the band director.
- Transportation will be provided by bus if needed. Unless otherwise designated, every student will be expected to ride the bus.
- All members are to report to the band room at the designated time, load the bus and go through roll call.
- School policy regarding conduct while riding a bus is applicable and will be enforced. Any student who does not follow the bus rules will have his/her parents/guardians contacted immediately and will be subject to consequences per the NAHS school-wide disciplinary policy. Students in violation of such policies may be subject to removal from a musical event and/or removal from the NAHS music department courses and programming.
- At football games, the band is to sit together in the stands in full uniform. Shakos are not required at this time.
- Students are ‘free’ during the 3rd quarter of the game. However, all conduct rules apply and uniforms are to be worn. All students must return to the stand by the start of the 4th quarter.
- If a student wishes to eat/drink during 3rd quarter, they should do so ONLY if they have covered their uniform with a band jacket.
- Playing is done as a group only, per the discretion of the director and as game-stoppage allows.
- No booing, abusive language or obscene gestures will be tolerated at any time.
- Chaperones and parent volunteers are to be treated with the utmost respect at all times.

Disciplinary Code:

Any member found to be breaking any rule from the North Andover Band Handbook or the North Andover High School Handbook will be referred to the director and, when appropriate, the school administration for disciplinary action. Membership in any of the Scarlet Knight music ensembles may be terminated at any time by the director with the approval of the administration. Students who do not complete their required Marching Band Commitment will not be allow to stay enrolled in Symphonic Band or Wind Ensemble for Trimester 2 or 3.

Grading:

Trimester 1

Contract, Health Form, Rehearsal and Performance Schedule	_____ 5%
Performances/Daily Participation Preparedness	_____ 45%
3 NESBA	
2MICAA	
4 Regular Season Football Games/3 Playoff Games (TBA)	
Everett Parade	
Veteran’s Day Parade	
North Andover Santa Parade	
Sectionals	
Winter Concert	
In Class Listening Activities	_____ 10%
Performances	
Reflection Assignments	_____ 10%
2 Per Trimester	
Individual Playing Assessments	_____ 30%
Bi Weekly Playing Exams	
The North Andover Music Department Rubric will be used	

NAHS Marching Band 2014 - Performance and Rehearsal Schedule and Contract

Student Name: _____ Section: _____

- Please initial next to each date.
- For any planned absences, please attach a parental note explaining the reason for the absence.
- Students are allowed 2 excused rehearsal absences. Performances (concerts, competitions, parades, football games) are mandatory.
- Keep one copy of this schedule for yourself. Return the signed copy to Mr. Smalley by Saturday August 16.
- Schedules returned with absences but without notes will not be accepted.
- End times for performances vary. The staff will announce travel, time, and logistical details before each event.

Check the NAMA website regularly for schedule updates as the season progresses - www.NorthAndoverMusic.org

Initials	Date	Time	Event	Location
Mandatory	M-F Aug 11 – 15	Noon – 9PM	Band Camp	NAHS
Mandatory	Sat, Aug 16	9AM – 6PM	Band Camp	NAHS
_____	Tue, Sep 2	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Wed, Sep 3	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Sat, Sept 6	9AM – 2PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Mon, Sep 8	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Thurs, Sep 11	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Sat, Sep 13	9AM – 2PM	Rehearsal	NAMS - Hayes
_____	Tue, Sep 16	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Thurs, Sep 18	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
Mandatory	Fri, Sep 19	6PM	Football vs. Beverly	NAHS
_____	Sat, Sep 20	9AM – 2PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Tue, Sep 23	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Thurs, Sep 25	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
Mandatory	Sat, Sep 27	9AM - TBA	Everett Parade/Rehearsal (TBA)	NAMS - Hayes
_____	Mon, Sep 29	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Thurs, Oct 2	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
Mandatory	Fri, Oct 3	6PM	Football vs. Dracut	NAHS
_____	Sat, Oct 4	2PM	NESBA NA Performance	Hayes & NAHS
_____	Mon, Oct 6	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Thurs, Oct 9	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Wed, Oct 15	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAMS - Hayes
_____	Thurs, Oct 16	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
Mandatory	Fri, Oct 17	5PM	Football vs. Methuen (Home Coming)	NAHS
Mandatory	Sat, Oct 18	2PM	MICAA Wakefield Performance	NAHS & Comp
_____	Tue, Oct 21	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Thurs, Oct 23	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
Mandatory	Fri, Oct 24	4PM	Football vs. Haverhill w/ 8 th grade	NAHS
Mandatory	Sat, Oct 25	2PM	NESBA Reading Performance	NAHS & Comp
Mandatory	Sun, Oct 26	10AM	MICAA Finals Lowell	NAHS & Comp

NAHS Marching Band 2014 - Performance and Rehearsal Schedule (Continued)

Student Name: _____ Section: _____

Initials	Date	Time	Event	Location
_____	Mon, Oct 27	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
_____	Thurs, Oct 30	6PM – 9PM	Rehearsal	NAHS - Walsh
Mandatory	Fri, Oct 31	6PM	Football Playoff TBA	NAHS
_____	Sat, Nov 1	9AM -2PM	Rehearsal	TBA
Mandatory	Sun, Nov 2	2PM	NESBA Finals	TBA & Lawrence
Mandatory	Fri, Nov 7	6PM	Football Playoff TBA	NAHS
Mandatory	Tue, Nov 11	9AM	Veteran’s Day Parade	First and Main Parking Lot Main Street
Mandatory	Fri, Nov 14	6PM	Football Playoff TBA	NAHS
Mandatory	Tue, Nov 18	6PM	8 th Grade Info Night	NAHS
Mandatory	Thurs, Nov 27	9AM	Football vs. Masco	NAHS
Mandatory	Sat, Nov 29	TBA	North Andover Santa Parade	NAMS Parking Lot
Mandatory	Thurs, Dec 11	6PM – 9PM	Dress Rehearsal	NAHS
Mandatory	Tue, Dec 16	6PM – 9PM	Dress Rehearsal	NAHS
Mandatory	Thurs, Dec 18	6PM	Winter Concert	NAHS

Haverhill Christmas Parade – Date and Time TBA – Mandatory

Merrimack Santa Parade – Date and Time TBA - Mandatory

I have read and understand the North Andover Band Handbook and agree to follow all policies and procedures contained within. I have reviewed the schedule above and have valid excusal notes for those rehearsals I cannot attend. I will inform Mr. Smalley of other sports or other activity commitments prior to end of band camp and an agreeable arrangement will be made.

Parents understand that their son/daughter will be traveling via school bus for events away from North Andover High School and will be supervised by staff and NAMA volunteers.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please Print, Fill out, and Sign a copy for the schedule (make a copy for your information as well) and return to Mr. Smalley by Saturday, August 16.

Music Department Health and Emergency Card
2014 - 2015

Please print or type in the following information:

Name: _____ D.O.B.: _____ Age: _____ Sex: _____
Parent / Guardian: _____ Tel.# _____
Home Address: _____ Other Ph. #: _____
Family Physician: _____ Tel. # _____
Health Insurance Co.: _____ Policy # _____

In case of an emergency, if parent can't be contacted, please notify:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____
Address: _____ Tel.# _____

ALLERGIC REACTIONS

Bee Sting _____ Drugs (List) _____ Other: _____

Does your child carry an EpiPen? Yes / No

Has your child been diagnosed with a concussion in the past? Yes / No

Are there any illnesses for which this child is currently receiving treatment and / or medication?

Yes / No Please list and describe medications:

In Case of medical emergency, I hereby authorize any licensed physician, hospital, clinic, or other medical facility to hospitalize and secure proper treatment for my child as named above. In the event that a parent / guardian or contact person cannot be reached by telephone, I authorize my child's director or chaperone to secure emergency treatment for my child.

Signature of parent or guardian

Date

2014 Uniform Order Form

In addition to the uniforms assigned during band camp, band members are required to purchase black marching gloves, dinkle marching shoes, and the NAHS Embroidered white band polo shirt (for warm weather performances) **If you are an upperclassman you do not need to buy a new shirt or shoes if what you own is in good condition.**

Please fill out and return the form below. **Checks for uniform items should be made payable to "NAMA".**

Marching Shoes.....	Vinyl \$24.00	Leather \$34.00
Gloves	\$5.00	
NAHS Embroidered Band Polo	\$24.00	
Uniform Dry Cleaning	\$20.00	

2014 Uniform Order Form
Checks made out to "NAMA"

Marching Shoes.....	Vinyl 24.00	Leather \$34.00
Gloves.....	\$5.00	
Band Polo Shirt.....	\$24.00	
Uniform Dry Cleaning.....	\$20.00	
Season T-Shirt.....	no fee - need size (below)	

NAME: _____ PHONE #: _____

Season T-Shirt (Circle Size): S M L XL

Marching Band Shoes- Size: _____ \$ _____

Men – Women (Circle One) Black or White (DRUM MAJOR ONLY - White)

Gloves- QTY Size (S M L) _____ \$ _____

Band Polo Size (S M L XL) _____ \$ _____

End of the year Dry Cleaning \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Make Checks Payable to NAMA

Student – Parent Info Sheet (Please print neatly)

Student Name: _____ **Year of Graduation:** _____

Instrument: _____

Student e-mail: _____

Student cell phone: _____ **Home Phone:** _____

Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Phone Numbers: Cell: _____

Home or Work: _____

E-mail address: _____

Photo/Video Consent Form

By being a member of the North Andover Music Program, you are often photographed and videotaped during rehearsals and performances. Many of these pictures and movies are then used in the high school's fine arts program, newspapers, slideshows, on the school website and other secure websites. We will not post any individual pictures/films involving your child without your consent.

Please check one:

Photographs/ movies involving me **can** be displayed _____

Photographs/ movies involving me **cannot** be displayed _____

Student Name (please print): _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Concussion Policy

The purpose of this policy is to provide information and standardized procedures for persons involved in the prevention, training management and return to activity decisions regarding students who incur head injuries while involved in extracurricular athletic activities including, but not limited to, interscholastic sports, in order to protect their health and safety as required by Massachusetts law and regulations. The requirements of the law apply to all public middle and high schools, however configured, serving grades six through high school graduation. In addition to any training required by law, the following persons shall annually complete one of the head injury safety training programs approved by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH) as found on its website: coaches; certified athletic trainers; trainers; volunteers; school and team physicians; school nurses; athletic directors; directors responsible for a school marching band; employees or volunteers; and students who participate in an athletic extracurricular activity and their parents.

Upon the adoption of this policy by the School Committee, the Superintendent shall ensure that DPH receives an affirmation on school district letterhead that the district has developed policies and the School Committee has adopted a final policy in accordance with law. This affirmation shall be updated by September 30, 2013 and every two years thereafter upon review or revision of its policies. The Superintendent shall maintain or cause to be maintained complete and accurate records of the district's compliance with the requirements of the Concussion Law, and shall maintain the following records for three years or, at a minimum, until the student graduates, unless state or federal law requires a longer retention period:

1. Verifications of completion of annual training and receipt of materials;
2. DPH Pre-participation forms and receipt of materials
3. DPH Report of Head Injury Forms, or school based equivalents
4. DPH Medical Clearance and Authorization Forms, or school based equivalents
5. Graduated reentry plans for return to full academic and extracurricular athletic activities

This policy also applies to volunteers who assist with extracurricular athletic activities. Such volunteers shall not be liable for civil damages arising out of any act or omission relating to the requirements of law, unless such volunteer is willfully or intentionally negligent in his act or omission. If a student sustains a head injury or concussion during the season, but not while participating in an extracurricular athletic activity, the parent shall complete the Report of Head Injury Form and submit same to the school nurse.

Students who plan to participate in extracurricular athletic activities and their parents must complete and sign the pre-participation medical form prior to each season of participation. The questionnaire will be distributed through the athletic department and may also be obtained in the health office. The questionnaire will be reviewed by the school nurse prior to athletic participation. The school nurse will provide appropriate follow-up when necessary. Annually, students are also required to provide a physical exam to the school nurses' office. No student shall be medically cleared for extracurricular athletic activities until the school nurse has reviewed both the questionnaire and physical exam. The school nurse shall consult with the school physician as necessary regarding a student's medical history and or eligibility. NAPS may use a student's history of head injury or concussion as a factor to determine whether to allow the student to participate in an extracurricular athletic activity or whether to allow such participation under specific conditions or modifications. A NAPS 20multidisciplinary team will develop a plan for the student's return to play. This team may consist of athletic trainer, school nurse, school physician, teaching staff, guidance counselor, primary care physician or physician managing the student's recovery, and parent. The plan shall include the academic recovery plan, any recommendations from the physician and comply with the return to play protocol. Students must be symptom free and medically cleared in order to return to play.

I have read and understand the North Andover Public School concussion policy and agree to follow all policies and procedures contained within.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

OPTIONAL PURCHASE



**Band – Chorus – Color Guard
Jackets**

Charles River Apparel Men's Synthesis Jacket
Band and Color Guard are black and gray
Chorus jackets are red and black

100% polyester - machine washable
zipper front and zipper pockets

Band – Chorus – Color Guard emblem embroidered on left chest
Personalized name embroidered on arm

Cost \$45

Orders due by Friday September 12th 2014

Return orders to band or chorus teachers
Questions – email kimhearst@gmail.com

Jacket Order

_____ band jacket _____ chorus jacket _____ color guard jacket

Circle Size: small medium large x-large

Name on Sleeve: _____
(print neatly – limit 12 letters)

Student Full Name _____ email _____

Attach cash or \$45 check made out to NAMA (North Andover Music Association)

**North Andover High School and the
North Andover Music Association are hosting
New England Scholastic Band Association
Marching Band Competition**



Saturday October 4, 2014

North Andover High School has a long tradition of fostering talented music students and a strong Marching Band. Once again, NAHS and NAMA will be hosting a NESBA competition! Make this event special by placing a **Best Wishes** ad for your music student in the program. Please show your support for all the music students of North Andover Public Schools by placing an ad and attending the show!!



All Best Wishes ads will be the same size; however, you may place more than one. **Each ad will be \$25.00 for ¼ page (2 ½ “ x 4”)**.

Amount enclosed: \$ _____

Checks should be made out to: North Andover Music Association (NAMA). Please mail this form and payment to: Karen Lunny, 20 Stage Coach Road, North Andover MA 01845 or email your message and your information to: klunny@comcast.net

Your Name _____ Address _____

Email: _____
(please provide email for confirmation)

BEST WISHES MESSAGE:



North Andover Music Association



NAMA Board

Martin McGrath
President

Karen Lunny
Vice President

Kim Hearst
Treasurer

Kim Young
Secretary

Joan Johnston
Membership Chair

Lauren Stone
Laura Biermann
*Volunteer & Chaperone
Coordinators*

Sue Francoeur
*Volunteer Coordinator &
NAMS Liaison*

Chandrika Shah
Fundraising Chair

Helen Pickard
Publicity Chair

Sandra Lheron
Correspondence Secretary

Pam & Paul Guerrieo
Uniform Coordinators

Meghan Iacoviello
Webmaster

Welcome to the 2014/2015 season for the North Andover High School Marching Band! The North Andover Music Association (NAMA) is a parent run organization providing all types of support for music students throughout the North Andover Public Schools. We invite everyone with a child active in music, or anyone with an interest in music to join NAMA. Support for the music programs is offered through volunteer hours, financial support, and advocacy for the value of music in education. This past year we helped fund the trip to Disney and NA Music T-shirts. NAMA provided support for new instruments, scholarships and awards, NAMS Great East Festival, and chaperones for numerous events throughout the year. Please consider joining our association by making a tax-deductible donation! NAMA is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Your tax deductible membership donation can be made in two (2) ways:

- 1) PayPal at www.northandovermusic.org
- 2) Fill out this form and mail your check payable to: North Andover Music Association to NAMA c/o Kim Hearst, Treasurer, 60 Sherwood Dr, North Andover, MA 01845

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Student(s) Name(s) _____ Grade(s) _____

I/We wish to support the NA Schools Music Programs by volunteering to help NAMA by:

Fundraising Chaperone Baking/Food/Drink Wherever I am needed

I/We wish to support the NA Schools Music Programs by:

Holding a position on the NAMA Board

Volunteering for NAMA

Making a donation of _____, valued at _____

Participating in corporate sponsorship. Company _____

I/We wish to become a member of NAMA by making a contribution to be acknowledged in programs as:

Sponsor and NAMA member (\$25-\$74)

Patron (\$75-\$199)

Angel (\$200 or more)

Corporate (\$500 or more) Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Does your company have a matching gift program? Company Name _____

Corporate Matching Gifts can double your support for our music programs!

Thank you for your support and please visit us at www.northandovermusic.org

Please contact Martin McGrath, NAMA President, at martinpmcgrath@msn.com for additional information.

Thank you for your support,

Joan Johnston, Membership Chair 2014-2015

North Andover Scarlet Knight Band Forms Checklist

2014 Performance and Rehearsal Contract: _____

Health and Emergency Card: _____

Uniform order form/With Check
Made payable to NAMA: _____

Student/Parent information sheet
Video/Photo consent form: _____

Concussion Policy: _____

Band/Guard – Jacket Order Form _____

NESBA Best Wishes Ad _____

NAMA Membership Form _____