

WESTERVILLE CENTRAL MUSIC BOOSTERS



Objectives: Promote all things related to music at Westerville Central High School!

What do Boosters do for Marching Band? We pay for and provide:

- Equipment: Repairs, parts, practice needs, sound system, generator, guard equipment
- Meals: Provide meals for our band students and staff (band camp dinners, football night dinners, etc.)
- Fun Activities: Past years included a DCI trip, bowling party, ice cream social, pool party, end of year bandquet
- Community Outreach: Scholarships, Alumni and 8th grade welcoming, Senior night, 3rd Qtr Cookies
- Experiences: Funding for staff, music licenses, transportation, and trips
- Transportation: Band truck, trailer, driving, fueling, repairing
- Uniforms: Performance uniforms, raincoats, show shirts
- Support ALL music programs at Central – choir, jazz central, concert/symphonic bands, jazz band
- Cheer on and support our kids to help make marching band a fantastic experience!!!

How do we do it?

1. Funding:

- We spend approximately \$650 per marching band student, but we only charge \$250 per student in fees
 - Our students are funded primarily by the following categories:
 - Visitor Concession Stand at varsity football games
 - Fundraising EVENTS (Santa Breakfast, car washes, restaurant nights)
 - Sponsorships
 - Fundraising Sales (Rada, Otis Spunkmeyer cookie dough, candy bars)
 - Donations (you can allocate your United Way donation to US, or employer match for volunteers)
 - Kroger Rewards
 - Fees
- **PLEASE don't let fee payment be an issue. We encourage you to contact Mr. Porretta or a Music Booster officer with any financial concerns or to discuss special payment arrangements.**

2. Volunteering

- Ideally, every student would have at least one adult actively engaged
- There are MANY, MANY different ways to get involved
- We need Level 1 & Level 2 Volunteers - See form on website, no fee to complete this.
You need to be a Level 2 Volunteer for unsupervised access.

3. Communication:

Email us: warhawkbmb@gmail.com

Website: www.wcmbmusic.org

Facebook: Check us out at www.facebook.com/WCMBBoosters and www.facebook.com/WCHSMB

Sign Up Genius: We'll send an email from this to ask for help with specific areas and needs. Please take the opportunity to sign up and volunteer.

Photos: We're working on this!

Booster Meetings: We meet the 2nd Monday of each month

Google Calendar: Sync to your phone so you can see the calendar. Can be found on our website.

2023-24 WCMB Officers

President – Stephanie Labbe (warhawkbmb@gmail.com, 614.561.9742)

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Secretary – Keona Drakeford (keona.drakeford@gmail.com, 631.404.7920)