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7/16/12

1. Welcome to the new 2012 Troy Marching Band Season. We are looking forward to a great season and year!
2. Remember to bring the following to rehearsal this week:
 - a. Water (Gatorade is even better)
 - b. Tie-up low tennis shoes/socks
 - c. 3 ring binder with approximately 75 protective sheets (Don't forget to put your name on the outside of the binder)
 - d. Hat
 - e. Sunblock and Off
3. Periodically, we ask for donations of a variety of items to be used. This week we are asking for the following donations: Band Aids (all sizes), Sunscreen, Bug Spray, Aloe, Gold Bond Powder or Lotion and Insect/Bee sting medication.
4. You should wear your nametag the next three weeks. We WANT to know you and can't do that without your nametag.
5. All forms are now due. If you aren't sure whether you have turned in all of your forms, please check on the forms icon on your charms account.
6. For future planning, band pictures will be on Wednesday, Aug. 8 in the morning. You will be expected to report at 7 a.m. We will be wearing "Reds". You will need to bring your white gloves and black marching shoes. We will be taking individual pictures as well as section, class and full ensemble pictures and should be finished at approx. 10 a.m. An order form will be sent home closer to the picture date.

BAND CAMP INFO....

7. We will be meeting at 10 a.m. this Sunday to leave for band camp (Seniors should report at 9 a.m.). Remember to bring a lunch that doesn't have to be refrigerated and can be thrown away when you are finished.

8. We will also need some strong parents to help us load the semi on Sunday morning. Please e-mail Mrs. McIntosh at mcintosh-k@troy.k12.oh.us or call 332-6061 if you can help.
9. You may bring an ipod to camp. HOWEVER, we are not responsible for it if something happens. NO LAPTOPS, XBOXES, ETC. ! Otherwise, we will have to have a drop test of all luggage☺ (JK....sort of ☺)
10. Don't forget we have a one-item luggage limit (not counting sleeping bags, pillows or instruments). Please make sure that your luggage has your name on it. In addition, if you are placing your sleeping bag/pillow on the truck, please have it in a sturdy bag/cover. It will definitely get dirty on the semi.
11. We will be collecting all prescription medications on Sunday morning. Any non-prescription meds will also be collected and held for your student. We will be supplying some over the counter medicines (please see separate list on the Prescription Form)