**Land of Band and Color Guard**

**A Busy Week Before Winter Break**

**We have a hectic week ahead of us as we head into Winter Break. This week’s events include the Band and Orchestra Holiday Concert and our Jazz Breakfast. We are looking forward to performing more holiday tunes during this holiday season!**

**Thank you to those students and parents who have already worked the Holiday Wrap Booth this past weekend!**

**Please continue to read through the LBCG for details!**

**Upcoming Events (not including weekly rehearsals)**

**December 18 – Holiday Band and Orchestra Concert**

* **Concert Time – 7p**

**December 20 – Jazz Breakfast**

* **Performance begins – 6:45a**

**January 8 - Booster Meeting

January 9 – Disneyland**

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**Band and Orchestra Holiday Concert**

**Please join us on Tuesday, December 18th for our annual Holiday Concert in the PYLUSD Performing Arts Center. The band has made a smooth transition from Marching Band to Concert Band and we are looking forward to performing more holiday classics for you! Please bring friends and family!**

**General Admission - $5**

**All proceeds benefit the EDHS Band Program**

**Attention: Students**

**Due to PAC logistics, we cannot setup during 1st period. Please be aware of the following call times.**

**All Percussion: 5:15p move instruments to PAC**

**Symphonic Band Winds: 5:30p, on PAC stage at 5:45p**

**Wind Ensemble Winds: 6pm, Band Room warm-up, 6:30p PAC**

**Concert Attire: “Concert Black”**

**Boys: All black slacks, button down shirt, dress shoes, belt. Bright colored or holiday tie and holiday socks.**

**Girls: Same as the boys OR all black blouse, dress pants, skirt, nice shoes OR a black dress. If you wear a dress or skirt, it must be of modest length (past your knees when sitting down).**

**General rule: Look classy!\***

**If you do not meet our expectations, you will be sent home to change.**

**\*If you have any questions, PLEASE ASK!!**

**Ask a section leader, returning member, or a your band director!**

**We have done this before.**

**Lastly… Don’t be this student.**

**Random student - “Do we have 0 period on Wednesday?”**

**Samson - “YES!”**

**Random Student - “But Why?”**

**Samson – “Because we have a performance at Disneyland right when we get back from break. Do you not want to go to Disneyland and have a great performance when we get back from break?”**

**Random Student – “See you 0 period on Wednesday.”**

**Samson – “Thank you. If you are not in Jazz, you will have 0 period off on Thursday.”**

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**Jazz Breakfast**

**On Thursday morning, the Jazz Program puts on their annual “Holiday Jazz Breakfast” for the EDHS Staff, PYLUSD Administration, and District Friends and supporters. Many district folks look forward to this annual event and it is the best morning of the year.**

**Students**

**Call Time 6:15am**

**Students: The Theater will be open for you to warm-up. Please use that space to warm-up and then report to the band room with the your jazz band at the following times.**

**Jazz 3 – 6:40a**

**Jazz 2 – 6:55a**

**Jazz 1 – 7:10a**

**Jazz B-Fast Attire – Ugly Sweaters, holiday socks, black slacks and black shoes. Yes, you can wear holiday hats.**

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**Disneyland**

**January 9th, 2019**

**On the Wednesday we return from break, we will be heading to Disneyland to partake in the Community Arts Showcase program. As of now, we have an early-afternoon performance time. However, I will be calling this week to confirm logistics with a Disney Arts Representative.**

**Students, please take time to review your parade march, “The Loyal Legion”. We will be performing it at Disneyland.**

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**Lost and Found**

**The “Lost and Found” Box is FULL.**

**If you are missing a jacket, beanie, hoodie, sweatpants, shirt, water bottle, sunglasses, hat, ear buds, dot book, sunblock, a sock, BAND POLO, towel, a science textbook, notes from your 5th period class, a swimming paddle board, etc…. please check the “Lost and Found” box before it is either donated to Goodwill or thrown away.**

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**Here’s What’s Up for This Week**

**Monday**

**0 period - INCLUDING ALL PERCUSSION MEMBERS**

**Wind Ensemble (Juniors and Seniors) – Band Room**

**Symphonic Band (Freshmen and Sophomores) – Theater**

**Winter Guard – Gym**

**Tuesday**

**0 period**

**Wind Ensemble – PAC**

**Symphonic Band– Band Room**

**Winter Guard – Gym**

**Wednesday**

**0 period**

**All Band – Band Room, set-up for Parade Music Rehearsal**

**Winter Guard – Gym**

**Thursday**

**0 period**

**Jazz Breakfast – Jazz Students only**

**Non-jazz Students, no 0 period**

**Winter Guard – Gym**

**Friday**

**0 period**

**All Band – Band Room**

**Winter Guard – Gym**

Thanks,
Samson

**PERCUSSION HAS ZERO PERIOD TOMORROW,
MONDAY DECEMBER 16TH**

**Ways and Means Holiday Help Needed!**

Please turn in tickets for raffle (sold or unsold) to the black box no later than Monday to ensure inclusion in the raffle drawings at the Concert. Winners need not be present to win! We do need some ticket sellers prior to the concert! . Extra sales of tickets will go to support the entire music program and will begin at 6 pm. Please email or text - Brenda Emrick (see info below)

Holiday Concert Raffle Prize Baskets Creation night is Monday, December 17 at 7 pm. Your creative talents and some spare hands are needed to make our gift baskets beautiful.  All the supplies are prepped!  Last year, we were done in less than an hour! Brenda  E - 714-906-5248  - 1725 Santee River St.

We still need some help and a few items for the Cocoa and Coffee Bar we will host prior to the concert. Set up begins at 530 and sales begin at 6 pm. We will conclude sales prior to the concert so that all can enjoy. Any leftover goodies will be packaged for quick sales at the end of the concert. Stop by early for some band parent/family time (and maybe some last minute raffle tickets) and enjoy some winter delights before the performance!
[Holiday Concert Signups](https://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=5dcca652b2&e=7dc0227750)

HOLIDAY CONCERT TICKETS
Concert tickets are $5 - cash or check only.  PayPal is currently unavailable.  Our swipe machine account is currently locked and until we figure out why and how to unlock it, it won't process cards.  Thanks for being prepared to pay for your tickets.

WRAP BOOTH
We continue to need parent and or grandparents to support our members at the Wrap Booth at Walmart through the 24th. Your help is needed to oversee the wrap area, support members with some tough wrap requests and to keep the members safe. They earn community service hours and you can help support our amazing program by sharing your time. Please see the Signup Genius for available dates and times. Contact Brenda Emrick, brenda634@sbcglobal.net, if you have questions.

[Wrap Booth Signup](https://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=e090c5bfec&e=7dc0227750)

Please remind your band member that their politeness (less use of phone/texting while working), smiling enthusiasm and school spirit is how we can all make this a successful fundraiser for EDHS.

**HAWAII, DRUMLINE AND FINANCE UPDATE**

\*\*CHARMS may not be up-to-date.  Some accounts have payments that have been processed, but are not yet input.  It will be updated over the next few weeks.  In the meantime, if you have any questions about your account, please email finance at finance@eldoradoband.com

**HAWAII – PAYMENT WAS DUE**

There was a payment due last Tuesday, Dec. 4th.  If you are keeping schedule with the noted payments, it was $400.  ($412 via PayPal).  If you are behind, please note that every account should now be at $1,400.  Please pay accordingly to bring your account up to at least this amount.   Another payment will be due as soon as the students return to school after winter break.

**WINTER DRUMLINE:**

**Uniform Fees are now due.  Please submit the $220 payment as soon as possible.**

Thank you to those who donated for our holiday basket.  We will have a basket for the drawing at Tuesday's concert.  Thank you, also, to those who have donated for the food/snack fund.  If you would still like to donate to that, just place your donation in the black box marked for drumline food / snacks.

Please email finance@eldoradoband.com with any questions or concerns.

**GREEN BAND COMING OVER WINTER BREAK -
HOSPITALITY NEEDED!!**

Host an Exchange Student from the Japanese Green Band! This is a great opportunity for your students and your family. Please see the flyer in the link. An application and list of dates is linked as well.

[Green Band Flyer](https://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=8ef65b726f&e=7dc0227750)
[Green Band Application](https://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=64ffdbb275&e=7dc0227750)
[Green Band Itinerary](https://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=37b7a5ff60&e=7dc0227750)

**Let's Go Hawks!**