Dear KUMU Drum Major,

I am looking forward to another great year of KUMU. This letter is one of the most important you will receive; you will find a detailed schedule for the 2015 KUMU band camp. I can’t stress to you enough to PLEASE take your time in reading through all of this material so you can truly understand everything expected of you during camp.

First, you need to register for the KUMU Text Alert System. Text "2015KUUNIT" to 84483. This is how we will communicate all season. Also, you will be allowed to move into your permanent KU housing for the academic year on the day you arrive for camp. In order to accomplish this safely and efficiently, you will need to know the following:

1. On Monday, August 10 you will register with KUMU BEFORE moving in to housing. After registration with KUMU, you will move in. Be sure you have all your required band materials (registration form, money, music, etc.). Those of you who will be living OFF CAMPUS during the school year, you MUST contact me (neuensch@kutztown.edu or 217-778-2699) IMMEDIATELY to arrange for housing during camp.
2. You MUST have your student ID with you when you register for housing, camp, and while you are at camp.
3. If you lose your ID, electronic dorm key, or assigned PIN card during camp, there is no one on campus able to assist you until 4:00 p.m. on August 18. You MUST be very responsible with your possessions at all times.
4. Make sure you have your student ID with you at all times during camp.

Housing at band camp is provided in KU housing. If you are living OFF CAMPUS for the school year, you need to contact me IMMEDIATELY to arrange for campus housing during band camp. Please see the attached detailed 2015 band camp schedule. Contact me if you have questions.

Food at camp is provided by KUMU. There is no breakfast served on Saturdays or Sundays during camp, campers will use KU Foodservice. Beginning with breakfast on Wednesday, August 2019, students living in the dorms will have active meal plans through your KU housing and meals program. Off-campus members will receive meals through dinner on August 21. You will need to provide for your own food on Saturday & Sunday mornings.

Health at camp is always important. Traditionally it is quite hot and sunny during camp. Students are responsible for downloading the required & recommended items to bring for camp. This list is available at http://www.kutztown.edu/acad/music/kumu/forms.aspx. You MUST take care of yourself physically & mentally at camp.

Show music is available at ku.trimpe.org (ID = marching, password = unit). Please be sure you download the correct music for your part. If you play clarinet, trumpet, or trombone, please download all parts. You will be assigned a specific part at band camp.

Pregame, traditional, & stand music is important. Pregame music needs to be memorized prior to arrival at camp. Please contact me via e-mail to obtain your pregame, traditional, and stand music. If you have questions, contact me IMMEDIATELY. Pregame music is: Bears Fanfare, Eat ’Em Up, Pennsylvania Song, Let’s Go Bears, Patriotic number, KU Fight Song, & the National Anthem.

Additionally, since there is not a lot of time allowed for your move in to housing at the start of camp, I am telling you now to only bring the essentials and a few more accessories, especially if your home is within a 1 hour drive of campus. If you live farther away, I trust you will make good decisions to enable your full participation at camp.

The season schedule should be referred to frequently. Please keep this schedule in a safe but easy to access spot for frequent reference.

In closing, take the time now to make sure you have everything you need ready to go when move-in day arrives. Also, I remind you to sign up for KUMU Texts by sending 2015KUUNIT to 84483. Texting is the primary mode of communication in KUMU. Check our KUMU Facebook page frequently (you will find announcements posted there). Please make sure you check your official KU e-mail regularly. I look forward to working with you in August to produce some great music and entertainment for our fans.

Sincerely,

June 15, 2015

KUMU Drum Major Camp
August 11 – August 24, 2015

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Monday, August 11 (Drum Majors Only)
11:00 a.m. – Noon Arrive at Neu’s office in Old Main.
Noon – 5:00 p.m. Lunch & working at Neu’s Office to prepare for Leadership Camp.
5:00 p.m. - ??? Dinner (@ Neu’s house) & working with Neu.

Tuesday, August 12 (Drum Majors Only)
All Day is with Neu working on Camp Preparation

Wednesday, August 13
8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m. KUMU Drum Majors, Section Leaders/BEC, & Student Volunteer Helpers Meet in Old Main 31
8:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. All Section Leaders/BEC, Volunteer Helpers, Drumline, & Colorguard people move into KU housing
10:30 a.m. – Noon Leadership Presentation with Drum Majors (All section leaders & BEC in OM 31).
Noon – 1:00 p.m. Lunch in South Dining Hall
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Music rehearsal in OM 31 (show music)
2:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Marching Fundamentals on FF4
4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Dinner at SDH
5:45 p.m. – 7:45 p.m. Marching Fundamentals on FF4
8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Music rehearsal in OM 31 (pre-game & stand music)

Thursday, August 14
7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Breakfast in SDH
8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Marching Fundamentals on FF4
11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch in South Dining Hall
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Music rehearsal in OM 31 (show music)
2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Marching Fundamentals on FF4
4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Dinner at SDH
5:45 p.m. – 7:45 p.m. Marching Fundamentals on FF4
8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Music rehearsal in OM 31 (pre-game & stand music)

Friday, August 15
7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Breakfast in SDH
8:30 a.m. – 10 am Marching Fundamentals on FF4

Friday, August 15 - NEW MEMBERS ONLY - NEW MEMBERS ONLY - NEW MEMBERS ONLY - NEW MEMBERS ONLY
10:30 – Noon KUMU Band Camp Registration & Move-In - New Members Only!
Noon - 1:15 pm Lunch on your own
1:15 – 2:30 p.m. New Member Meeting in Schaeffer 114.
2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. New Member Marching Fundamentals @ Farm Field 4 (FF4)
4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Dinner @ South Dining Hall (SDH)
5:45 p.m. – 7:15 p.m. New Member Marching Fundamentals @ FF4
7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Music Rehearsal in Schaeffer 114
9:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Meeting & Announcements in Schaeffer 114
10:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. Pizza Social in Schaeffer 114

Friday, August 15 - RETURNING MEMBERS ONLY - RETURNING MEMBERS ONLY - RETURNING MEMBERS ONLY
5:45 – 7:15 pm KUMU Band Camp Registration & Move-In - Returning Members Only!
7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Music Rehearsal in Schaeffer 114
9:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Meeting & Announcements in Schaeffer 114
10:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. Pizza Social in Schaeffer 114

** ALL NEW Wind & Brass members will register for camp & check into their campus housing on Friday at 10 AM! This will take place in Schaeffer 114. We will have our first basics of marching rehearsal with the "Newbies" starting at 2:30 on FF4. Returning members will register for camp at 5:45 pm.

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KUMU Band Camp
August 18 – August 20, 2015

Friday, August 14
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Saturday, August 15
7:00 am – 9:15 am – Breakfast on your own
9:30 am – 11:40 am – Marching Fundamentals (Lytle)
11:50 am – 12:50 pm – Lunch in South Dining Hall
1:00 pm – 2:20 pm – Woodwind Rehearsal (Schaeffer 14G)
   Brass Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
   Percussion (Outside/Auditorium Stage)
2:30 pm – 3:15 pm – Sectional Rehearsal (see below)
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm – Marching Fundamentals (LYTLE)
4:30 pm – 5:45 pm – Dinner at SDH
5:45 pm – 8:00 pm – Marching Fundamentals (FF 4)
8:15 pm – 9:15 pm – Full Music Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
10:00 pm - ???? Meeting and Announcements

Sunday, August 16
7:00 am – 11:00 am – Breakfast on your own
11:00 am – 12:30 pm – Brunch in SDH
12:30 am – 1:50 pm – Woodwind Rehearsal (Schaeffer 14G)
   Brass Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
   Percussion (Outside/Auditorium Stage)
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm – Sectional Rehearsal
3:15 pm – 4:30 pm – Marching Fundamentals (LYTLE)
4:30 pm – 5:45 pm – Dinner at SDH
5:45 pm – 8:00 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
8:15 pm – 9:15 pm – Full Music Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
9:45 pm - ???? Meeting and Announcements

Monday, August 17
7:00 am – 9:00 am – Breakfast at SDH
9:00 am – 11:40 am – Fundamentals (LYTLE)
11:50 am – 12:50 pm – Lunch in South Dining Hall
1:00 pm – 2:10 pm – Woodwind Rehearsal (Schaeffer 14G)
   Brass Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
   Percussion (Outside/Auditorium Stage)
2:20 pm – 3:10 pm – Sectional Rehearsal (see below)
3:20 pm – 4:30 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
4:30 pm – 5:45 pm – Dinner at SDH
5:45 pm – 8:00 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
8:15 pm – 9:15 pm – Full Music Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
9:15 pm - ???? Meeting and Announcements

Tuesday, August 18
7:00 am – 9:00 am – Breakfast at SDH
9:00 am – 11:40 am – Fundamentals (LYTLE)
11:50 am – 12:50 pm – Lunch in South Dining Hall
1:00 pm – 2:10 pm – Woodwind Rehearsal (Schaeffer 14G)
   Brass Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
   Percussion (Outside/Auditorium Stage)
2:20 pm – 3:10 pm – Sectional Rehearsal (see below)
3:20 pm – 4:30 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
4:30 pm – 5:45 pm – Dinner at SDH
5:45 pm – 8:00 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
8:15 pm – 9:15 pm – Full Music Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
9:15 pm - ???? Meeting and Announcements

Weekend, August 19
7:00 am – 9:00 am – Breakfast at SDH
9:00 am – 11:40 am – Fundamentals (LYTLE)
11:50 am – 12:50 pm – Lunch in South Dining Hall
1:00 pm – 2:10 pm – Woodwind Rehearsal (Schaeffer 14G)
   Brass Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
   Percussion (Outside/Auditorium Stage)
2:20 pm – 3:10 pm – Sectional Rehearsal (see below)
3:20 pm – 4:30 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
4:30 pm – 5:45 pm – Dinner at SDH
5:45 pm – 8:00 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
8:15 pm – 9:15 pm – Full Music Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
9:15 pm - ???? Meeting and Announcements

Thursday, August 20
7:00 am – 9:00 am – Breakfast at SDH
9:00 am – 11:40 am – Fundamentals (LYTLE)
11:50 am – 12:50 pm – Lunch in South Dining Hall
1:00 pm – 2:10 pm – Woodwind Rehearsal (Schaeffer 14G)
   Brass Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
   Percussion (Outside/Auditorium Stage)
2:20 pm – 3:10 pm – Sectional Rehearsal (see below)
3:20 pm – 4:30 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
4:30 pm – 5:45 pm – Dinner at SDH
5:45 pm – 8:00 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
8:15 pm – 9:15 pm – Full Music Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
9:15 pm - ???? Meeting and Announcements

Friday, August 21
7:00 am – 9:00 am – Breakfast at SDH
9:00 am – 11:40 am – Rehearsal (FF 4)
11:50 am – 12:50 pm – Lunch in South Dining Hall
1:00 pm – 2:10 pm – Woodwind Rehearsal (Schaeffer 14G)
   Brass Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
   Percussion (Outside/Auditorium Stage)
2:20 pm – 3:10 pm – Sectional Rehearsal (see below)
3:20 pm – 4:30 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
4:30 pm – 5:45 pm – Dinner at SDH
5:45 pm – 8:00 pm – Rehearsal (FF 4)
8:15 pm – 8:45 pm – Full Music Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)
9:00 pm - ???? Meeting and Announcements

Saturday, August 22
7:00 am – Noon Assist with KU Freshman Move-In Day
2:00 – 3:00 pm Music Rehearsal (Schaeffer 114)

Sunday, August 23
2:30 pm – 5:00 pm KUMU performs at Freshman Convocation

Sectional Rehearsal Rooms During Camp
Flute – Schaeffer 3G  Clarinet – Little Theatre
A. Sax - Schaeffer 5G  T. Sax – See Baritone & Sousa
Trumpet – Outside (13G = backup)
Mellophone – Outside (Green Room = backup)
Trombone – Outside (Old Main 31 = backup)
Baritone & Sousa – Outside (Schaeffer 14G = backup)
Drumline – Outside (Schaeffer Auditorium = backup)
Guard – Outside (Georgian Room = backup)

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