

Hello, Marching Virginians!

We hope you've had a great summer so far! Whether you have been working hard at an internship or summer job, conducting research, getting ahead in summer classes, or enjoying the sun, August brings one of the most exciting times of year: band camp! We have been hard at work to ensure band camp runs as smoothly as possible. We can't wait to reconnect with all of you!

Every season brings new experiences and excitement. This season, look forward to welcoming and sharing our Hokie Spirit with our new Director of Athletic Bands, Dr. Polly Middleton! In addition, we are so excited about the events for this season. Some highlights include the season opener against William & Mary, where we will invite high schoolers to Lane Stadium for our second annual Marching Virginians Band Day. We will also be playing Notre Dame on our own turf and traveling to UNC to cheer on the Hokies later in October. We have seven home football games to look forward to this year!

As you all are aware; this season will be one full of change and adjustments. As returners to this organization, we will be relying on you to be flexible and welcoming to these changes. While change can be intimidating, it can be just as exciting. Whether you are in leadership or not, we all have a responsibility to set a positive tone with these changes for the future of The Marching Virginians. In true MV fashion, you need to "sell it." We look forward to embracing these changes and adjustments with you starting next month!

Sincerely,  
The 2018 Officers

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