



Band Camp Registration & Ice Cream Social July 18th ~ 6:30pm

Registration will be held in the bandroom. We will have an informational meeting followed by an ice cream social at 7. Please bring the following to registration:

- Completed 2010-2011 Registration Form
- First fee payment of \$150.00 (2d due on 12/1/10)

New band members will need to purchase:

- Bib pants - \$40.00 and Marching Shoes - \$25.00

Also available for purchase:

- Hat/Visor - \$10.00 and Parent Shirts - \$25.00

General Fundraising

A large sum of money is required to run a successful band program, however, the school system provides less than \$6,000 per year for our high school, while the band budget for the 2010-2011 season is about \$40,000. The boosters supplement the funds needed through general fundraisers. The primary fundraisers are:

- Football game concession stands (Fall)
- 5K Race – October
- Outback Dinner & Evening of Jazz (Spring)

Let's all work together to have the best band program for our children!

Individual Fundraising

Band students will have the opportunity to earn money for band expenses via fundraising. The following programs are available for students to participate in if they choose:

- Chick-fil-A Calendar Sales – August/September
- Candy Bar Sales – February/March
- Car Wash Coupons August/October

For more information about fundraising, contact

Tina Carter: tincar44@charter.net, 706-296-9040.

Student Accounts

If a student chooses to participate in a fundraiser, profits will post to the student's account. Band expenses include band fees, instrument repair, supplies, band education expenses and the spring band trip. Student Accounts is a bookkeeping record only, and as such the treasurer does not write checks to parents from student accounts – except for rare instances where a receipt is obtained for an instrument or repair. Funds are withdrawn from the student account for band related expenses upon the completion of a withdrawal form obtained from the band room bulletin board and upon the approval of Mr. Provost.

Students will not be able to withdraw funds from their student account for spending money. A current list of student account balances will be posted in the band room or you may contact **Karen Pavao: 706-769-5556, kpavao@clubproperties.com.**

We Need You!

Band Camp Volunteers: July 19-23

Parents are needed for both morning and afternoon shifts during band camp. Please get involved! It's FUN!

Contact **Charles Adams** at **706-769-7181** or **rebeccharl@aol.com.**

Volunteer Sign Up



During registration and there will be volunteer sign-up sheets for the concession stand, bus chaperones, and committees. This is a great opportunity to ask questions and get information. This year we have 5 home football games which mean 5 concession stand opportunities to raise the funds needed to support our great band program. For each game we need approximately **30 band parent volunteers.**

We have a great time working together in the concession stand! Please sign up to help! There is a place for everyone! Call or e-mail **Guy Johnson: gjohnson0557@bellsouth.net, 706-769-1546.**

Marching Band Uniform

Band jackets will be given out during band camp with instructions on how to care for them throughout the season. Marching Band students are responsible for purchasing shoes and bib-style pants. Orders for shoes and bib pants will be taken during band camp. For questions about the uniform, contact: **Linda Schroeder: 706-769-6220.**



Band Parents Shirts

See attached order form. Please use one order form per shirt ordered. More forms will be available at Registration. Call or e-mail **Rebecca Ballard: 706-202-8716, rballard@athenslibrary.org** for more information. Deadline to order: July 26th

Check Us Out!

<http://www.ochsband.com>



This site has the most current, up-to-date information as well as pictures and links!

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