WELCOME TO THE 2015 MRD MELLOPHONES!

Congratulations for deciding to join the best section in the Marching Royal Dukes! This is going to be a great year, full of exciting new things for the organization. We’re very excited for all of you to join us at Band Camp in August! Until then, make sure that you join the Facebook group (MRD Mellophones 2015), buy a MP14F4 Yamaha Mellophone mouthpiece and a BERP, and get HYPED for the upcoming season!
Meet the Leadership Team!

**MELLOPHONE LEADERSHIP SQUAD 2k15**

**INTRODUCING**

**The Astonishing**

**Austin Frank**  
Grade - Senior  
Position - Section Leader  
Major - Music Education  
Hometown - Fairfax, VA  
Fun Fact - I paint fire hydrants  
The best part about the mellophone section is the sense of family in the section

**The Hallowed**

**Hunter Payne**  
Grade - Sophomore  
Position - Drill Instructor  
Major - Music Industry  
Hometown - Poquoson, VA  
Fun Fact - I used to collect statues of birds  
The best thing about the mellophone section is the wobble

**The Lionhearted**

**Lenny Grasso**  
Grade - Senior  
Position - Section Leader  
Major - Music Education  
Hometown - Mullica Hill, NJ  
Fun Fact - I thought Omaha was a 6WDWHXQWLODPRQWKDJR«,DP years old.  
The best part about the mellophone section is the parts, the sound, the culture, the cake, just everything. GAH, we are perfect.

**The Awe-Inspiring**

**Alexandra Rivero**  
Grade - Senior  
Position - Drill Instructor  
Major - Psychology  
Hometown - Colonial Heights, VA  
Fun Fact - I'm a hardcore Disney Nerd  
The best thing about the mellophone section is the fact that Lenny will fill in my flyer info for me because I can’t think of anything. <3

**The Reverent**

**Renna Nouwairi**  
Grade - Junior  
Position - Section Leader  
Major - Chemistry  
Minor - Math  
Hometown - Fishersville, VA  
Fun Fact - POC/CAKE-OFF is my favorite time of the year!  
The best thing about the mellophone section is how we accept others no matter how weird, because we are all a little weird. And CAKE!

**The Noble**

**Natalie Coppola**  
Grade - Senior  
Position - Attendance Manager/Section Mom  
Major - Hospitality Management  
Minor - Business  
Hometown - Downingtown, PA  
Fun Fact - I like bows, and singing, and asking questions, and being weird. Lenny and I are so married.  
The best thing about the mellophone section is the mellos having such an easy comradery. I have no problem asking questions or for help because I don't feel like I'm being judged. Also, one time we dressed up as the dukettes, and there is no doubt that we have the best butts in the band!

**The Jubilant**

**Jessica Myers**  
Grade - Junior  
Position - Drill Instructor  
Major - Music Education  
Hometown - Howell, NJ  
Fun Fact - I just really want a pet hedgehog  
The best part about the mellophone section is Cake-Off!!!