

COMEAX SPARTAN BAND

OFFICER 2017-18

Listed below are the officer positions for the Comeaux Spartan Band for the 2017-18 school year. Along with the position is a brief description of the duties of each office & how the position is attained.

BAND PRESIDENT **Member of Band Council** **Elected by Band** **Must be a Senior in Band**

- ❖ Lead the band by example. Be the model Spartan Bandsmen.
- ❖ Oversee all officers and their duties.
- ❖ Prepare an article for the monthly band newsletter, the Crescendo.
- ❖ Will assist in the organization and preparation of band senior shirts.
- ❖ Will be the last to leave the band room after all events.
- ❖ Will organized, with the Booster President the slide show for the annual Band Awards Banquet.
- ❖ Will prepare a brief speech for the annual Band Awards Banquet.
- ❖ Will assist in teaching basics at Fundamentals & Pre-Camps.

BAND VICE-PRESIDENT **Member of Band Council** **Elected by Band** **Must be a Senior/Junior in Band**

- ❖ Will fill-in for the Band President as needed.
- ❖ Oversee all officers and their duties.
- ❖ Will assist in the organization and preparation of band senior shirts.
- ❖ Will assist in teaching basics at Fundamentals & Pre-Camps.

DRUM MAJORS **Selected by Audition** **Sophomore auditions only. Once selected the drum major will move to the next level (junior/senior) over the next two years.**

- ❖ Lead the band at all marching band performances, including: directing the band in the stands at football games, directing the band at parades, at marching rehearsals by starting and stopping the band.
- ❖ Will assist in teaching basics at Fundamentals & Pre-Camps.
- ❖ Will record attendance at each marching band function.
- ❖ Will hear section leaders play off their music.

LIBRARIANS (3) **Selected by Directors**

- ❖ Will organization all music folders, Marching Band, Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band, Concert Band and Small Ensembles.
- ❖ Will collect all music at the end of use, including erasing markings as needed.
- ❖ Will file all music, including keeping filing boxes in good condition.

SECTION LEADERS Selected by Directors

FLUTE	SAXOPHONE	LOW BRASS	GUARD CAPTAINS
CLARINET	TRUMPET/ HORN	DRUM CAPTAIN	DANCE CAPTAINS

- ❖ Will assist in teaching marching fundamentals during Fundamental & Pre-Camps.
- ❖ Will hear members of their section play-off their music. (Section Leaders will play--off their music for the Drum Majors)
- ❖ Will hold musical sectionals as needed (usually twice monthly)
- ❖ Will help keep order on the field during rehearsal.

GENERAL INFORMATION

If you are interested in running for office you must return the application completed by Friday, April 28th.

- ❖ The summer officer workshops will be held on Friday, June 2nd and Tuesday, July 18th. If you are unable to attend one or both of these workshops you should see Mr. Smith before submitting an application.
- ❖ As an officer in the Comeaux Band you will be expected to fulfill all of your required duties. In addition you must be the model Spartan Bandsman. This would include leading by example. Failure to do so will result in you being removed from your officer position.
- ❖ Punctuality is a concern for every band program. Having everyone on time for rehearsals and performances allows for success to be possible. As an officer you should never be on time, you should be early.
- ❖ All members of the officer corps should help in keeping the band facilities in good condition. This would include but is not limited to: monitoring the condition of all rooms, keeping the band room set for rehearsal (setting up and tearing down the set when needed), monitoring the condition of the instrument slots. This should take place on a daily basis and after performances.
- ❖ Raising funds is a necessary endeavor for the band program. As an officer you are expected to do your part in all fund raising events. Your encouragement of other students to participate to the fullest is also expected. Failure to participate could result in you being removed from your officer position.

If you do not feel that you can fulfill these duties you should reconsider whether you should run for office.