

## Wakefield Band Program

1325 S. Dinwiddie St.

Arlington, VA 22206

August 1, 2018

Re: Marching Warriors Fee

Dear Band Parent,

Welcome to the Wakefield Band! Students who participate in the Wakefield Marching Band not only participate regionally in various competitions, begin their high school years with friends in an activity that the whole school celebrates at each and every home football game, but they also earn class credit while having a great time at working hard! Beginning with Band Camp, August 13-24, through November, the band perfects their marching band show with special coaches, performances during halftime at home football games, and outside showcases and competitions.

All of these activities cost money – money to cover uniform cleaning and maintenance, transportation, and competition fees. We ask the parents to pay some baseline portion of these costs to assist the much greater costs of the music program in general – instruments and staff to name the largest budget items provided by APS.

2018 Wakefield Marching Band Fees	Mail-In	Paypal*	Reduced Lunch	Paypal*	Free Lunch	Paypal*
Incoming Rookies (All freshmen and first year marchers)	\$ 210	216.30	105	108.12	52	54.59
Upperclassmen who need new shoes	\$ 210	216.30	105	108.15	53	54.59
Upperclassmen with shoes	\$175	180.25	87.50	91	43.75	45.06
Color Guard	\$ 210	216.30	105.00	108.15	53	54.59

<sup>\*</sup>Online Payments are available through www.wakefieldband.org/pay-fees/

Please make your check payable to "Wakefield High School" and on the check, put MB 2018 and your child's name. Payments are due to Mr. Jessup by August 24<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to pay online use this link to our website: <a href="https://www.WakefieldBand.org/pay-fees/">www.WakefieldBand.org/pay-fees/</a>

If you would like to track your payments made, please log onto your student's account on CHARMS. If you have questions regarding payments, please contact Rebecca Carr at <a href="mailto:carrrebecca@yahoo.com">carrrebecca@yahoo.com</a>.

Thank you for your support and we look forward to working with you in supporting our band students in the 2018 marching band season!

Sincerely,

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