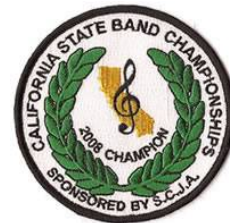




NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER 2009



Musically Yours

Message from our Band Director

One week down, one to go.

We have just completed the first week of band camp. The time went by quickly. This year's band looks very good and they are working hard at learning their music and drill. We have finished teaching the drill to the first song and the musicians have learned the first half of our march. Between our student leaders and our staff we are getting a lot accomplished at a high level of performance.

Looking ahead to when school starts, our regular marching band schedule is: Mon - Wed morning zero period (6:30 - 7:25AM), Monday after school 2:30 - 4:30PM, and Wednesday night 6 - 8:30PM. Most Saturdays have some type of marching band activity - check the calendar for details.

As we prepare for the busy fall season please stay on top of our schedule, your financial commitment, and your schoolwork. We have an ongoing SCRIP program that is a great fund raiser and well as many other opportunities to raise funds. Don't forget about trying to get sponsors for band and the March-a-Thon going on during band camp (you can always collect this money later).

Lastly, our trip this year is to San Diego to participate in the Holiday Bowl festivities. This will be the third time we have gone on this trip. It is a great trip, close enough that families not going on the entire trip, can come down for a day to watch the parade or go to the college football game (pre-sale tickets required). I encourage every family to work really hard to send their student on this trip. It is a memory that will last a lifetime.

See you soon at a performance,

Musically yours,

Mr. B

Things to Remember:

Mandatory Parent Meeting On September 8th @ 7:00pm

Zero Period starts the first day of school (6:30-7:25am)

Zero Periods will be on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday every week from 6:30am to 7:25am starting on the first week of school.

Every Monday there will be practice after school from 2:30pm to 4:30pm.

We will be having a Wednesday Night practice every week also from 6:00pm to 8:30pm. We will announce the location when we get the information.

Key dates in September:



August 28 End of Band Camp
Dinner & Performance

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

September 2 Wednesday night Practice- place to be announced

September 4 Football Away @ Ayala

September 7 Labor Day/ No School

September 8 Mandatory Booster Meeting @
7:00pm

September 10 Home football vs Franklin

September 12 SCSBOA Clinic/ DM, CG Capt. Only

September 13 SCJA Demonstration clinic 2-3 pm

September 18 Home Football vs Chino (MILK CAN
Game)

September 19 Duarte Parade

September 25 Home Football vs Oak Park

September 26 MB Practice 8am- 3pm

October 2 Football Away at Jurupa Valley

October 3 Don Lugo's 1st Annual Field Show

PLEASE CHECK THE WEBSITE FOR UPDATES!!

www.donlugobandboosters.com

Color Guard Corner

We are very excited about the upcoming field show season. The guard members have been working very hard learning their drill. Don Lugo will host the first field show of the season on Saturday, October 3. Mark it on your calendar so you can come and support our band and guard.

Sheila Twaddell
Colorguard Rep

**DON'T FORGET TO USE SCRIP
ALL YEAR LONG.**

**Make sure to check the website for
updates and up coming events!**

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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.**

**Please turn in your March A Thon
money Friday August 28.**

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**

Fundraisers

We will be having a fundraiser starting on October 2 through October 16. We will be selling sports cups; a portion of the money made will go towards fair share.