Greetings all!

As I’m sure you’ve all heard, my name is Mr. Martin, and I am proud to be serving the LHS community as your new band director. I look forward to meeting you all and seeing what it is we can accomplish together.

As we prepare for the upcoming camps, please be aware of the following:

* All rules and regulations as outlined in the band handbook still apply! I have not received any information regarding excused absences, so I am expecting 100% attendance on Tuesday, July 21.
* Come prepared with anything and everything you may need for the day (packed lunch, sunscreen, instrument, music, pencil, water, instrument accessories (mouthpiece, valve oil, reeds, mallets, drumsticks, towel, etc.)).
* Dress APPROPRIATELY and COMFORTABLY as we will be outside quite a bit. I would recommend a light-colored t-shirt and shorts; please be advised that TENNIS SHOES and a HAT or SUNSCREEN are REQUIRED. Remember, the school’s dress code still applies!
* Return all paperwork, especially medical forms, and fees as soon as possible.
* We will begin promptly at 12 PM on Tuesday with a sort of ice-breaker activity, so please plan accordingly.
* Review the schedule, and ensure that you are available for all rehearsals and performances; your attendance is mandatory.
* Come ready to work and have fun!

Parents and staff, if you have any questions between now and the beginning of camp, you are welcome to contact me via email at [hjmartin0422@gmail.com](mailto:hjmartin0422@gmail.com). I also plan on arriving at the school around 11 AM on Tuesday if you would prefer to meet with me then. If you would much rather pursue this option, please let me know ahead of time.

Lastly, thank you in advance for all of your hard work and cooperation! I look forward to meeting you all and making this one memorable season! See you on Tuesday, July 21, at noon!

Best,

Mr. Martin