



Dickerson Middle School Bands
8th Grade Football Night at Walton High School
Information Letter



August 31, 2010

The Dickerson 8th Grade Band has been invited to perform with the **Walton Raider Marching Band** at the Walton football game on **Friday, September 10, 2010**. We are very excited about this opportunity for our 8th graders to experience the fun and excitement of the Walton High School Band program, and to see what may be in store for them next year should they continue in the program. Here is the schedule for Friday evening.

- 5:40 PM** Begin to arrive at Walton High School and assemble in Theater with instruments still in cases. **There will be no opportunity to eat in the stands, so students should eat before arriving!**
- 5:50 PM** Be seated in the theater.
- 6:00 PM** Welcome and WHS band pre-game meeting.
Please be on your best behavior so that the WHS band can conduct their meeting without any "diversions!"
After the meeting, the 8th grade students will march in with the Raider Band.
- 7:30 PM** Kickoff – **GO RAIDERS!!!!!!**
During the game, 8th grade students will play in the stands with the Raider Band, and possibly perform by themselves in the stands during the 2nd Quarter! During halftime, students will watch both the Campbell and Walton bands perform, and after the halftime shows, students will be given a free soft drink by the Walton Band and Orchestra Parents).
- 9:45 PM** *Approximate* time for end of the game. If a student can't stay until the end of the game, please send a note ahead of time. **Students will not be allowed to leave early unless we have received a note from the parent by class time on Friday, September 10th.** Students need to stay at least until after the halftime show, and check-out with a parent chaperone if they leave early. No student will be allowed to leave the stands before the end of the game without being checked-out by an adult. After the game, students may be picked up in the stands or outside the stadium.

Students will be given a FREE Walton Band T-Shirt to wear at the game, so they should wear blue jeans and a shirt they can wear under the Walton Band T-shirt.

In past years, 8th grade band members participating in this event have told us that this is the most fun they have ever had in band. Make sure you are there!

Thanks for your support! J. Palmer and S. Brown

Student Name: _____ Instrument: _____

Please check one:

- Will attend the Walton High School Band 8th Grade night on Friday, September 10, 2010.
- Will be unable to attend the Walton High School 8th Grade Band night.
- Will attend the Walton High School 8th Grade Band night, but will have to leave early after halftime. **MUST HAVE A SIGNED NOTE STATNG WHO THE STUDENT MAY LEAVE WITH.**
- I can chaperone! (Get in free to game!)*** Parent name: _____
Arrive WHS theater by 5:30 pm
Stay until the end of the game. email address: _____

Note: All students leaving early **MUST** be checked out by a Parent/Guardian or designee with a chaperone by the band seating area. For safety and security reasons, no students will be allowed to leave the band area before the end of the game to meet a parent outside the stadium.

Parent Signature

date