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WELCOME TO

2016-2017

EL DORADO BAND & COLORGUARD

Registration

All participating **Band & Color Guard Students** are responsible for turning in Band/Color Guard Registration Materials. ALL Registration forms are located on the Band & Color Guard Website

www.eldoradoband.com

- Please go to the above website, download the forms, and fill them out completely
- All Forms / Fair Share Contributions are DUE on Monday, August 15th
- Registration opens at 7AM outside the band room

OR you may bring Completed Registration Materials and Fair Share Contributions to the Band Room Black Box as early as August 8th if you will be on campus. By doing so, you will avoid long registration lines on the morning of August 15th.

THE DISTRICT LIABILITY POLICY REQUIRES THAT EACH STUDENT RECEIVE A PRE-PARTICIPATION PHYSICAL AND COMPLETE ALL FORMS BEFORE HE OR SHE WILL BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN FIELD ACTIVITIES. THIS POLICY WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED THIS YEAR.

Fair Share Contribution

The El Dorado Band & Color Guard Program offers a wide variety of competitive performance activities for the students that extend far beyond the basic high school music course curriculum.

El Dorado's Band & Color Guard is a comprehensive competitive program that includes the Parade Unit, the Field Show Unit, the Concert Bands, the Winter Drumline, the Winterguard and the Jazz Bands.

Each of these activities are competitive teams, and the costs incurred in providing these opportunities for our students are **NOT subsidized by the Placentia Yorba Linda School District**. Therefore, there is a need for contributions from each student's family, otherwise these programs are at great risk of being scaled back.

Some examples of program costs incurred include: Salaries for additional Instructors, Transportation, Competition Fees, Show Design, Uniforms, Insurance, Food for students at competitions, and Student Awards.

The Band & Color Guard program organizes many group fundraising activities to keep the need for student Fair Share Contributions as low as possible.

The Fair Share Contribution needed per student this year, to provide the necessary level of services and support to the Band and Color Guard Program, is \$550.

If your student participates in the Color Guard/Winterguard, Winter Drumline, or Jazz Bands, there will be need for additional contributions to support these activities.

We appreciate your understanding and commitment to keep these activities available to the students at El Dorado. Your support through your fair share contribution keeps the Booster Program financially viable, and able to support the ongoing history of program excellence at El Dorado.

We ask for your contribution to be made **by the start of Band Camp on Monday, Aug 15, 2016.**

Some of our families find it easier on their budgets to make weekly or monthly contributions via their bank's bill paying program during the summer. We welcome this idea and contributions can be made:

- **By mail:** to P.O. Box 643, Placentia, CA, 92871-0643
- **Brought to the band room Black Box**
- **By PayPal or direct bank transfers**

For information regarding these options please contact treas@eldoradoband.com.



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 P.O. BOX 643
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Band & Color Guard Camp Schedule: Attendance is MANDATORY

Date	Days	Event	Time	Location
August 8 - 10	M-W	Percussion Camp	8:00 am—12:00 pm	El Dorado
August 11 - 12	Th-F	Percussion Camp	12:00pm – 3:00 pm	El Dorado
August 9	T	Color Guard “Beach Camp”	10:00 am – 2:00 pm	Balboa Beach
August 10 – 12	W-F	Color Guard Camp	8:00 am – 11:00 am	El Dorado
August 11 – 12	Th-F	New Member & Leaders Band Camp <u>(Brass and Winds Only)</u>	8:30 am—12:00 pm	El Dorado
Aug 15—19 Aug 22—26	M-F	<u>Band Camp</u> <u>(Brass, Winds and Percussion)</u>	8:00 am—11:30 am 1:00 pm—4:00 pm 6:00 pm– 8:00 pm*	El Dorado *Most days
Aug 15—19 Aug 22—26	M-F	<u>Band Camp</u> <u>(Color Guard)</u>	9:00 am—1:00 pm 3:00 pm– 6:00 pm	El Dorado
August 25	Th	Parent Preview Performance <u>(All students are performing)</u>	7:00 pm– 8:00 pm	El Dorado
August 26	F	Last Day of Camp Pool Party/ BBQ	1:00 pm—4:00 pm	El Dorado

REMEMBER! Eat a good Breakfast & Bring: Water, Sunscreen, Hat, Closed Toed Shoes and Snacks