

## **Benzie County Central Schools**

Monday, August 5, 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians/Students,

With the summer coming to an end, I wanted to take a moment to remind you of some important upcoming high school band dates and events.

On August 20th through the 22nd we will be having our marching band "mini" camp that will take place from 1pm - 3pm at the school. Students, please make every effort to attend the very short, but important, camp prior to the start of school, as we will be reviewing marching basics, as well as rehearsing our music for our halftime show. Be sure to bring: your instrument, shoes appropriate for marching, and water.

We will also be having our first Benzie Central Band Booster meeting of the school year on August 22<sup>nd</sup> at noon in the band room. I encourage any parent to attend this meeting, as this organization is a great way to support our young musicians. Please join us to find out how you can help. We look forward to seeing you there!

Finally, I want to make all high school students and parents aware that our band will be participating in the Coho Festival Parade on Saturday, September 7<sup>th</sup>. Students are asked to arrive at 10:30am for line-up, and the parade will begin at 11am in Honor. This parade will be a REQUIRED performance for all high school band students, so please make plans to attend.

Thank you for your continued support, as we get ready for another great year at Benzie Central!

Musically,

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