



MINI BAND CAMP 2022

Dates: May 19-21, 2022

Place: Reagan High School Band Hall

Camp Fee: ***\$75.00 for brass, woodwind, and percussion students. \$50 for Color Guard.***

This fee covers expenses related to Mini Band Camp and Summer Band Camp to include instruction, music flip folder* (9th grade only), set book/shoestring*, camp t-shirt, show shirt*, and pre-concert meal.

**Denotes July/August delivery*

Registration: Register [HERE](#) or on the Reagan Band website at www.reaganband.com. Please fill out the form/pay OR print and put both form and payment into the BPA Box with cash or check made payable to **RRHS BPA**. Middle school students may return payment to their director.
Registration/payment due by Friday, May 13.

What to Bring/Wear:

- Instrument (personal or school owned).
- LARGE (1-gallon) refillable water jug labeled with student's name.
MANDATORY FOR ALL MARCHING BAND MEMBERS! This will serve as your water jug for the season. You are expected to bring this to all events (camp, rehearsals, games, competitions).
- Wear comfortable tennis shoes, shorts, a t-shirt, hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen.
- Color Guard will follow additional/specific instructions on what to bring/wear.
(Detailed information will come separately from the Reagan Guard Section Parent)

School Owned Instrument Rental Fee:

- ***\$30.00 Instrument Rental Fee*** – please make checks payable to **RONALD REAGAN HIGH SCHOOL or RRHS**.
- Rental instruments include: Bass Clarinet, Bassoon, Euphonium, French Horn, Oboe, Baritone/Tenor Saxophone, Tuba, and Percussion.
- For all brass and woodwind players using school owned instruments - each student pays *one \$30 fee* regardless of the number of instruments used, *not per instrument*.
- Please note - instrument maintenance fees *must* be paid *prior* to receiving an instrument and taking it home for the summer.
- PLEASE USE SEPARATE CHECKS FOR EACH STUDENT AND NOTATE IN MEMO!

Flip Folders & Lyres:

- All brass and woodwind students will be required to have a flip folder and a lyre (the device that holds the flip folder on the instrument) for their stand music by the July Band Camp.
- Students need to purchase their lyre directly from a music store *prior to* Summer Band Camp if you do not already have one.
- Also, different lyres are made for different types of instruments. Please take your instrument when you purchase the lyre to make sure it works with your instrument. If you do not have your instrument yet, you may wait to purchase the lyre.

Percussion Students Only:

- **\$150.00 Equipment Fee** - payable to **RRHS BPA**, due at Mini Band Camp.
- This fee covers all the instruments, equipment, mallets, etc. that percussionists need during their time in the Reagan Band.

Important Information:

- Attendance is required for all Marching Band members – Brass, Winds, Percussion, and Color Guard.
- All members should plan to arrive once school lets out on Thursday, May 19, to get checked in.
- Students needing to pick up/check out school instruments will need to complete the instrument rental form (included in this packet) for that fee, payable to **RONALD REAGAN HIGH SCHOOL or RRHS.**
- New Reagan Band Parents - there will be a meeting for ALL FRESHMAN AND NEW TO REAGAN BAND PARENTS on Saturday, May 21, 9:30am-10:30am, in the cafeteria. This will be a small group information session designed to support you and your student's transition into the Reagan Band program. Please feel free to come if a refresher is needed, as well!
- New Color Guard Parents – there will be a break-off session following the above-mentioned meeting. Please allow for additional time.
- Smokey Mo's BBQ pre-concert dinner meal for Marching Band members will be provided. Order on-line with the Mini Band Camp registration.
- Roll call for all marching band members on Saturday evening is 6:00pm. All students should wear their NEW MINI-BAND CAMP T-SHIRT tucked in, jeans, black belt, and tennis shoes. They will need to bring these items with them on Saturday to change into during the dinner break.
- Mini Band Camp Concert – Saturday, May 21, at 7:00pm in the Reagan auditorium. The students will be performing what was learned during the camp. The 2022 Marching Band show title and concept will also be announced. Please come and enjoy!

Mini Band Camp Schedule

Please make sure you eat a nutritious breakfast and lunch each day, along with drinking plenty of water. We will be outside and it's important that you are staying healthy during our marching rehearsals. You should begin hydrating now! Have that 1-gallon water jug ready!!

Thursday, May 19

4:30pm Students arrive for check-in.
Check out school instrument, if applicable.

4:30pm-7:30pm Band Camp

Friday, May 20

4:30pm-7:30pm Band Camp

Saturday, May 21

8:00am-8:30am Leadership Team Meeting

9:00am-12:00pm Band Camp – bring/wear sunscreen! We will be outside!!

9:30am Parent meeting for all new incoming band students, Reagan cafeteria.

12:00pm-1:00pm Lunch break – please bring meal from home.
Eat with your section and have section bonding time!

1:00pm-5:00pm Band Camp

5:00pm-6:00pm Dinner break – Smokey Mo's meals delivered.

6:00pm Roll call in the Band Hall for all band students and Color Guard
Wearing the NEW MINI-BAND CAMP T-SHIRT (tucked in), jeans, black belt, and tennis shoes.

7:00pm Mini Band Camp Community Performance & Show Reveal!

Instrument Rental & Percussion Fees

Please print and return this form with payment on Thursday, May 19, if you are/will be renting a school owned instrument or you are a percussion student.

Name _____ Grade _____

Instrument _____

Parent contact/mobile phone _____

Payment Information

Please note—if your student is a percussionist, two separate checks will be provided.

Instrument Rental Fee (school owned instruments AND percussion students ONLY)

\$30.00

Make check payable to **Ronald Reagan High School or RRHS**

Check # _____ Cash _____

Percussion Fee (percussion students ONLY)

\$150.00

Make check payable to **RRHS BPA**

Check # _____ Cash _____

If you have any questions, please email Greg White, Director of Bands, at: gwhite@neisd.net

Ronald Reagan High School Band

Student Program Fee/Marching Band Competition Fee 2022-2023

The Student Program Fee (SPF) and Marching Band Competition Fee (MBCF) were implemented to spread the expenses of the Reagan Band Program equitably among all band students and to ensure that every child has all the resources needed to be successful in the Reagan Band program. **The Student Program Fee applies to ALL students in the Reagan Band program. The Marching Band Competition Fee applies to ALL students in the Reagan Marching Band** (the only students allowed to do Concert Band only must have a direct conflict/extenuating circumstance that precludes them from participating in Marching Band).

The Student Program Fee **MUST** be paid by check, made out to **Ronald Reagan High School or RRHS**. The Marching Band Competition Fee can be paid online (in Charms) or by check made out to **RRHS BPA**. Fundraising earnings can be used for each of these fees, as well – please email transfer requests to PresidentReaganBPA@gmail.com once the rollover with Charms has been completed. If needed, special payment arrangements can be made with Mr. White.

The mandatory SPF is \$500 per band student and the mandatory Marching Band Competition Fee for Marching Band members is \$300.

These fees can be paid in full or in the following increments for budgeting purposes:

\$250 (SPF) - due on or before July 31, 2022—make check payable to RRHS

\$150 (MBCF) - due on or before August 28, 2022—make check payable to RRHS BPA

\$150 (MBCF) - due on or before October 2, 2022—make check payable to RRHS BPA

\$250 (SPF) - due on or before October 30, 2022—make check payable to RRHS

Please include your student's name and what the money is for on each payment!

On the Horizon – Mark it Down!

Color Guard Camp - Monday-Friday, July 11-15 and Monday-Friday, July 18-22

Percussion Camp – Monday-Friday, July 11-15

Uniform Fittings – Wednesday/Thursday, July 20 & 21

Picture Day – Friday, July 22 (FULL MARCHING BAND/COLOR GUARD)

Summer Band Camp Begins – Monday, July 25 (through Tuesday, August 9)

First Day of School – Wednesday, August 10

Please check the Reagan Band Calendar to stay up to date on all happenings!

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