**Land of Band and Color Guard**  
   
**March Madness Continues**  
   
The craziness continues this week with our Pre-Festival Concert, Percussion Family Night, a Jazz Festival, and Winter Percussion/Guard competitions! Please check out the information below!  
   
Please check out the “Here’s What’s Up for This Week”  
   
We will have to be flexible with our 0 period to accommodate our performances and ensembles.   
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**Congratulations!**  
   
**Jazz Bands**  
   
The Jazz Bands had 6 total performances at the Aztec Jazz Festival at Esperanza HS over the weekend. The Jazz Bands had great performances and the Combos performed well for their first outing. We received great comments and feedback for us to use as we continue to improve.  
   
It was great seeing so many parents, family members, and friends in the audience at our performances. Thank you for your support!  
   
   
**Weekend Scoreboard**  
   
Jazz 1: Unanimous Superior Rating, 4th place - Heavy Division  
Jazz 2: Superior Rating, 3rd place - Advanced Division  
Jazz 3: Superior Rating, 3rd place - Intermediate Division  
Jazz Combo 1: Excellent Rating, 6th place – Advanced Division  
Jazz Combo 2: Excellent Rating, 9th place – Intermediate Division  
Jazz Combo 3: Excellent Rating, 7th place – Intermediate Division  
   
   
**Winter Guard**  
   
Both Winter Guards competed at the WGASC Show hosted by Valencia High School on Saturday and performed to a “Home Crowd”. It was great to see so many Hawk Fans in the audience.  
   
And, as a Kraemer Color Guard Dad, thank you to both ElDo Winter Guards for going early to watch the Kraemer MS Winter Guard. You created a great memory for the entire team!  
**Weekend Scoreboard**  
   
JV Winter Guard: 67.57, 5th place – Scholastic AAA Class  
Varsity Winter Guard: 77.1, 1st place – Scholastic World Class  
   
   
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**This Week!**  
   
**Tuesday**  
**Pre-Festival Concert**  
Performing Arts Center  
   
On Tuesday evening, we will be performing in our Pre-Festival Concert. We will have two adjudicators listen to each of our groups and provide feedback as we prepare for festival. Please check out the table below for your responsibility for the evening.  
   
The concert begins with our Orchestra Program at 6:30p. Parents and families are free to attend all or any portion of the concert. This concert is for educational purposes, not necessarily entertainment purposes. However, I’m sure you will enjoy the music that our ensembles have prepared so far!  
   
Orchestra – 6:30p  
Sinfonia – 7:00p  
Concert Band – 7:30p  
Symphonic Band – 8:00p  
Wind Ensemble – 8:30p  
   
**All Band students are required to watch two ensembles perform.**

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|  | **Concert Band** | **Symphonic Band** | **Wind Ensemble** |
| **7:00p** | Warm-up in Band Room | Sitting in PAC | Sitting in PAC |
| **7:30p** | Performance | Warm-up in Band Room | Sitting in PAC |
| **8:00p** | Sitting in PAC | Performance | Warm-up in Band Room |
| **8:30p** | Sitting in PAC | Sitting in PAC | Performance |

**Concert Attire**  
All Black – Slacks, shirt, socks, shoes, etc.  
   
**Friday**  
  
**Winter Percussion Family Night**  
**Raya Gymnasium**  
   
   
Please join us this Friday evening, March 15th at 7:00 pm for an open-house style presentation of this year’s EDHS Winter Percussion Show: Viral!   
Enjoy the opportunity to see the group’s practice session including set-up, practice and a full dress rehearsal.   
   
Afterward, enjoy some cookies and drinks and the opportunity for incoming band families to talk with current EDHS drumline families about being part of EDHS Winter Drumline.  
   
Hope to see you there!  
   
**Saturday**  
   
**Jazz Bands and Combos**  
   
**Irvine Jazz Festival**  
   
This weekend, our Jazz Bands and Combos perform at the Irvine Jazz Festival at Irvine High School.  
Please see the information below.  
   
Irvine High School  
4321 Walnut Ave.  
Irvine, CA 92604

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| Band | Call Time by Check-In | Warm-Up | Performance | Clinic |
| Jazz 2 | 7:00a | 7:30a a | 8:00a Theater | 8:30a |
| Jazz 3 | 9:50a | 10:20a | 10:55a Gym | Immediately after perf. |
| Combo 2 | 11:00a | 11:30a | 12:00p SLG | Immediately after perf. |
| Combo 3 | 12:30p | 1:00p | 1:30p SLG | Immediately after perf. |
| Jazz 1 | 1:30p | 2:00p | 2:30p Theater | 3:00p Clinic |
| Combo 1 | 3:00p In J1 Clinic | 3:30p | 3:30p Drama Room | Immediately after perf. |

**Sunday**  
   
**Winter Guard**  
   
This Sunday, the JV Winter Guard competes at a WGASC Show hosted by Warren High School.  
   
Warren High School  
8141 De Palma St.  
Downey, 90241  
   
**Performance Time**  
JV Winter Guard – 12:57p  
   
   
**Winter Percussion**  
   
This Sunday, our Winter Percussion Ensemble competes at a SCPA Competition at Colony High School.  
   
Colony High School  
3850 E. Riverside Dr.  
Ontario, CA 91761  
   
**Performance Time**  
Winter Percussion – 2:37p  
   
   
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**Upcoming Events**  
**(not including weekly rehearsals)**  
Performance times will be updated as they are confirmed.  
Performance time does not include call time, set-up time, etc.

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| **Date** | **Ensemble** | **Event** | **Location** | **Perf. Time** |
| March 12 | All Concert Bands | Pre-Fest Concert | PAC | 7:30p-9p |
| March 16 | Jazz Bands/Combos | Irvine Jazz Fest | Irvine HS | See table above |
| March 17 | Winter Percussion | SCPA Show | Colony HS | 2:37p |
| March 17 | JV Guard | WGASC Show | Warren HS | 12:57p |
| March 23-24 | Winter Percussion | WGI Power Reg | CSU San Bernardino |  |
| March 23-24 | Varsity Guard | WGI West Reg | UNLV |  |
| March 26-27 | Everyone | District Music Fest | PAC |  |
| March 28 | Both Winter Guards | District WG Show | Raya Gym | 7p-9p |
| March 30 | Winter Percussion | SCPA Prelims | CSU San Bernardino |  |
| March 30 | Both Winter Guards | WGASC Show | Rancho Cuc HS |  |
| April 6 | Winter Percussion | SCPA Finals | Citizens Band Arena |  |
| April 2-7 | Varsity Guard | WGI World Champ | Dayton, Ohio |  |
| April 9 | Boosters | Booster Meeting | EDHS | 7:30p |
| April 13-14 | Both Winter Guards | WGASC Champs | Various Locations |  |
| April 14-19 | Hawaii Tourists | Hawaii Tour | Honolulu, Hawaii |  |
| April 23 | Jazz 1 and 2 | Road to Reno Con | PAC | 6:30p-9p |
| April 25-28 | Jazz 1 and 2 | Reno Jazz Fest | Reno, NV |  |
| April 30 | Concert/Jazz Bands | Area Night | Valencia HS |  |
| May 13 | 2019 Marching Band | Fall Member Reh | Band Room | 6p |
| May 14 | Boosters | Booster Meeting | EDHS | 7:30p |
| May 31 | All Jazz Bands | JMC | PAC | 7p |
| June 4 | Concert Bands | Spring Concert | PAC | 7p |
| June 7 | Everyone | Band Banquet | Phoenix Club | 6p |
| June 12 | Jazz 2 | Graduation Gig | Bradford Stadium |  |

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**Here’s What’s Up for This Week**  
   
**Monday**  
Wind Ensemble, Band Room – Normal time  
Symphonic Band, Theater  
Concert Band, Band Room – 7:30a  
Guard in gym  
 

**Tuesday**  
0 period  
Wind Ensemble – Band Room  
Symphonic Band, Theater  
Concert Band, ASB Room  
Guard in gym  
   
Evening: Pre-Festival Concert  
   
**Wednesday**  
No Zero Period  
   
**Thursday**  
Wind Ensemble, Theater  
Symphonic Band, Band Room  
Concert Band, ASB Room  
Guard in gym  
   
**Friday**  
Wind Ensemble, Band Room  
Symphonic Band, Theater  
Concert Band, ASB Room  
Guard in gym  
   
**Saturday**  
Jazz at Irvine HS  
   
**Sunday**  
Winter Guard at Warren HS  
Winter Percussion at Colony HS  
  
Thanks,   
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**EDHS DRUMLINE SHOWCASE, THIS FRIDAY!!**  
  
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**SEES CANDY FUNDRAISER UNDERWAY NOW!**  
   
**Forms are below, and your student can also  
get them in the Band Room!**  
   
All proceeds go to the student's account!  
  
[Items for Sale](https://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=d2318a9540&e=7dc0227750)

[Order Form](https://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=018a8e41a0&e=7dc0227750)

**SPRING FUNDRAISERS!!**

**See's Candy** sales begin in early March- delivery before Hawaii Trip  
  
**SAVE THE DATE**: Gift Card Quartermania -  
June 1, 10-11:30  
at the Backs Building  
- Kraemer Park -  
  
[Quartermania Flyer](https://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=4d696afd9c&e=7dc0227750)  
  
Gift cards in any denomination now being accepted in the Black Box.   
**Ticket sales will begin on March 1st!**  
  
Please click [here](https://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=ed7c65ee38&e=7dc0227750) for information about our other Spring Fundraising opportunities.  And as always, thank you for your support!

**Let's Go Hawks!**