



MARCHING KNIGHTS

“The Pride of Central Florida”



WELCOME TO THE 2014 SEASON!

Performance Calendar

August 23	All-State Clinic Performance	UCF Music Building
September 20	UCF vs. BC-U (Family Weekend)	Bright House Networks Stadium
October 9	UCF vs. BYU	Bright House Networks Stadium
October 11	Seminole Sound (Exhibition)	Seminole High School (Pinellas)
October 18	UCF vs. Tulane	Bright House Networks Stadium
October 25	UCF vs. Temple (Homecoming)	Bright House Networks Stadium
November 14	UCF vs. Tulsa	Bright House Networks Stadium
November 22	UCF vs. SMU	Bright House Networks Stadium
November 28	UCF vs. USF	Raymond James Stadium (Tampa)
December/January	Bowl Game	TBA

Place these dates on your calendar! All performances are required events for all band members. Please note that the UCF-USF football game will take place on the Friday after Thanksgiving. Make appropriate travel plans now. Should the football team be invited to play in a bowl game, the full band will be expected to attend. This may require adjustments to your holiday plans. We will not know a date for the bowl game until late November or early December.

Faculty & Staff

Dr. Scott Tobias
Director of Bands

Dr. Ryan Kelly
Associate Director of Bands

Mr. Dave Schreier
Assistant Director of Bands

Mr. Nicholas Cabiness
Graduate Assistant/Percussion

Mr. Kevin Griner
Colorguard Instructor

Mrs. Lynann Hudson
Majorette Instructor

TBA
Dance Team Instructor

Mrs. Barbara Kelly-Hursey
Administrative Coordinator

Mr. Jason Millhouse
Announcer

Band Camp Report Dates

Thursday, August 7
Leadership

Friday, August 8
Colorguard
Majorettes
Dance Team
Percussion

Sunday, August 10
Woodwinds
Brass

A complete, detailed schedule for band camp may be found at UCFBands.com. Click on "Camp" in the top menu.

BAND CAMP

Attendance

All band camp rehearsals and activities are required. Please make the necessary adjustments to your schedule (work, vacation, etc.) to insure that you will be in attendance.

Orientation

New students should complete UCF Orientation during June or July. For those who do not, arrangements will be made to allow you to complete the components of the Orientation process required by the University (testing, registration, etc.).

Parking

In order to park on campus, band members will need a parking decal (even during band camp). Visit the UCF Parking Services website (www.parking.ucf.edu) to learn how to purchase a parking decal.

Campus Map

The following areas are used by the Marching Knights during band camp: the MK Trailer, the MK Field, the Rehearsal Hall, the Visual Arts Building Auditorium, the Performing Arts Center Music and Theatre Buildings, Ferrell Commons and the Arena. In order to familiarize yourself with these locations, a campus map is available at <http://map.ucf.edu>. A map highlighting these locations will be e-mailed to you in the weeks before band camp.



Band Camp (cont.)

Meals During Band Camp

Band members are responsible for their own meals during band camp. The camp schedule includes two-hour breaks for lunch and one-and-a-half hour breaks for dinner each day. A variety of dining options exist both on and off campus. Lunch will be provided on Friday of camp following the band's performance for the annual Kick-off Luncheon. A band camp cookout will be provided by Kappa Kappa Psi on the last day of camp (Saturday) following our morning rehearsal.

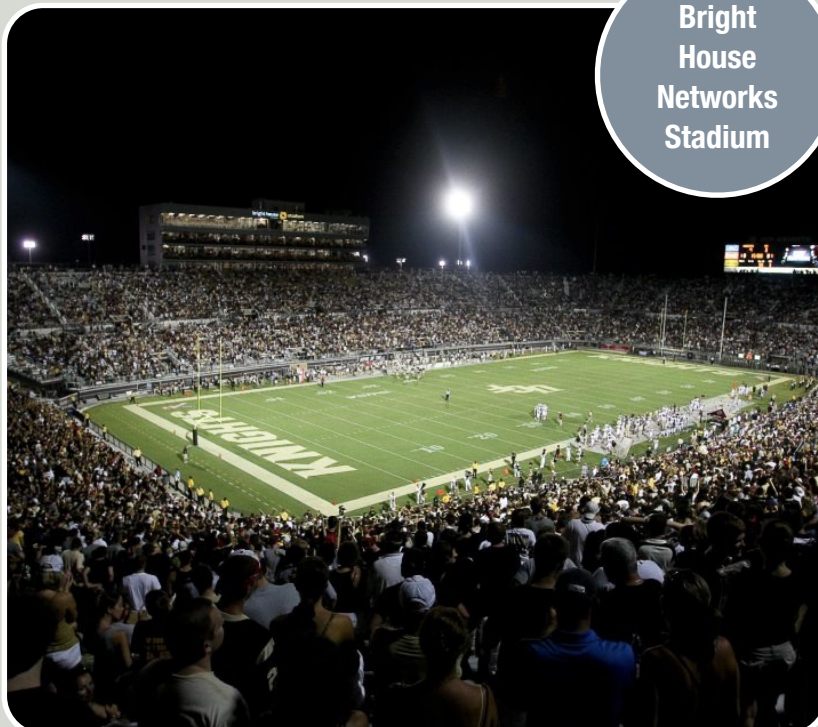
Housing During Band Camp

For those band members living in campus housing, early move-in is available. For a fee of \$125, band members will be allowed to move into their campus housing on Sunday, August 10.

Members of the Percussion, Color Guard, Majorette and Dance Team sections who are scheduled to arrive earlier than August 10 will not be able to move in to campus housing until Sunday. Members who live in apartments are usually able to provide housing to those in need for the first few nights. Section Coordinators can assist with making connections.

Student living in campus-affiliated housing should contact the affiliated housing management no later than July 16 to request housing.

Complete Housing information may be found on the Bands website at <http://ucfbands.com/band-camp-housing>. If you have questions, please contact Mr. Schreier.



Bright
House
Networks
Stadium

2014 Student Leadership

Head Drum Major

Max Glorit

Assistant Drum Majors

Nick Costanza

Nikki Nowotny

Piccolos

Amy Compare*

Alexandria Ayala

Clarinets

Karen Lopez*

Jordan Pakrosnis

Alto Saxophones

John Taggart*

Shawn Watkins

Tenor Saxophones

Jim McConaughy*

Trumpets

Nate Smith*

Kelly Rosch

Melissa Wojcik

Mellophones

Kevin Joslyn*

Josh Santos

Trombones

Matt Hernandez*

Scott Mullen

Baritones

Juwan Murphy*

Sousaphones

Tyler Gradl*

Taylor Pierce

Percussion

Alex Tejada*

Richie Stein

Wyatt Allmond

Stephen Robinson

Colorguard

Emily Kaman*

Nicolette Bartello

Majorettes

Katheryn Jones*

Autumn Nobles

Dance Team

Jen Steinhoff*

EB Lindholm

Media Coordinators

Jordan Pakrosnis*

Michelle Adams

Amanda Green

Angel Amador



SHOES AND SOCKS

All wind and percussion members are required to have black marching band shoes and black socks. It is your responsibility to obtain these items. Any black marching shoe (not shiny) is acceptable. Athletic shoes or sneakers are not permitted. Socks must come half-way up the calf.

Course Registration!!

The Marching Knights are a class at the University of Central Florida. All band members are required to register for MUN 3113 for the Fall semester.

Members of the Percussion, Dance Team, Majorette, and Colorguard sections should also register for MUN 3444 to earn credit for sectional time.

Staying Healthy

The health of each band member is very important. Since most Marching Knights activities take place outdoors, the following guidelines are suggested to insure everyone's well-being.

- 1) Stay hydrated. Drink water and sports drinks.
- 2) Wear light-colored clothing.
- 3) Use sunscreen.
- 4) Wear tennis shoes during rehearsals. Wearing inappropriate footwear or going barefoot can lead to injuries.
- 5) Be sure to eat. Skipping meals, especially breakfast, can lead to passing out in hot conditions.
- 6) Get enough sleep. Marching band requires mental acuity as well as physical stamina.
- 7) Let someone know if you feel ill, dizzy or faint.

IMPORTANT DEADLINES!!

JUNE 20 - HANDBOOK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORMS DUE

JULY 3 - DEADLINE TO COMPLETE THE ONLINE BAND MEMBER INFORMATION FORM

JULY 18 - DEADLINE TO SUBMIT UNIFORM MEASUREMENTS AND SHOE ORDERS

FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE REQUESTED MATERIALS BY THE ABOVE DATES MAY RESULT IN LIMITED PARTICIPATION IN THE MARCHING KNIGHTS!

LINKS FOR THE ABOVE ON THE MK WEBSITE.

SHOW #1	SHOW #2	SHOW #3	SHOW #4	SHOW #5/6
A Tribute to Horn Bands Music of Earth, Wind and Fire; Tower of Power; Chicago Sept. 20 (vs. Bethune)	What's On Your Radio My Songs Know What You Did in the Dark Happy Pompeii Oct. 9 (vs. BYU)	"The Time Warp" Back to the Future The Time Warp TBA Oct. 18 (vs. Tulane)	Homecoming TBA Homecoming Medley Oct. 25 (vs. Temple)	TBA TBA Nov. 14 (vs. Tulsa) Nov. 22 (vs. SMU) Nov. 28 (at USF)

University Instruments

The Marching Knights maintain an inventory of instruments available for use by band members. Individuals playing clarinet, saxophone, trumpet and trombone should use their own instruments whenever possible. A limited number of these instruments are available if needed. Instruments will be provided for those in the mellophone, baritone, sousaphone and percussion sections. The Marching Knights only use piccolos on the field. Piccolos will be made available to all flute players. Percussionists will be provided with two pairs of sticks/mallets at the beginning of the season. Should more than two pairs be required due to loss or breakage, percussionists will be responsible for paying for additional pairs. Appropriate equipment will also be provided for members of the Color Guard, Majorettes and Dance Team.

Instruments and equipment will be checked out to band members at band camp check-in. For questions about university instruments, contact Mr. Schreier.

Uniforms

Uniforms will be issued to each band member at band camp check-in. The following will be provided:

Uniform Jacket & Bibbers
Marching Knights T-Shirt
Marching Knights Baseball Cap
Gloves

Band members will need to provide their own black band shoes, black socks, and black athletic shorts. Winds and percussion wear black leather shoes with a matte finish and a black sole. Tennis shoes are not appropriate. Color Guard, Dance

Team and Majorette members will be provided with information regarding specific models/styles to be used with the uniform. Band members may order shoes through the band office. An order form will be available on the Marching Knights website.

Band members should refer to the Marching Knights Handbook for instructions on the proper wearing of the band uniform.

Music & Drill

Music for the Marching Knights is available in the Members area of the Marching Knights website. This is a password protected area. Instructions on how to access the Members area will be sent to members via e-mail. Band members are expected to download and print their own music. A flip folder and lyre will be provided for each member and will be issued at band camp check-in. Download and print your music over the summer, practice it, and bring it with you to band camp.

Drill charts are also available in the Members area of the website. Each member will be assigned a drill number. Downloading drill charts and studying them over the summer will help the show learning process move much faster at band camp. Band members will be responsible for downloading and printing their own drill charts during the season.



Fall Rehearsal Schedule

Once the semester starts, the Marching Knights rehearse on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 6:00-8:30 PM on the Marching Knights Field. All rehearsals are required. Band members should refer to the Marching Knights Handbook for specific attendance policies.

A complete calendar of rehearsals and performances may be found in the Members area of the Marching Knights website.



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OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

WIND ENSEMBLE - MUN 3143

The UCF Wind Ensemble is an auditioned ensemble that meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:30-3:20 PM. The Wind Ensemble presents three concerts each semester. All UCF students are welcome to audition for membership, regardless of major. Auditions are scheduled for August 17-18. Visit www.music.ucf.edu for specific times, locations and audition materials.



SYMPHONIC BAND - MUN 3133

The UCF Symphonic Band is an auditioned ensemble that meets on Mondays and Wednesdays from 3:30-5:00 PM. The Symphonic Band presents two concerts each semester. All UCF students are welcome to audition for membership, regardless of major. Auditions are scheduled for August 17-18. Visit www.music.ucf.edu for specific times, locations and audition materials.

CONCERT BAND - MUN 3123

The UCF Concert Band is a non-auditioned ensemble that meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:30-4:50 PM. The Concert Band presents two concerts each semester. All UCF students are welcome to join, regardless of major.



Looking Ahead.....

JAMMIN' KNIGHTS

The Jammin' Knights serve as the musical spirit for all Men's and Women's Basketball games. On occasion, they also perform at various other athletic events such as Volleyball matches and pep rallies. The Jammin' Knights are a Spring semester class (MUN 3113), but begin organizing as early as October each year. Membership is open to any UCF student, regardless of major.

Fall 2014 Opportunities for the Jammin' Knights

October 5	Volleyball vs. UConn	2:00 PM
October 26	Volleyball vs. Tulane	2:00 PM
November 16	Volleyball vs. SMU	2:00 PM

Additional dates will be announced once the Basketball schedules have been released.

SOCIAL MEDIA

Click to Join!

The Music Department, Bands, and Marching Knights use several forms of Social Media to communicate. Please join the [Marching Knights Facebook GROUP](#) ASAP. You can also join, The [Marching Knights Fan Page](#), [Bands Fan Page](#), and [Music Department Fan Page](#). We can also be found on Twitter for the [Marching Knights](#) and [Music Department](#). Click any of the links and Like or Follow us!