

Coming *IN* Loud and Clear

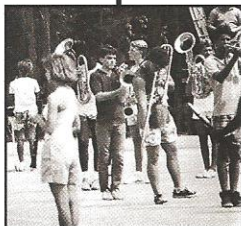
Playing the year out!

As summer faded out and marching season commenced, the long hours of band camp began yet another year. Taylor Crosby talks about her band camp experience, "you meet a lot of new people, and it was fun." After hours of seemingly endless practices in the burning heat, the Band of Blue went on to perform at football games and competitions. "Performing is one of the greatest feelings in the world. It's exciting and a great adrenaline rush. It makes me feel like a part of something bigger. It makes you feel whole," says Jasmin Vance. When you spend so much time together in band practicing and performing, you become a sort of family. For seniors, it's their last year to enjoy this family. "I'm upset that I'm leaving band because I enjoy marching a lot and because I'll miss my friends," Taylor Crabb explains. Out on the field and in school, these students express themselves through music.

Shonnece Aikens-Malone



Band of Blue 1987



Laporscha Smalls



Amanda Hughes



Chelsea Douglas and Katherine Judy.



Adam Smith, Breyanna Smalls, Kayla Beach, Symone Major, Megan Cornatzer, and Stacey Williams

1. Matthew Bell
2. Andrew Dantzler and Tyquan Edwards
3. Shakerra Sanders

1. Seth Harris
2. Lisa Way and Sade Stokes
3. Laquetta Wilson, Brittany Randell, and Cornelius Reed

1. Wilbur Jamison, Emmanuel Holmes, and Christopher McCorkle
2. Katie Warren
3. Shawna Gerard

