

UNK BAND DAY PARADE INFO!

Date: Saturday, September 19, 2026

Drop-off: 9:15 a.m. Please use the narrow parking lot that is on the east side of the Merryman parking lot for drop-off (*you will want to park towards the end of the parade route if you are driving students to the awards ceremony*). The Merryman parking lot will be used for band staging, so please *do not* park there.

Uniforms: FCS Marching Band t-shirt, nice jeans (no holes, rips, or tears), black socks, and black shoes.

Instruments: Please have your instruments put together before you arrive. You will transfer your instrument case into the vehicle of the person you will be riding with to the awards ceremony.

Parade route: South from the Merryman on 3rd Ave., turn east on Railroad Street, turn north on Central Ave., then turn east on 24th Street.
We are the 3rd band in the parade and will be stepping off at 10:01.

At the end of the route, students will find the driver they are riding with and put their instrument away. We will walk together to our area on Central Avenue to watch the rest of the parade together.

Awards: After the parade, everyone will go with their assigned parent drivers to Kearney High School for lunch and the awards ceremony which begins at 1:00 p.m.

Lunch: Please bring money to eat at the concession stand or a sack lunch, if you prefer.

**After the awards ceremony, parents need to find
Mrs. Uden to pick up their student.**

There is a field competition that will follow the awards ceremony which would be a great opportunity for your students to watch, if it works with your schedule.
Students will need to sit with their parents for this event.

Parent Volunteers Needed!

If you are able to help in any of these ways, please let Mrs. Uden know as soon as possible!

- 1) **Drivers/chaperones** for the day to sit with us during the parade, transport students from the parade to KHS, and sit with us for lunch and the awards ceremony.
- 2) **Seat savers** to find a place on Central Avenue for our students to sit and watch the parade when we are finished marching.
- 3) **Parents who will transport water and treats** (which Mrs. Uden has), to our viewing area at the parade.

**Thank you so much for helping with this event and
supporting your student(s) and the
FCS Warrior Marching Band!**