

Teays Valley High School Marching Band

2026 Schedule 5

Week 4 Wrap-Up

WE ARE SOOOOOO PROUD!!!!!! What a weekend!! The pressure was on and the Golden Sound kids and volunteers handled themselves beautifully!! THANK YOU TO EVERYONE who volunteered this weekend! You set the band up for success so they could relax and perform at their best! We are so grateful!!

WE HAVE QUALIFIED TO PERFORM AT OMEA STATE MARCHING BAND FINALS!! We have requested a performance on October 31 at Hilliard Bradley. It will be a while before we know our performance time but we will keep you posted. We have many Golden Sound traditions. One of these traditions is the State Finals Qualifier Hoodies. We would like to thank the sponsors of our hoodies this year. They include: Hills Agratech, Megan Carpenter-Master Hair Stylist, Salon Lofts, Pinnacle Pets Play and Stay, Commercial Point Men's Club, Tom Whiteside Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep and Ram, Baseball's Dairy Diamond and Triple Play Pizza, 740 Aesthetics and Wellness, IBEW 683, Racing Line, Ares Sportswear and The Golden Sound Class of 2027.

Kathy Anderson has been taking photos of the 2026 marching band season. THANK YOU KATHY!! You can view the photos of parades, camp, events, football games and contests [HERE](#).

The Golden Sound Showcase: **THERE IS ONLY ONE TROPHY THAT STILL NEEDS TO BE SPONSORED!**

On Saturday, October 10th, we will host the 19th annual Teays Valley Golden Sound Showcase! There are 13 bands registered to perform. It is our largest fund-raiser in the fall! We make money by selling trophy sponsorships and program ads in addition to admissions and concessions. There was a Showcase Fundraising information form in your mandatory parent meeting packet. You can access the forms on the Golden Sound Store: [SHOWCASE Fund Raising Forms](#).

Our Pick A Date Uniform Fundraiser continues! We are off to a great start but we still need your help!! Use the posted QR code to post on your socials for better connections with friends and family! Help us raise money for our Uniform Fund! Pick a date to donate and pledge that amount to the fund! Click below to see the calendar for more information! HOW IT WORKS 1. Pick a date you'd like to sponsor. 2. Pay the amount according to the date(s). Example: The 10th = \$10, the 1st-5th = \$15 You can pick more than one day or your own sponsorship amount. Please follow this link to participate: [Pick A Date Uniform Fundraiser](#).

This week in Band

Monday 9/14	Sectionals for Flutes, Clarinets, Trumpets, Percussion from 3:00pm-4:30pm. Color Guard photos at 3:00pm . Color Guard sectional from 4:00-5:30pm.
Tuesday 9/15	Sectionals for altos, mellophones, all low brass from 3:00pm-4:30pm.
Wednesday 9/16	Band Room open for individual practice until 5:00pm
Thursday 9/17	Music checks for all students on any piece that is needed 2:45pm-3:45pm. See additional info above. <u>Rehearsal is from 4:00pm-7:00pm</u> on the practice field in hats, shoes and gloves. Bring a full water jug and wear appropriate rehearsal clothes including tennis shoes. (No jeans) Band Room Cleaning: Emma, Liam, Hannah P, Lyla
Friday 9/18	Football at Reynoldsburg
Saturday 9/19	Contest at Pickerington North

Please remember that ALL rehearsals and performances are graded events that are part of the class. Thursday night rehearsal absences may result in the student being unable to perform on Friday/Saturday because there isn't time to make up the hours that are missed.

Football at Reynoldsburg on Friday, September 18, 2026

3:15pm	Rehearsal MAKE SURE THAT YOU HAVE WATER!
4:15pm	Dinner: Meatball Subs, Pasta Salad, Fruit, Cookie Bars
4:45pm	Change clothes - Dress: Full Dress uniform. Uniform Expectations: Thin shorts underneath band pants, uniform shirt, socks must be long, plain black-no logos and clean band shoes. HAIR: Cannot touch your collar, eyes or ears, guys clean shaven, no rings, no visible necklaces, no jewelry, no earrings, no bracelets, no visible piercings (watches are permitted) Nail Polish must be clear or light pink. No Gloves.
5:15pm	Inspection: BAND WATER JUG with ice/water, flip folder
5:30pm	Depart for Reynoldsburg
6:00pm	Arrive at Reynoldsburg
6:30pm	Stadium Entrance
6:45pm	Pre-Game Begins
7:00pm	Game Begins
9:30-9:45pm	Game Ends-approx.
10:15pm	(Approx.) Return to the Band Room, store equipment. Band Room Clean-Up: Clarinets: Gracelyn, Kris, Lucas, Luke
10:45pm	(Approx.) Dismissed (This is always an approximate time that depends on length of the game)

Music Checks

The music check grade contributes to the overall band grade. Students will be assessed on a variety of musical elements (tone, intonation, notes, rhythms, articulations, musicianship, etc.) Music checks scores for Part 1-3 are final, but third quarter can be earned back on Thursdays before rehearsal starts.

Contest at Pickerington North on Saturday, September 19, 2026

TBA	Color Guard reporting time
9:00am	Percussion Reporting time for Sectionals.
11:00pm	Percussion Lunch (please bring a sack lunch or make arrangements) Color Guard Lunch TBA
Noon	Hornline Reporting time. Dress in half dress uniform including black socks and band shoes. Color Guard in unitards with black shorts and summer uniform shirt for rehearsal and travel.
12:30pm	Hornline rehearsal begins. Please eat lunch before you arrive.
12:45pm	Full Band Rehearsal begins in half dress. Sunglasses okay. Hats are not.
2:00pm	Rehearsal Ends. Gather belongings for inspection.
2:30pm	Inspection. Expectations are the same as above for inspection. band Water Jugs okay but water will be available for the official warm-up at contest. ATTENTION: You may not change clothes following inspection with the exception of the guard putting their costumes on. Guard: You may not change shoes.
2:45pm	Load
3:00pm	Depart for Pickerington North
4:00pm	Arrive at Contest. RR, Eat Sack Dinner, Dress
5:10pm	Student Leader Meeting
5:20pm	Meet Guide
5:25pm	Begin Official Warm-Up
5:45pm	Hornline and Drumline start each tune. Color Guard gathers equipment for the field.
5:55pm	Official Warm Up ends.
6:05pm	At Gate
6:15pm	<u>illuminate</u>
6:30pm	Show ends, back to buses and trailers.
7:00pm	Load instruments. Store Hats and gloves. Remove uniform coats and put hoodies on over band pants. Color Guard hoodies over band shirts and jeans.
7:15pm	Back to the stadium to see Thomas Worthington, Pickerington North and Pickerington Central
8:00pm	Awards
8:39pm	Critique Begins
9:15pm	Depart Pickerington North
10:15pm - 10:30pm	Arrive. Unload trailers, store instruments and check in uniforms. Band Room Clean Up: Hannah S, Kiernan, Noah, Evie

The September 19 Band Contest-Pickerington North. The show starts at 5:00pm. Our performance time is 6:15pm with Awards at 8:00pm and Critique at 8:30pm. Don't forget that parents/legal guardians can sign-out band members at the bus after awards if needed.

Tickets are only being sold online and can be purchased [HERE](#). **Pricing:** \$10- Adult General Admission. \$15 Adult Ticket/Program Combo. \$8- US Military Veterans/Senior Citizens/Children 12 & Under. Spectator Parking Information can be found [HERE](#)

2026 Marching Band Season Volunteer Form

It's not too late to add yourself to the 2026 Season Adult Volunteer Form! We need all kinds of help to make sure that The Golden Sound Shines!! We are looking for Chaperones, Dinner Parents, Pit Crew, Trailer Pullers and Cookie Parents! You can be a part of their success!! You can access the volunteer form [HERE](#).

After School Rehearsal Make-Up Time Procedure

On occasion, students miss rehearsal after school. Again, any time an after school rehearsal is missed, the time missed must be made up. Make-up time activities are based on what the member missed at rehearsal and will include music or spinning and marching. The procedure for making up time is as follows: After a rehearsal is missed, the student must approach members of the leadership team in their section to ask to schedule make-up time for the student. (The time can be split up if needed.) Student leaders should rotate the make-up time duties. At the start of the make-up time, the student leader must check in with a staff member to let them know that time is being made up. At the end of the make-up time, the student leader will check out with the staff member. The staff member will log the make up time until the time is complete.

Teays Valley Bands Google Calendar

If you haven't yet, please subscribe to the Band Google Calendar [HERE](#). When you subscribe, band events are automatically added to your devices. On performance days, the schedule for the day will appear in the NOTES section of the event.

Student Pick-Up at Away Games and Contests

Parents/Legal Guardians may sign their student out at the end of the evening activities at the bus. Students are not permitted to be released to anyone other than their parent/legal guardian. Please keep in mind that your student will need to arrange for someone to put their instrument, uniform and hat away properly. (Uniforms don't go home.)

Schedule for Next Week:

Monday 9/21	NO SCHOOL, NO REHEARSALS
Tuesday 9/22	FULL BAND from 3-5pm
Wednesday 9/23	Band Room open for individual practice until 5:00pm
Thursday 9/24	Music checks for all students on any piece that is needed 2:45pm-3:45pm. See additional info above. <u>Rehearsal is from 5:00pm-8:00pm in the stadium.</u> Bring a full water jug and wear appropriate rehearsal clothes including tennis shoes. (No jeans)
Friday 9/25	Football vs. Groveport Madison in Viking Stadium

Important Upcoming Date School is also canceled for **September 21**, so we will have full band on 9/22 from 3-5pm. The stadium is available on 9/24 so we will rehearse in the stadium from 5-8pm. Please mark your calendars. The September Booster meeting has been moved to 9/28 because there is no school on the regular meeting date.