



# Braden River High School JV Winterguard 2021-22 Audition Packet

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*Please read completely and follow all instructions.*

Open House/Audition Dates: Monday, Nov. 29 – Wednesday, Dec. 1  
5:00-7:00PM in the BRHS Band Room

Who's Eligible: All Braden River High School students, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students who plan on attending BRHS next fall.

Attire: Any form fitting dance clothes or workout attire, dance shoes or lightweight sneakers. **NO JEANS, SANDALS, OR JEWELRY!**

What to Expect: During open house rehearsals we will do a quick warm-up/stretch, then begin rehearsal. Students will work on dance basics and learn a few across the floor sequences. A short contemporary dance piece will be learned for auditions using elements of ballet, hip-hop, jazz, and modern. A few flag basics will be explained and taught, then a short flag phrase. You will not need to have any choreography prepared.

Spectators: Rehearsals and Auditions are closed to the public. No one other than candidates, staff, and judges will be allowed into the rehearsal/audition space.

Paperwork: All forms need to be turned in by 7:00pm Wednesday, December 1<sup>st</sup>. This includes: Application, Financial Agreement Form, Medical Release Forms, and a copy of your last Report Card.

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Audition Requirements: You will be taught and judged on the following:

- Dance Across the Floor Sequences
- Dance Routine
- Flag Basics
- Flag Routine
- Turning in forms on time
- Report card GPA (Must maintain a 2.0 GPA)
- Punctuality and proper audition attire.
- Maintaining a positive attitude at all rehearsals

## **IF YOU MAKE THE TEAM!**

**Commitment:** Members of the 2021-22 BRHS JV Winter Guard will be obligated to rehearse and perform December through April.

**Colorguard Constitution:** Upon making the 2021-22 BRHS JV Winter Guard, each team member (and their parent/legal guardian) will be required to sign the team constitution.

**Practice Schedule:** Rehearsals for the JV Winter Guard are Monday and Friday afternoons, 5:00-7:00PM at either Braden River High School or Haile Middle School.

**Uniforms/Equipment:** Official Uniforms and Show Equipment are supplied by the Band Department and are property of Braden River High School. All members are required to purchase their own shoes, warm-ups, backpacks, flag bags, and home practice flags. (All are ordered through the Colorguard and the Braden River Band Boosters and are included in Guard fees)

**Fundraisers:** We hope to have an optional opportunity for members to fund raise their membership dues. There will also be a few MANDATORY FUNDRAISERS that are required to assist the program. ALL GUARD MEMBERS will be required to participate in these fundraisers.

**Winter Guard Camps:** ALL GUARD MEMBERS must attend the Winter Guard Camps. Failure to attend will result in dismissal from the group. This is when the 2022 competitive show will be taught.

**Camp 1:** Dec. 10, 5:00PM – 9:00PM Haile Middle School  
Dec. 11, 9:00AM – 5:00PM Haile Middle School

**Camp 2:** Dec. 17, 5:00PM – 9:00PM Haile Middle School  
Dec. 18, 9:00AM – 5:00PM Haile Middle School

**Camp 3:** Jan. 7, 5:00PM – 9:00PM Haile Middle School  
Jan. 8, 9:00AM – 5:00PM Haile Middle School

**Performances:** (Subject to change)  
FFCC Winterguard Competitions (January to March)  
WGI Virtual Competition (February to March)  
Braden River Night of Colorguard (March)  
FFCC Circuit Championships (March/April)  
Heritage Night Parade (April)  
TBA: Competitions  
TBA: Performances

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If you have any questions, please contact:  
Ricardo Robinson-Shinall, BRHS Colorguard Director  
Email: [guard@brhsbands.org](mailto:guard@brhsbands.org) or [robinsonr@manateeschools.net](mailto:robinsonr@manateeschools.net)  
Braden River High School Colorguard

# FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS

The following cost will be the responsibility of the student, parent, and/or guardian. Earned fundraising money will be applied; however, any funds not raised will be your responsibility to pay.

PLEASE DO NOT let the financial requirements keep you from trying out for the team. MOST funds can be raised through team fundraisers leaving only a fraction of the cost to be "out of pocket".

***Since costumes and equipment must be ordered ahead of time to ensure that we have them for the season, any student who decided not to participate after January 7<sup>th</sup> is still responsible for dues and fees.***

## Fee Breakdowns

Guard Dues.....	\$450
<i>This covers costume, accessories, membership fees, and show equipment rental.</i>	
Home Practice Flag (New Members only).....	\$25
Guard Warm-up (New Members only).....	\$161
Guard Jersey (New Members only).....	\$35
Guard Backpack (New Members only).....	\$55

## Fee Schedule

\$250 Deposit .....	December 15
\$250 Second Payment .....	January 12
\$226 Final Payment.....	January 15





**Braden River**  
**COLORGUARD**

# Braden River High School Colorguard MEDICAL RELEASE FORM

Colorguard Member's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby give my consent for the above named student to represent Braden River High School in an extracurricular activity as a Braden River Colorguard Member. I also give my consent for him/her to accompany the Colorguard and Band (as a member) to other schools and activities.

I give my consent and authorize Braden River High School, or it's representatives, to obtain medical attention (through a physician of it's choice) for the above named student, in the event he/she is injured or ill while in the course of school activities.

Neither Braden River High School, Guard Director Ricardo R. Robinson-Shinall, Band Director Jeramiah Bowman, Colorguard Staff, or the Manatee County School Board of Education and its employees will be held liable for any claims due to injury received by the above named student while he/she is participating in the Colorguard Program at Braden River High School.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Legal Guardian Name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary



**MANATEE COUNTY  
SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES  
AUTHORIZATION FOR PROVISION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE AND  
MEDICATION ON EXTENDED OR OVERNIGHT FIELD TRIPS**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_  
Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

My son/daughter \_\_\_\_\_ is given permission to perform and travel with the Braden River High School Winter Guard. I give permission for emergency medical treatment to be provided if needed, and for the following medications to be administered as directed: (Circle all that apply)

Motrin/Advil	cough medicine	Midol
Tylenol	sinus medicine	antacid
Benedryl	allergy medicine	

List all prescription medicine and dosage that your child takes, including medicine taken on an as needed basis.

If your child uses an inhaler please have one available for him/her to take to all games, competitions and trips even if they seldom use it.

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_  
Medical Conditions: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of last Tetanus: \_\_\_\_\_  
Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # of insurance company: \_\_\_\_\_  
Family Doctor: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

In the event we cannot be reached please contact:  
Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/guardian signature

Sworn to and subscribed before me on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

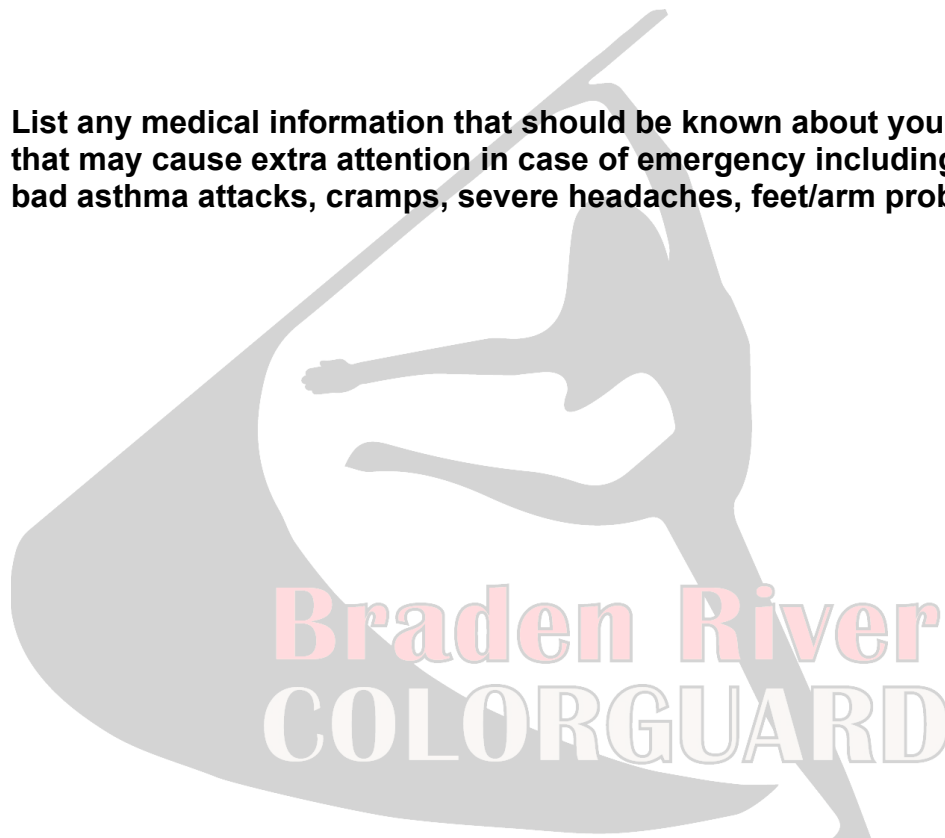
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public, My Commission Expires

I agree to administer medication as indicated above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Guard Director/Chaperone Signature

**List medications of any type your child will be taking on any trips. This includes aspirin, sickness pills, cold medicine, anything!**

**List any medical information that should be known about your child. Anything that may cause extra attention in case of emergency including: bad asthma attacks, cramps, severe headaches, feet/arm problems, etc.**



Please do not hesitate to put anything you feel is important on this sheet. It is confidential. Only Mr. Robinson-Shinall and the band medical staff will see this information. We wish to properly treat your child and follow special procedures in case of an emergency. Our records are kept separate from the school nurse. If you have any questions, call Mr. Robinson-Shinall at 941-751-8230 ext. 31143.

**Braden River Colorguards**



# 2022 Braden River Winterguard Schedule

## November:

29	Mon	JV Open House	5:00 – 7:00PM
30	Tue	JV Open House	5:00 – 7:00PM

## December:

1	Wed	JV Final Auditions	5:00 – 7:00PM
6	Mon	JV Rehearsal	5:00 – 7:00PM
7	Tue	Varsity Rehearsal	4:00 – 7:00PM
9	Thur	Varsity Rehearsal	4:00 – 7:00PM
10	Fri	JV Camp (@ Haile MS)	5:00 – 9:00PM
11	Sat	JV Camp (@ Haile MS)	9:00AM – 5:00PM
		Varsity Camp (@ Haile MS)	1:00PM – 9:00PM
12	Sun	Varsity Camp (@ BRHS)	2:00 – 6:00PM
13	Mon	JV Rehearsal	5:00 – 7:00PM
14	Tue	Varsity Rehearsal	4:00 – 7:00PM
16	Thur	Varsity Rehearsal	4:00 – 7:00PM
17	Fri	JV Camp (@ Haile MS)	5:00 – 9:00PM
18	Sat	JV Camp (@ Haile MS)	9:00AM – 5:00PM
		Varsity Camp (@ Haile MS)	1:00PM – 9:00PM
19	Sun	Varsity Camp (@ BRHS)	2:00 – 6:00PM

## January:

6	Thur	Varsity Rehearsal	4:00 – 7:00PM
7	Fri	JV Camp (@ Haile MS)	5:00 – 9:00PM
8	Sat	JV Camp (@ Haile MS)	1:00 – 9:00PM
10	Mon	JV Rehearsal	5:00 – 7:00PM
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13	Thur	JV Rehearsal	5:00 – 7:00PM
14	Fri	Varsity Camp (@ Haile MS)	5:00 – 9:00PM
15	Sat	Varsity Camp (@ Haile MS)	1:00 – 9:00PM
16	Sun	Varsity Camp (@ BRHS)	2:00 – 6:00PM
17	Mon	NO REHEARSAL or SCHOOL	
18	Tue	JV Rehearsal	5:00 – 7:00PM
20	Thur	Varsity Rehearsal	4:00 – 7:00PM
21	Fri	JV Preview Show/Rehearsal @ Haile MS	5:00 – 8:00PM
<b>22</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>FFCC Premiere (JV Only) Plant City HS, Plant City</b>	<b>TBA</b>
24	Mon	JV Rehearsal	5:00 – 7:00PM
25	Tue	Varsity Rehearsal	4:00 – 7:00PM
27	Thur	JV Rehearsal	5:00 – 7:00PM
28	Fri	Varsity Preview Show/Rehearsal @ Haile MS	5:00 – 8:00PM
<b>29</b>	<b>Sat</b>	<b>FFCC Premiere (Varsity Only) Cypress Creek HS, Orlando</b>	<b>TBA</b>
31	Mon	REGULAR REHEARSALS BEGIN	

**Weekly Rehearsal Schedule (May vary due to gym availability)**

Monday JV Rehearsal 5:00 – 7:00PM  
Tuesday Varsity Rehearsal 4:00 – 7:00PM  
Thursday Varsity Rehearsal 4:00 – 7:00PM  
Friday JV Rehearsal 5:00 – 7:00PM

February:

**5 Sat FFCC Seminole, Seminole**  
**12 Sat FFCC Durant, Plant City**  
**26 Sat FFCC Riverview, Riverview**

March:

**5 Sat WGI Tampa Regional (Varsity Only) Durant HS, Plant City**  
**12 Sat FFCC Braden River, Bradenton – Arts in Motion @ The River**  
**WGI Virtual Prelims (Online)**  
**23 Wed Braden River Night of Colorguard**  
**25 Fri FFCC Championships (Cadet Guard) Ocean Center, Daytona Beach**  
**26 Sat FFCC Championships (JV) Ocean Center, Daytona Beach**  
**27 Sun FFCC Championships (Varsity) Ocean Center, Daytona Beach**

April:

**2 Sat WGI Virtual Finals (Online)**



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