

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL DRUMLINE 2014-2015
Permission slip due by September 26, 2014

The HFCS Drumline is open to 4th – 8th grade students without the requirement of an audition. **The first rehearsal will be held on Friday, September 19th.**

Rehearsals: Fridays from 3:00-4:00 p.m. in the Music Room on days that school is in session.

- The annual drumline student fee is \$50 payable to the HFCS. Shirts may be purchased at an additional cost.
- The drumline (DL) will perform at some school assemblies and other events. In addition, the DL may have the opportunity to perform at non-school functions. You will be notified if such an opportunity arises.
- Attendance is required at all rehearsals and performances. For safety reasons, parents must notify me if a student will be absent.
- I try to be flexible with conflicts concerning sports and other club memberships as long as I know the situation. Please contact me if you have a conflict with scheduling. The DL attendance policy will be very strict since each member has a specific “part” to play.
- Snacks may be brought from home and must be consumed prior to rehearsal.
- After rehearsal, pick up time is 4:05-4:10 p.m. at the exit near the gym. Parents (cars) may advance carefully past the main entrance pick up line and go directly to the gym entrance. Please exercise caution. Any student not picked up by 4:10 p.m. will go to ASC (After School Care). Parents will be required to pay \$5/hour or any part thereof when you pick your child up.
- Although I will attempt to let each member play the instrument of his or her choice, the instrument assignments will ultimately be made based on aptitude and the best fit for the unit as a whole.
- School rules apply to all DL activities.
- Your child may discontinue DL at any time, without refund, up to one month prior to a formal concert. (Since drumline is a team effort, I ask that you not quit before an event or concert.) I request written notification (email, note) from a parent-guardian before the student’s last day of participation. This is part of the school safety policy.
- Students will be asked to sign a participation/equipment policy agreement. You will receive a copy to read in advance.
- Students and parents are financially responsible for lost or damaged equipment.

If you have any questions or suggestions, you may contact me by email. I am looking forward to a fun year with the DL at Holy Family!

Mr. Aaron Plotz,
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We, parent and child, understand the above policies. Please sign and return to school office.

Student Name (Print) _____ **Grade** _____

Parent/Guardian Name (Print) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ **Date** _____

Email Address _____ **Phone Number** _____

_____ **My child has a black HFCS DL polo and that shirt fits properly.**

_____ **I am available to help with DL activities like snacks, correspondence and chaperone (Volunteer Policies apply)**

_____ **After rehearsal my child/children will go to ___ASC ___ Pick up by parent (School Dismissal Policies apply)**