



# Pearl High School Band Medical Release Authorization

Band Student/Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

If your child needs medical care, dental care or hospital services, you as parent/guardian must give permission. IT IS THE LAW! In an emergency, your child can only be treated without your consent if a physician determines that your child's life or health is at risk. Unless a true emergency exists, medical personnel are powerless to help your child without your authorization. That is why you must complete this Medical Treatment Authorization form. You can prepare for the unexpected by giving other adults permission to authorize necessary treatment for your child during your absence. By filling out the form you may legally appoint anyone over 18 years of age-relatives, teachers, babysitters, and friends to take this responsibility. **Complete this form carefully, and have your signature witnessed by a Notary Public.** The original must be on file before your child is allowed to participate in the Pearl Band Program.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Legal Parent/Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ authorize:  
(Parent/Guardian Name) (Student Name)

Name: Matt Rowan, Director of Bands – 553 Asbury Lane Drive, Pearl, MS 39208

Name: Matt Pickering, Assoc. Director of Bands – 646 Westhill Road, Brandon, MS 39042

Name: Aimee Sudduth, Asst. Band Director – 507 Edgewater Branch Drive, Brandon, MS 39042

Name: Matt Little, Asst. Band Director – 115 Woodburn Way, Pearl, MS 39208

Name: Jason Harrell, Asst. Band Director – 405 Wildberry Circle, Pearl, MS 39208

To act on my/our behalf in authorizing unexpected medical, dental, surgical care or appropriate hospital representatives at such times as unexpected medical, dental, surgical care or hospitalization may be required.

Parent Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_  
(PLEASE PRINT)

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### HOSPITALIZATION COVERAGE FOR ABOVE NAMED MINOR:

Insurance or Government Program Name: \_\_\_\_\_

ID or Contract Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### **NOTARY PUBLIC:**

The above parent(s)/Guardian(s) personally appeared before me on: \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

(Affix Seal or Stamp Here)



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Band Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Drug Allergies:

\_\_\_\_ No known Drug Allergies

Family Physician Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergic to: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Medications:

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Surgical History:

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Special Needs:

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## PEARL HIGH SCHOOL BAND

2018-2019

### Student Account Information and Payment Schedule



**Student Band Account Cost: \$350.00**

**Yearly Band Dues (to Pearl High School): \$50 Personal Instrument / \$120 School Owned Instrument**

**Student Accounts:** To fund the Pearl High School Band Program each band member is responsible for their portion of the cost of the various activities that the band participates in each year. These costs include: entrance fees, travel costs, uniform costs, and other such items not covered by district funds. The cost of each student account will vary from year to year depending on the events attended. The total amount of each student account will be announced towards the beginning of each school year and a payment schedule will be provided. The general band student account does not include percussion, colorguard, winterguard, indoor percussion, or other additional groups' fees. We highly encourage ALL students to take part in the various fundraisers that we provide to cut down on the out of pocket costs to individual families.

#### **Student Account Breakdown:**

- Band Camp Fee: \$50.00
- 2018 Band Apparel (for wear with uniform): \$50.00
- Choctawhatchee Contest Travel/Hotel: \$210.00
- Band Banquet: \$15.00 (Student Ticket)
- Uniform Cleaning: \$25.00

#### **Payment Schedule for Student Accounts**

**July 16, 2018: \$100**

**August 13, 2018: \$100**

**September 10, 2018: \$100**

**October 8, 2018: \$50**

#### **Payment Schedule For Band Dues**

**November 12, 2018: \$25 or \$60**

**February 4, 2019: \$25 or \$60**

#### **Band Dues**

Band Dues are separate from the Student Account Payments and are due at the end of the second nine weeks and third nine weeks. These dues go to aid the Pearl Public School District in the cost of purchasing uniforms, paying for bus expenses and maintaining equipment used by the band on a yearly basis. The dues are as follows:

**\$25 per semester/ \$50 per year for a student with a non-school owned instrument.**

**\$60 per semester / \$120 per year for a student with a school owned instrument.**

#### **Charms System Information**

You may access this system by going to [www.charmsoffice.com](http://www.charmsoffice.com). The Charms System will enable each family to look up their band student's account information. You may also pay any balances with a credit/debit card through the use of paypal. You may also pay with cash/check/money order. Please make all checks or money orders payable to "Pearl Band Auxiliary." Any payments made at school will be credited on your Charms account in order to reflect the most recent balance.

#### **Fundraisers**

***ALL STUDENTS are encouraged to participate in ALL fundraisers in order to earn money towards their student accounts and band dues.*** The following fundraisers are planned for the Pearl Band this year:

Pizza/Cookie Dough Sales: July

One Hour Fundraiser: August

World's Finest Chocolate: August/September

Pecan Fundraiser: October

**Important: We encumber many costs in advance on students' behalf. For this reason, there can be no refunds due to ineligibility, inappropriate student conduct resulting in non-participation, school disciplinary referrals, or change of schedule. Full Band Expenses are generally pre-paid. Please plan well in advance.**

Parents of any student with financial difficulty must contact a director by email or phone in advance of any due date for an extension. ***TOTAL PARTICIPATION IN ALL FUNDRAISERS IS REQUIRED for anyone in this circumstance.***

**Pearl High School Band**  
**2018-2019**  
**Student Account Information and Payment Schedule**  
**Agreement/Consent Form**

Please read the attached "Student Account Information and Payment Schedule."  
Please note that individual refunds for profits earned through fundraising cannot be issued. Your Signature below indicates that you have read and understand the Band Fee information and that you will make every effort to keep your student's account in good standing.

**Student Name (Print):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name (Print):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Email Address or Phone :** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Pearl Pirate Band

Taken from the Pearl Band Handbook.

The entire handbook is available on [www.pearlpirateband.org](http://www.pearlpirateband.org).

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Each band member is expected to attend: (a) all rehearsals during the school day (b) any after school and night rehearsals (c) the annual band camp and summer rehearsals (e) all performances. **Band students who drop band from their schedule or are dismissed during the school year will receive a zero in band for the semester and no credit for the semester.**
2. Absences from band rehearsal are either excused or unexcused. Absences due to (a) personal illness, (b) death in the family, (c) an emergency, (d) personal involvement in another school function, or (e) special permission from the band director or principal **obtained in advance by the parent of guardian shall be EXCUSED. Absence due to any other reason shall be considered UNEXCUSED. Doctors notes must be presented for personal illness to be excused.** The student must show consistent responsibility in these areas. Doctor or dental appointments need to be made after school if possible so the student won't miss rehearsal.
3. Only (2) unexcused absences from rehearsals will be accepted. Upon being absent from the third rehearsal **unexcused**, the student shall receive and "F" for the nine weeks and have a parent conference. Upon the fourth unexcused absence, the student will be considered for dismissal from band.
4. **Only one unexcused absence from a band performance may result in the immediate dismissal of the student from the performing band for the remainder of the school year.** A performance is considered any event in which the entire band or part of the band, i.e. symphonic band, is to perform and all members of the performing organization are required to attend. **Band students who drop band from their schedule or are dismissed during the school year will receive a zero in band for the semester and no credit for that semester.**
5. When a student becomes a member of the "Pirate" Band, he/she agrees to abide by all rules and regulations stated in the handbook. **If he/she does not abide by these rules and causes himself/herself to be dismissed from the band, he/she may not be readmitted to the band the following school year without the consent of the band staff.**
6. It is the responsibility of the student and/or parents to contact your director **PRIOR** to a performance if you are going to be late or cannot attend.
7. **Each student is responsible for hearing and seeing all announcements.** Failure to look and listen is not a reliable excuse. A time for meeting will be specified for all performances. This is a formation time, NOT AN ARRIVAL TIME. A listing of performances and rehearsals complete with times can usually be found on the band website, [www.pearlpirateband.org](http://www.pearlpirateband.org).
8. Students should arrange personal jobs and extra church functions so as not to conflict with rehearsals or performances. **Work is not considered an excused absence.** Performances and rehearsals are announced well in advance so that these activities, as well as family trips, should not conflict.
9. All students travel to football games, contests, and outings on the bus. Students may be released to their parents at the conclusion of the event. Parents wishing for their student to ride home with them must sign their student out with a band director. If you wish to ride home with another band family, you must have your parent contact the director prior to the trip. We will release you to the band parent that is specified by your parent. Students, be certain you understand this routine. It is for your protection.
10. Smoking, consumption of alcoholic beverages and the use of controlled substances will not be tolerated in the band program. Students caught breaking this rule may be suspended from band for a maximum of one calendar year, will receive a zero for the semester's grade, no credit for

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11. School disciplinary measures that cause a student to miss a band performance will result in the student's grade being lowered to a zero for the nine weeks and a parent conference will be scheduled.
12. Any band student with inappropriate behavior that is in habitual or severe violation of the Pearl Public Schools Student Code of Conduct may be dismissed from the band program at the discretion of the band director and administration. This includes, but is not limited to Category 3 or Category 4 violations (Fighting, etc.)
13. The band staff PRIOR TO the shirts being printed must approve all of the printing on "section" shirts.

## RULES CONCERNING THE CHALLENGE/ALTERNATE SYSTEM

### Attendance:

1. Summer rehearsals are required.
2. Band Camp – Attendance is mandatory.
3. Afterschool rehearsals are required. Failure to attend will result in alternate status.
4. Alternates will be determined by marching and playing skills demonstrated during rehearsals.
5. Alternates will be assigned during the week of band camp.
6. Alternates will have the option of challenging 1 person per week within their section for a position in the show. Challenges will end in late September.
7. A challenge shall consist of marching assigned drill sets and the corresponding music. Challenges will be held each week after the first football game.
8. Extended illness, injury, or absences: A person who misses rehearsals because of illness, injury, or absences may be placed on alternate status at the discretion of the director.

## MUSIC, EQUIPMENT, FEES, UNIFORMS, AND BAND CREDIT

1. Each student is responsible for the welfare of any and all equipment, music, uniforms, etc. issued to him/her. Any lost or damaged music or equipment must be replaced or paid for by the student.
2. Each student is expected to have all proper equipment at all rehearsals. This includes instrument, sticks, music, pencil, etc.
3. **Band Fees:** Each student is assessed a \$25 per semester band fee/uniform fee. Students who use school owned equipment are assessed \$60 per semester to help defray the cost of equipment. (Students will be responsible for correcting any damage that may occur to said instrument due to negligence on their part.) Monies from this fund are used to buy additional equipment, music, instruments, insurance, etc. as needs arise. Band dues are also used to help fund future uniform purchases by the district.

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**Any student owing fees will be placed on the appropriate school's fine list and not be allowed to continue in band and/or considered for additional positions/groups until payment arrangements are made.**

Parents of any student with financial difficulty must contact a director by email or phone in advance of any due date for an extension. **TOTAL PARTICIPATION in ALL FUNDRAISERS is required for anyone in this circumstance.**

4. Two units of credit are given to each member of the band each school year for band and ensemble classes, after completing the year in good standing.
5. Each student is assigned a special area for his/her instrument. Always leave your instrument in the area assigned to you and have your name clearly marked on your instrument.
6. Take pride in your band rooms. Put trash in the trashcans. Do not write on shelves, doors, walls, stands, chairs, etc.
7. You are to play only your instrument assigned to you. Damaging the band room or any of its equipment will not be tolerated. Disciplinary action will be taken and damage will be paid for by the student.
8. When you are in uniform, you are no longer an individual, but a representative of our band, school and community.
9. YOUR UNIFORM IS TO BE CLOMplete AT ALL TIMES IN PUBLIC UNLESS SPECIFIED BY A DIRECTOR.
10. Always remember that before, during and after a public performance you are in a public spotlight because of the uniform you wear. The impression you leave must be a good one.
11. Food and drinks are not allowed in the band stands at football games except during break times.

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## Pearl Band Handbook Agreement

Please sign and return the following form.

I have read and understand the attached rules and regulations of the Pearl High School Band.

Band Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_





# PIRATE BAND

PEARL HIGH SCHOOL  
500 Pirate Cove  
Pearl, Mississippi 39208  
601.664.2249 Fax

*"We Believe"*

Dear Pearl Band Supporter:

Thank you for your past support of the Pearl High School Band. Our band and staff, approximately 165 members, are proud of a longstanding tradition of "Excellence Through Perseverance." This tradition has resulted in many awards throughout the years.

We would like to thank you for your past support if you have purchased an advertisement in our program, and would like to request that you consider purchasing an advertisement again for this year's program. The goal of the Pearl Pirate Band is to continue its award-winning tradition of excellence. The students and staff consider it an honor and privilege to represent our school, city, state, and our supporters at every performance.

If you have never purchased an advertisement for our program, we would greatly appreciate your support this year. In gratitude of your support, we have developed a sponsorship program that will more visibly acknowledge community partners, who have a vested interest in the success of the Pearl "Pirate" Band. This program includes:

- Acknowledgement in all state and regional competition programs hosted by the Pearl Band.
- Your name displayed on the Pearl "Pirate" Band equipment truck.

When you choose either the blue or gold sponsorship, you will be considered a Pearl Band supporter for a period of four (4) years. This sponsorship allows your name to be seen by thousands of event attendees throughout the state.

Please complete the enclosed order form as you would like your advertisement to appear. Please make checks payable to the Pearl Band Auxiliary. You may email your advertisement and pictures to [wilson0427@comcast.net](mailto:wilson0427@comcast.net) or you may mail your information with your payment to the attention of Leigh Wilson at 1047 Longwood Place, Pearl, MS 39208. The deadline to submit program ads is Thursday, September 27, 2018.

Thank you for continuing to be a part of a tradition of "Excellence" by supporting both the students and staff of the Pearl "Pirate" Band.

If you have any questions, please contact Leigh Wilson at 601-259-2487.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT BOTH THE AD AND CHECK MUST BE RECEIVED BY WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2018. ADS WILL NOT BE INCLUDED IF PAYMENT IS NOT RECEIVED PRIOR TO PRINTING.**

## PEARL "PIRATE" BAND – 4 YEAR SPONSORS:

- BLUE \$2,500.00 – Full page advertisement in program and name on truck.
- GOLD \$1,500.00 – Half page advertisement in program and name on truck.

### ANNUAL SUPPORTER:

Program Ad Prices: (Circle one if opting out of above sponsorships)

Business Card	\$ 35.00
¼ page	\$ 50.00
½ page	\$ 85.00
Full page	\$120.00
Inside Cover (Front or Back)	\$250.00
Outside back cover	\$300.00

I would like to sponsor this year: (Circle one – your name & logo will appear with a picture of that section).

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|----------------|------------------|
| 1. Percussion  | 7. Clarinets     |
| 2. Trumpet     | 8. Saxophones    |
| 3. Tubas       | 9. Trombones     |
| 4. Drum Majors | 10. French Horns |
| 5. Baritones   | 11. Flutes       |
| 6. Colorguard  |                  |

You may purchase as many advertisements for your students and sections as you wish. The deadline for submitting advertisements is **WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2018**. Please complete a separate form for each advertisement that you purchase. Make checks payable to the Pearl Band Auxiliary. Please email your advertisement to: [wilson0427@comcast.net](mailto:wilson0427@comcast.net).

BUSINESS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

WORDING & LOGO FOR ADVERTISEMENT: \_\_\_\_\_

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Ad Sold By: \_\_\_\_\_

Band Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_



## Pearl High School Band Important Dates and Events 2018-2019

**Highlighted are major events are hosted at Pearl High School**

**July 16-20 AND July 23-27 – Band Camp @ PHS 7:30 AM – 5:30 PM**

**Saturday, August 25 – Mississippi Lions All State Band Colorguard Clinic 2-6 PM @ Pearl High School (Gym, Commons, Band Halls)**

**Saturday, October 13 – MHSAA State Marching Evaluation – Hosted at Pearl High School**

**Saturday-Sunday, October 20-21 – Choctawhatchee Contest @ Ft. Walton Beach, FL**

**Saturday, October 27 – MHSAA 2A/5A State Marching Championships @ PHS (Hosting Only)**

**Saturday, November 3 – MHSAA 6A State Marching Championships @ Germantown**

**Saturday, November 17 – Mississippi Lions All State Band Auditions 1<sup>st</sup> Round – Hosted @ Pearl High School 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM**

**Saturday, November 24 – Mississippi Lions All State Band Auditions 2<sup>nd</sup> Round – Hosted @ Pearl High School. 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM**

**Pearl Christmas Parade – December, TBA**

**December 5-8 – MBA State Band Clinic, Natchez, MS – Directors and Selected Students**

**December 18-22 – Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic, Chicago, IL – Selected Directors Only**

**Sunday, February 23 – United States Navy Band Concert – PAC and Band Halls (HOSTING)**

**Monday-Friday, March 25-29, 2018 MHSAA State Concert Band Evaluation @ PHS**

# Pearl High School Band

## Spiritwear

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please fill out the following information and return to a Pearl Band Director.**

**ALL ORDERS MUST BE RETURNED BY AUGUST 31<sup>st</sup>.**

**BAND STUDENTS AND PARENTS CAN ORDER/PAY ONLINE THROUGH THE CHARMS STORE**

**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE PEARL BAND**

**SIZES: ADULT SMALL – 3XL (3XL MEN STYLES ONLY)**

	<b>Size</b>	<b>Quantity</b>	<b>Cost/Each</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>
<b>2018 UNINVITED SHOW T-SHIRT</b>			<b>\$22.00</b>	
<b>MEN'S NIKE WHITE POLO SHIRT</b>			<b>\$49.00</b>	
<b>LADIES NIKE WHITE POLO SHIRT</b>			<b>\$49.00</b>	
<b>MEN'S NIKE NAVY POLO SHIRT</b>			<b>\$67.00</b>	
<b>LADIES NIKE NAVY POLO SHIRT</b>			<b>\$67.00</b>	
<b>LIGHTWEIGHT ¼ ZIP PULLOVER</b>			<b>\$43.00</b>	
<b>SILKSCREEN TANK TOP</b>			<b>\$18.00</b>	
<b>Add \$2.00 for EACH XXL / 2XL</b>			<b>\$2.00</b>	
<b>Add \$3.00 for EACH XXXL / 3XL</b>			<b>\$3.00</b>	
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>				

**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE PEARL BAND**

# PEARL HIGH SCHOOL BAND SPIRITWEAR 2018

 A white short-sleeved polo shirt with a gold anchor logo on the left chest and a small Nike swoosh on the right sleeve.	 A white short-sleeved polo shirt with a gold anchor logo on the left chest.
<p>MENS NIKE WHITE POLO</p>	<p>LADIES NIKE WHITE POLO</p>
 A navy blue short-sleeved polo shirt with a gold anchor logo on the left chest and a small Nike swoosh on the right chest.	 A navy blue short-sleeved polo shirt with a gold anchor logo on the left chest and a small Nike swoosh on the right chest.
<p>MENS NIKE NAVY POLO</p>	<p>LADIES NIKE NAVY POLO</p>
 A blue tank top with the text "PEARL PIRATE BAND" printed in white across the chest.	 A navy heather quarter-zip pullover with a gold anchor logo on the left chest and navy blue panels on the sleeves.
<p>UNISEX FLO-BLUE TANK TOP</p>	<p>NAVY HEATHER QUARTER-ZIP LIGHTWEIGHT PULLOVER</p>



PEARL HIGH SCHOOL BAND SHOW TEE 2018