



WESTERN SCHOOL DISTRICT BANDS

2026-27 Calendar of Events



*Booster meetings subject to change

Date	Event	Location	Time
July 13	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
July 27-31	Band Camp (High School)	Western High School	9:00AM-9:00PM
August 10	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
September 2	Instrument Rental Night (6th Grade/Beginners)	WCAC/Band Room	6:00PM
September 11	Home Football Game	Western High School	7:00PM (kickoff)
September 14	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
September 30	Jackson Co. Marching Band Invitational	Vandercook Lake HS	5:30PM
October 2	Homecoming Football Game (Picture Night)	Western High School	7:00PM (kickoff)
October 3	Parma Day Parade	Parma, MI	TBD
October 8	MS Fall Band Concert	WCAC	6:00PM
October 9	Home Football Game (8th grade joins)	Western High School	7:00PM (kickoff)
~~October 10~~	~~Vicksburg Marching Invitational~~	~~Vicksburg, MI~~	~~TBD (afternoon)~~
October 12	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
October 13	HS Fall Band Concert	WCAC	7:00PM
October 16	Home Football Game (Senior Night)	Western High School	7:00PM (kickoff)
Oct 21-25	All-State Band Auditions (Optional)	East Lansing, MI	TBA
TBD	Playoff Games	TBD	TBD
November 5	Percussion Concussion (Drumline Only)	Jackson College	7:30PM
November 9	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
November 16	Step Up Instrument Meeting (Optional)	Band Room	6:00PM
December 7	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
December 8	MS Winter Band Concert	WCAC	6:00PM

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December 10	HS Winter Band Concert	WCAC	6:00PM
January 11	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
January 14	Music Department Recital (Optional)	WCAC	7:00PM
January 30	High School District Solo & Ensemble	Tecumseh HS	TBD
February 4	"Chilly" Jazz Dinner	WHS Cafeteria	5:30PM
February 8	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
February 18	Pre-Festival Band Concert	WCAC	MS 6:00PM, HS 7:00PM
March 1	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
March 2	6th Grade Solo and Ensemble	Band/Choir Room	5-7PM
March 3-6	MSBOA District VIII Band & Orchestra Festival	WCAC	TBD
March 9	Music Department Picture Day	WCAC	School Hours
TBD	5th Grade Recruitment	Western Elementary	School Hours
March 20	High School State Solo & Ensemble	TBD	TBD
March 23	Jackson Co. HS Honors Band (Optional)	Jackson High School	7:00PM
April 6	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
April 17	Middle School Solo & Ensemble	Onsted School	TBA
April 23-25	Thornapple Jazz Festival (Jazz Band Only)	Hastings, MI	TBA
May 1-2	MSBOA Middle School Honors Band	Manchester Jr./Sr. High	TBA
TBD	Jackson Jazz Festival (Jazz Band Only)	Cascades Park	TBD
May 5	Beginning Band Meeting	WCAC	6:00PM
May 6	High School Spring Band Concert	WCAC	7:00PM
May 10	Band Booster Meeting	Biggby (Spring Arbor)	7:00PM
May 11	Middle School Band Concert	WCAC	5:30PM
May 27	Graduation	Western High School	7:00PM
May 31	Memorial Day Parade	Spring Arbor	12:00PM