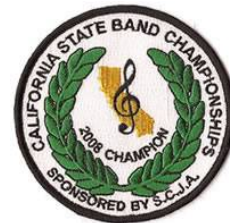




NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 2009



Boosters Corner

Message from the President

I can't believe summer is half over. Hope everyone is enjoying their summer. Please take a few minutes and read through the news letter. It is our way of keeping you informed of what is going on now and in the near future. If you have any questions, please join us at our next parent (booster) meeting July 28 in the band room at 7:00 PM. Enjoy the remainder of your summer and we will see you at band camp.

Brenda Martinovich
Band Booster President

Musically Yours

Message from our Band Director

Happy summer,

I hope everyone is enjoying their summer vacation. I have seen most of you at our Wednesday night rehearsals. The music is coming along very well. Thank you to everyone who has worked to make the summer rehearsals effective. By now most of our leaders and color guard students have attended a specialty camp. I look forward to the extra skills that the students will bring to our band because of their camp experiences. Last but not least, students get in shape. We have been running a little at Wednesday night rehearsals. This is so the students can tell if they are in good enough shape for band camp. Our field show this year is very demanding with the most energy being used in the last minute of the show. This is after seven minutes of almost constantly moving. Everyone should be able to jog for 10 minutes without stopping. Students set up your own workout schedule. July 29th we will "test" the 10 minute run. Be ready for this event. Get yourself in shape so that band camp won't seem so hard for you. I'm looking forward to a great band camp and a "three-peat" of our state championship. How hard are you willing to work towards this goal?

Enjoy the rest of your summer. See you all on August 17th.

Mr. B

End of Band Camp Dinner

Please join us on Friday August 28 for a BBQ dinner for students and their families. Dinner will be served at 5:30 with a performance of what the students have learned during band camp at 6:30. There will be a \$2.00 charge for the dinner to off set costs. We will be pre selling dinners during band camp. Hope to see you there.

Apparel Orders Are Due By July 28th Booster Meeting.

Fair Share money due this month \$100.00

San Diego Trip money due this month \$100.00

You can make your payments on line using Pay Pal at the booster web site www.donlugobandboosters.com or pay at our next parent (booster) meeting

KEY DATES IN AUGUST:



July 28 Parent (booster) meeting
7:00 in the band room

July 30 Concerts in the Park

August 6 Concerts in the Park

August 13 Concerts in the Park

August 15 Car Wash

August 22 Car Wash

August 17-21 & 24-28
Band Camp from 8:00am-3:00pm
(Lunch from 11:00am- 12:00pm)

August 28 End of Band Camp
Dinner & Performance

August 31 First Day of School
(Zero Period 6:30am)

Band Camp

August 17-21 & 24-28

Band Camp from 8:00am-3:00pm
(Lunch from 11:00am- 12:00pm)

Remember to bring:

Lots of Water
A Sack Lunch and Snacks
Wide brim hat
Sunscreen
Tennis shoes
T-shirt with sleeves

Report time is 8:00 am don't be late

Concerts in the Park (Snow Cones)

The students will be selling snow cones and glow sticks each week during the Concerts in the Park series at City Hall. Please come out and join the DAL band and color guard. Each section is assigned to work a show. The schedule is as follows

July 23 1/2 Color Guard

July 30 1/2 Color Guard

August 6 Low Woodwinds & Low Brass

August 13 Percussion

Students are asked to arrive at 5:30

Please remember to check the website at www.donlugobandboosters.com for any changes or updates to the calendar throughout the school year.

The band booster membership form and apparel order form were sent home at Wednesday night practice. Please return it on Tuesday July 28th at the Booster Meeting!!

March A Thon

During band camp, your student can raise money to help pay their fair share. As part of their conditioning for marching season they will run 1 mile and practice marching for 1 mile each day. We will be sending home a form for students to solicit donations. This is a great way for your kids to help with the financial obligation required for marching season. **100% of the money you raise will go toward your fair share.**

Car Washes

Want to get a head start on your student's account?



Sign up and all proceeds equally divided among the students and parents that work the car wash, and put in your fair share account. Contact Gabe to sign up 627-2248 work. Its fun and earned are

**Up coming dates:
August 15 and the 22**

DON'T FORGET TO USE SCRIP ALL YEAR LONG

Booster Membership: \$10.00 and all goes toward your child's fairshare

WE WILL BE PLACING THE APPAREL ORDER AT THE END OF JULY. ALL NEW STUDENTS MUST ORDER THE WEDNESDAY NIGHT PRACTICE SHIRT AND THE PRIDE SHIRT. ALL STUDENTS MUST ORDER THE TRAVEL SHIRT. TURN IN YOUR APPAREL ORDER FORM AT THE BOOSTER MEETING ON JULY 28TH.

YOU CAN FIND THE ORDER FORM IN THE BACK OF THE PARENT HANDBOOK OR ON THE WEBSITE AT:

www.donlugobandboosters.com