2018-2019 LS Marching Band Parent Meeting

August 6, 2018

LS Marching Band Boosters

Who are we?:

Co-President: Ilse Medlock- <u>imedlock@comcast.net</u> Co-President: Danielle Groff- <u>groffdanielle@yahoo.com</u> Vice President: Julie Kirchner- <u>sjkirchnerfam@aol.com</u> Treasurer: Jill Emmert- <u>imemmert@comcast.net</u> Secretary: Chantelle Delaney- <u>c.delaney@comcast.net</u>

LS Marching Band Booster Email: Ismbboosters@gmail.com

We represent & support color guard and instrumentalists during performances at football games, festivals and parades.

Our Season

- August 6-10th Band Camp
- August 23 and every Thursday- After school rehearsals 6:30-9pm
- 10 Football Games- Please keep Fridays through Nov free for possible play offs
- Marching Band Coalitions Festivals:
 - Sept 22, 2018 Lancaster Catholic Festival #1
 - Oct 13, 2018 Springfield High School Festival #2
 - Oct 27, 2018 McCaskey High School Festival #3
- Lampeter Fair Performance- Sept 27, 2018
- Strasburg Halloween Parade- Oct 25, 2018
- Recognition Night- Nov 20, 2018

Trivia Time

Freshmen Moms

What food product was the audience encouraged to shout out in the middle of the 2016 marching band show Pioneer Spirit?



Trivia Time

Freshmen Dads

What American rock band had a song featured in our marching band's 2015 show (hint: it had a sailing theme)?



LS Marching Band Expenses

Student Activity Fees: Marching band is a club activity: \$35 per student; may not exceed \$150 per family, or \$50 per student, per school year. Checks made payable to Lampeter-Strasburg School District Can be paid online

Footwear- "Dinkles" : Required black marching shoes that are comfortable & durable New Shoe fitting this week during Band Camp

Cost: New \$30 Used Dinkles available for \$5 through Boosters

Meal Plan

Contact: Dana Burig dana.burig@comcast.net

Each year the LSMB members have an option to purchase a meal plan that will cover three separate dates throughout the season. This option is given to make it easier for the member and their families due to practices prior to the event. Meal plans must be purchased in advance and cannot be purchased individually on day of the event. The following are the dates and meals provided.

Meal #1- Friday, August 31st Baked Spaghetti

Meal #2- Saturday, September 22nd Soft/Hard Tacos Meal #3- Saturday, October 13th <u>Cold bagged meal</u>: choice of turkey or ham sandwich

Cost for all three meals: \$ 21.00 Checks made payable to L-SMB. Money due by Friday 8/10.

Fundraisers- Tag Day Saturday 8/25

Tag Day is our primary fundraiser for marching band. Contact: Alison Leaman-alisonmleaman@gmail.com

Everyone is needed: Color Guard, Instrumentalists and Parents. Start at 8:00 AM-2:00 PM (approximately) Bring bagged lunch or snack to eat in car and bottle water. Not stopping for lunch Sign up on Sign Up Genius to drive. 25 Drivers needed. Team of 4 students per parent driver. May have son/daughter accompany you or not.

Pool party with pizza dinner at Strasburg Pool later that night.

Volunteer Opportunities

Lampeter Fair Burger Stand: Fundraising for Friends of Music during fair week. Need volunteers to run the stand. Watch for Sign Up Genius and more info later.

Contacts: Damond Holsinger & Nick Ferretti

Pit Crew Members Needed: Need as many people as possible that will allow the trucks and equipment to get loaded as safely and quickly as possible!
All instruments must have name tags! Luggage tags preferred but any will do.
Instruments get color coded the first time loaded to help with efficiency and quickness
Pit Crew has fun but gets the job done!
Primary Contact: Bill Vinette: 717-333-7856

Additional Lead Crew: Dan McFalls and Jim Chartreau (And many others)

Chaperones

Contact: Amy Sue Diehl- asue88@iglide.net

This year we will have 3 buses. We will need 2 chaperones per bus for a total of 6 per game. If you chaperone, you can also double as pit crew help. You can sign up for each game or any games that you are able to attend.

Be on the look out for a Sign Up Genius.

Amy Sue and Brad Diehl are also responsible for the website. Ismarchingband.org

Additional Needs

- For the 19-20 school year, we have openings. We have had a couple already volunteer. We would like the volunteers to work with the current members to learn as much as possible:
 - Vice President- Kathy Zaepfel has volunteered, current Julie Kirchner
 - Treasurer- Cathy Powell has volunteered, Current Jill Emmert
 - Secretary- Still Open, Current Chantelle Delaney

Please let us know if you are interested.

Communications

You should receive communications from Mr. Royer outlining the week's practice schedule and events ahead.

Remind.com is also used to send brief text alert. There is one for Pit Crew as well.

Boosters will communicate via email as well as, we now have a Facebook page. Boosters email is: <u>Ismbboosters@gmail.com</u> Facebook page is LS Marching Band Boosters (If you have not received the prior emails, send a message to us and we'll add you.)

Merchandise

Show your support for the marching band by purchasing a show shirt or other band products.

https://sv-sports.tuosystems.com/stores/lsmbs18

Delievery should be about 2 weeks after store closes so we are anticipating early Sept.

Questions??

If you think of anything after the meeting, please do not hesitate to reach out to any of us!

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