

Century Band Boosters  
Parent Meeting  
9/22/2020

- **Virtual marching band**

Virtual marching band has been going well. The students will start having more assignments so that we can start putting the video together. Soon, we will be putting together a team to sew green face masks and use a green screen effect to change the look of them. We would like to get pictures of kids from other bands to make cardboard cutouts to put in the stands as an “audience”. We want some pictures of our parents too so that we can have a “band boosters section”. If you would like your picture to be included, please send in photos to Madeline ([media@centuryband.org](mailto:media@centuryband.org)). Please include in your email either the student’s name or that it is a Band Booster picture. We want to do some drone photography too as part of the video. We will need to put together a team to build a wall and paint it to use as a background for some shots.

The colorguard will start learning some choreography this week. They are doing a great job so far!

To turn in videos, please send them to [video@centuryband.org](mailto:video@centuryband.org). If they are too large to email directly, you can also upload them to your google drive and email a link.

- **Pictures**

Students: Mr Dunlop would like a picture of every student participating in marching band (including 8th graders) to go on the wall of his office. It is listed as an assignment in the marching band google classroom. Please check to make sure that you have sent one. Pictures should be upper body and head only, not a full body shot, vertical, no extra filters. They should be sent to [media@centuryband.org](mailto:media@centuryband.org). Please include the student’s name with the photo.

Parents: We would also like some pictures of parents to make into cardboard cutouts to go in the seats at the stadium when we are filming for the video. It should also be a vertical headshot, not a full body photo. Please wear any century band shirt (band attire or and old show shirt). There should be one person per photo and please include “Band Booster photo” in the email to [media@centuryband.org](mailto:media@centuryband.org).

- **Communication**

We will send all important communication out through the secretary by email.

All of the students’ assignments for the marching band video are on a separate google classroom, not in with their assignments for classes. There are also links and instructions on the “members only” section of the website.

We are also sharing updates on the website, band app (mostly birthdays and fun stuff for the students. You can join here: <https://band.us/n/a7a540keT3C6k>), and Team Dunlop (closed FB page for students and parents, usually used to share pictures and non-official communication among parents and students. Request to join for access) .

If students have questions, they can always start by asking their section leaders, email the secretary ([secretary@centuryband.org](mailto:secretary@centuryband.org)), or Mr Dunlop ([dunlopj@hsd.k12.or.us](mailto:dunlopj@hsd.k12.or.us))

- **Student forms**

Please fill out a student information form for each of your band students. This includes marching and non-marching band students. This will help me update our contact information and let me put students into groups so that I can send information to the right parents/students. There is a link to the form here:

[Student information form](#)

- **Apparel**

The design for the show shirts is done and they are being printed. All marching students will receive a shirt. The payment for this is covered by the fair share. We are working on putting up something on the website to order extras or sweatshirts. We are also looking into a way to order the Century Band attire that we usually offer.

We are in the process of ordering Century masks for students that are designed to use with their instruments. They will use them for a little of the video and can also use them when we get to go back to school in person. Bell covers for the brass players are also being ordered.

- **Fundraising**

- Old Spaghetti Factory

Our first fundraiser of the year will be Monday-Wed, all day, Sept 28-30. The fundraiser applies to takeout only and it needs to be ordered online through the OSF website. Please use the coupon code "Ignite". Invite your friends.

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- Can drives

We are trying to get more clarity from school about what we can do on campus as far as sorting the cans and having students and families there to help there when we collect them. The next date is on the calendar (10/17).

We are also working with Mod Pizza to find a date and trying to work out fall pie sales.

- **Treasurer report**

We have been getting lots of payments through the website and in the mail. If you have sent a payment that isn't posted to your CHARMS account, please let Monica know.

- **Lessons**

The band boosters are paying for students to take lessons from college students during the semesters that they have a band class on their schedule. Many of the college students who have agreed to help out are Century band alum. Percussion students have adult staff that they can take lessons through and the boosters will cover them as well. If you would like to pay on your own, that would be great and would help us use the fund to cover students who can not afford lessons. The boosters will cover 5 lessons per student. If you want more, you can work it out for the college students. You will not get billed for the lessons but if you want to contribute to help cover them, that would be great. You can do that through a donation to the boosters club. We want to make sure that everyone has an opportunity to take some lessons and not have to worry about the cost.

- **Volunteer Coordinator**

- We will need people to help sew green face masks for all of the marching band students. Monica is working on getting fabric.
- We will need help to build a 12x8 ft wall and paint it.
- We also need a drone pilot to help us take some video.
- Some props need repairs. We would like to get at least 2 of the triangles from last year working again.

Please email Vanessa if you are able to help with any of these things (centurybandvolunteers@gmail.com)

Please enter your volunteer hours into CHARMS so that we can report them to the school. If you are not sure how, please ask.

- **Miscellaneous**

Thank you to the boosters for helping us do something cool during Covid that the kids can be proud of! We would rather be doing this in person as usual but we are trying our best to do something productive to keep the kids playing. Thank you to the boosters for helping us make that happen!

If you know any celebrities who might be willing to have a cameo in our video, ask them for us. Dunlop will put together a letter with details of what we would like for them to do.