

PURDUE "ALL-AMERICAN" MARCHING BAND

2026 SEASON AT A GLANCE

Items in **BOLD** represent required, graded performances of the AAMB.

Full participation in **Band Camp** is also required for participation in the AAMB. Please see the Band Camp Schedule for full details.

July 1	Woodwind and Brass Music Auditions Due (late auditions accepted but with less chance to re-test if needed.)	
July 11-12	Drumline Candidate Tech Weekend (Optional - contact pjnav@purdue.edu)	
August 8-12	Duster Days - Golduster Dance Team pre-camp activities	
August 13 (Evening)	Student Leadership Training Begins (Section Leaders, 1's, 10's)	
August 14-15	Student Leadership Training	
August 16 (9:00 AM)	BAND CAMP BEGINS FOR THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE: - Woodwind, Brass, Big Ten Flags New Candidates - All Drumline and World's Largest Drum Candidates - All Twirlers, Golden Silks, Goldusters Members	
August 17 (1:30 PM)	Returning Woodwind/Brass/Big Ten Flag Candidates join Band Camp	
August 18-19	Band Camp Continues	
August 20	<u>MEMBERSHIP SELECTIONS FOR THE 2025 AAMB ANNOUNCED</u>	
	Those who are accepted will continue with band camp activities on August 20-21. Those who are not selected will participate in an outstanding transition/community building program provided by Purdue Bands & Orchestras.	
August 22	End of Camp Exhibition	Hull Complex
September 4 (Friday)	Purdue vs. Indiana State	Ross-Ade Stadium - 7 PM Kickoff
September 12	Purdue vs. Wake Forest	Ross-Ade Stadium - 12 Noon Kickoff
September 19	Purdue @ UCLA	No Band Activities
September 26	Purdue vs. Notre Dame	Ross-Ade Stadium - TBA
October 3	Purdue @ Illinois	No Band Activities
October 10	Purdue vs. Minnesota	Ross-Ade Stadium - TBA
October 16 (Friday)	Purdue vs. Washington	Ross-Ade Stadium - 8 PM Kickoff
October 24	Off	No Band Activities
October 25	Purdue @ Penn State	No Band Activities
November 6	Purdue Homecoming Parade	Purdue Campus
November 7	Purdue vs. Maryland (Homecoming)	Ross-Ade Stadium - TBA
November 14	Purdue @ Iowa	POSSIBLE Volunteer Pep Band Trip - TBA
November 21	Purdue vs. Wisconsin (Senior Day)	Ross-Ade Stadium - TBA
November 28	Purdue vs. Indiana	Volunteer Pep Band Trip
December 5	Lafayette Christmas Parade OR Big Ten Championship Game	Downtown Lafayette Indianapolis
After	Late December/Early January may feature a bowl game. If Purdue is selected for postseason play, attendance is required.	

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