

LOWNDES HIGH WINTER GUARD AUDITIONS 2022-2023

All participants will be required to REGISTER for auditions before or on the first day of the clinic. Please visit the registration table and pay your \$20 audition fee before participating in the clinic. All participants will perform a group routine taught during the tryout clinic. Please review the score sheet provided and know the requirements to audition.

WE WILL HAVE TWO TEAMS. Varsity and JV Winter Guard members will be selected from high school students and 8th graders who are currently in band and/or chorus at LHS, PGM, HMS and LMS.

Students who have outstanding band fees that are owed to the LHS Band Boosters will not be allowed to audition. All debts must be paid and verified by the booster club before a student will be permitted to audition. If you have any questions regarding your account please contact Kevin Hiers, the Booster Club Treasurer.

Auditions are not open to the public. Parents, family members and friends are to remain outside the building.

Judges reserve the right to request any candidate to perform a second time. All scores will be tabulated by an outside party and are final. Results of the audition will be announced at the conclusion of the audition.

The attire for the auditions will be plain white t-shirt, black yoga pants/jazz pants or black shorts, and dance/tennis shoes. Performance style hair and makeup should be worn. Stud earrings are permitted. Please do not wear any other jewelry during the auditions.

WINTER GUARD CLINIC SCHEDULE

November 14th and 15th - 4:00-7:00pm

WINTER GUARD AUDITION

November 16th - 4:00-Until

MANDATORY 2021 MEMBER AND PARENT MEETING FOR TEAM MEMBERS

Monday, November 28th in LHS Band Room

6:00pm for Varsity and Junior Varsity

You will be measured and sized for all clothing/uniforms at this meeting. There will be no make-up times provided. Your first Winter Guard payment is due to the LHS BAND BOOSTERS at this meeting.

WINTER GUARD REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

Varsity Winter Guard will rehearse on Tuesday and Thursday 3:30-7:00

JV Winter Guard will rehearse on Mondays 3:30-7:00 and Wednesday
3:30-5:30

Varsity and JV Camps are usually all day.

I have cut down weekend practices all together. It is imperative you are in class to get things done.

Winter Guard Audition Score Sheet

Knowledge of Routine _____/10 points

Timing/Phasing _____/10 points

Execution of Proper Technique _____/10 points

Performance/Confidence _____/10 points

Appearance _____/5 points

Attitude during clinic _____/5 points

Choreography SubTotal _____/50 points

Band Director/Coach/Chorus Teacher Score:

Past Performance _____/50 points

TOTAL: _____/100 points

Approximate 2022-23 VARSITY and JV Expenses

Winter Guard Dues	\$500
FFCC Championship Hotel	\$125
WGI Regional Tampa, FL - Varsity only	\$100 (Hotel and Registration)
Costume	\$150
Tights (if needed)	\$20/pair
Wind Suit (new member)	\$100
Backpack (new member)	\$50
Flag Bag (new member)	\$25

Winter Guard Expenses are broken into 6 payments.

TENTATIVE WINTER GUARD SCHEDULE

December 6 - Varsity and JV Technique - 4:00-6:00

December 8 - Varsity and JV Technique - 4:00-6:00

December 13 - Varsity and JV Technique - 4:00-6:00

December 15 - Varsity and JV Technique - 4:00-6:00

December 20 - Staging Camp - **JV Only (2:00-7:00)** - Location TBA

December 21 - Staging Camp - **Varsity Only (9:00-9:00)** - Location TBA

January 4th - Staging Camp - **Varsity Only (9:00-9:00)** - Westside Elementary

January 5th - Staging Camp - **JV Only (9:00-9:00)** - Westside Elementary

January 16th - Varsity Camp - **Varsity Only (9:00-6:00)** - Westside Elementary

January 28th - FFCC Premiere - **JV and Varsity** - Cypress Creek High School, Orlando, FL

February 18th - FFCC Show - **JV and Varsity** - Palm Coast High School - Palm Coast, FL

February 24th-26th - WGI Regional - **Varsity Only** - Tampa, FL

March 11th - FFCC Show - **JV and Varsity** - Fleming Island High School - Fleming Island, FL

March 18th - Virtual Show - **JV Only**

March 24th-26th - FFCC Championships - **JV and Varsity** - Daytona Beach, FL