



The Marching E-agle

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Friday Night Football

What A Blast !

The East Meck Marching Eagles and Color guard are off to a great start. Last Friday's match up against Vance provided a great venue for "us to show our stuff" as one student reports. The music was superb, weather great and it is always good when the home team wins. Come out to enjoy another fun family night this **Friday night, Sept. 4th**, when East takes on Mallard Creek at Dick Williams Stadium. Game starts at 7pm.

Matthews Alive: Saturday, September 5th

Parade

Students are to report to the pre-parade gathering area @ Area 51: Salon & Barber Shop, 616 Matthews Mint Hill Rd. Marching uniform is: blue shorts and white polo.

Matthews Alive Game Booth

Students and parents please double check sign up times. Report to East Meck Band game booth as assigned. Shifts run from Friday Sept.4th to Monday, Sept. 7th. Contact Julie Torrence, torrencejulie@hotmail.com, 704 844 8631.

What's Up With Fundraising

Here's the latest-

Some of the most recent fundraising projects are:

- Citipass books – The sale continues!!!! As a reminder - please return money raised in envelope marked "Citipass" with the dollar amount recorded and the student's name. Student names should be included on the memo line on the checks. Books must be returned or paid for. Phyllis Cunningham will be at school each Tuesday and Thursday after practice to take return or issue new books as needed. She is reachable @ pahcunningham@yahoo.com, or 704 844 8631.
- Harris Teeter VIC sign-ups for Saturdays during September. Shift schedules are still available. Contact Hema Vijay, hemavijay@hotmail.com, 704 708 6500.
- Car Wash – coming soon, date TBA. See web site for info. Gratefully accepting volunteers.

Important Dates to remember

September

Mondays - Color Guard practice
 Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays - full practice
 September 4th Football Game/Mallard Creek
 September 5th Matthews Alive Parade, Game Booth
 September 6/7th Matthews Alive Game Booth
 September 8th Band booster Mtg. 7pm Band room
 September 5th Matthews Alive Parade
 September 25th Football Game/Independence

October

October 3rd Competition @ Butler
 October 9th Football Game/Butler Homecoming
 October 10th Competition @ East Rowan
 October 17th Competition - TBA
 October 24th Competition @ Hickory Ridge
 October 30th Football Game Senior Night

November -

Please check web site

Parent Reminder

This year's band fee of \$325.00 can be paid directly or through your fundraising efforts. If you foresee a problem with payment, call Karen Branan, kbranan@carolina.rr.com, 704 364 0878 to arrange payment.

Go to <http://emband.com> to link Harris Teeter Vic number 5801

Parent's To Do List:

- **Return volunteer sheet**
- **Join Band booster club (\$5/member, \$10/family)**
- **Send in donation of snacks and drinks with student for delivery to band room. Mark "For October competition."**

To Submit Marching E-agle news, please contact: kellkram@aol.com

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