**Land of Band and Color Guard**

**Middle School Night**

Thank you for being great hosts to Tuffree and Yorba Linda Middle School’s Band and Color Guard! The stands were packed and I hope that all of them continue to participate in our activity when they go on to high school!
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**This Weekend…**

**Placentia Parade and Valencia Field Tournament**

Our first competitive weekend is upon us. It will be a great day if we continue to prepare ourselves physically, mentally, and musically!

A detailed **“Call Sheet”** can be found in the Marching Band “Google Classroom”. Please take the time to review it. To access the Google Classroom, please scroll down to find the necessary information.

Here are important details regarding the day…

Call Time #1: **7:45a**, El Dorado HS
Comp Block Competition Time: **11:35a**on Palm Ave.

Call Time #2: **5:45p**, Kraemer MS
Field Show Performance Time: **8:15p**at Bradford Stadium

***Super Important!!!***

Prepare yourself for this event by drinking a lot of water and eating healthy!

Hydrate, hydrate, hydrate…
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**Monday Night Rehearsal**
**6p-9p @ Bradford Stadium on the Valencia HS campus**

We will begin with a Parade Rehearsal.

**Dot Books**
Please have your coordinate sheets for the next chunk of drill.
**We will begin Mvt. 2 Closer drill on Monday.**
**Please be prepared with updated dot books.**
Files for dot cards (coordinate sheets) and thumbnails can be found on my teacher site at[www.edhs.org](http://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage2.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=d97dabbd90&e=7dc0227750) or in google classroom.
If you have any questions on how to make your dot book, ASK YOUR SECTION LEADER!
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**Google Classroom**
As I continue to implement technology into our program, I have decided to use **“Google Classroom”** for all of our band classes. Use the Code below and follow the instructions to Google Classroom. Please use your pylusd email address.
PE Band and Color Guard Class Code: **rgbuo09**
All Jazz Bands Class Code: **jf4abg**

1. Sign in to Classroom at [classroom.google.com](http://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage1.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=aef6efb956&e=7dc0227750).
2. On the Home page, click Add .
3. In the box, enter the code that I gave you and click **Join**.

Files for the field show can be found in the GC.
Jazz Band, you have an assignment.
More information on how we will be using it will be discussed in class.
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**Save the date…** **Disneyland**
**November 29, 2016**
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**Sectionals This Week**

**Attendance for sectionals is MANDATORY. We have instructors for each rehearsal who will help prepare each group during the season. Each section leader will take attendance.**

**Woodwinds: Tuesday, 3p-4:15p**
**Percussion (Full Ensemble): Tuesday, 3p-5p**
**Brass: Wednesday, 3p-4:15p**

**Percussion Sections**
**Snare, Tenor, Tom Sectional: Wednesday, 3-5:30**
**Bass Drums: Thursday, 3-5:30**
**Mallets: Friday, 3-5:30**

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**Remind 101**
**If you haven’t done so already…**
Step 1:  Text your “class code” to **81010**
Step 2: After you respond, you will be asked to provide your full name.  However, if you are a returning member, your name will already be in the system!  Once you respond, you will then be subscribed to future text messages!

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| Class or Section | Class Code |
| Marching Band (all band and CG members) | @eldoband |
| Brass | @eldobrass |
| Woodwinds | @eldoww |
| Percussion | @eldoperc |
| Color Guard | @eldocg |
| Band Council (student leaders only) | @eldoleader |
| Jazz 1 | @eldojazz1 |
| Jazz 2 | @eldojazz2 |
| Jazz 3 | @eldojazz3 |
| Boosters (parents and family) | @eldoboost |
| Band and Color Guard Alumni | @eldoalumni |

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**Here’s what’s up for this week…**

Monday
0 period – Band inside, Guard with staff
Evening – Monday night rehearsal, Parade and Field
Tuesday
0 period – Everyone on Field
Afterschool: Percussion and Woodwinds
Wednesday
0 period – Parade!
Afterschool: Brass and Color Guard
Thursday
0 period – Everyone on Field, Parade and Field
Friday
0 period – Everyone on Field, Parade and Field Show
Saturday
Placentia Parade and Valencia Field Tournament

**COW CHIP BINGO**

Thanks for your support of this important fundraiser!

As of today we are out of compliance with this fundraiser with missing ticket stubs.  The following families still need to return their unsold tickets to the black box tomorrow morning:

Cornelius  Dimmitt  Gunter  Himes
Lewis Madero Matthews Phillips
Pippin Shields Suehiro Verdusco
Zededa

Thank you.

**CHANGES TO SCRIP PROGRAM**

The scrip program deadlines are now on the 1st and 3rd **Mondays** of the month, not Tuesdays.  Tomorrow if the first deadline for October, so get those orders in!

Thank you, Uniform Moms for all your help prior to the game, chaperoning, and organizing the closet. You ladies are the best!!!

Shari

ONGOING FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

Have you re-registered for Ralphs Rewards yet?  Now is the time to do so to ensure accounts are credited properly for this school year!

All Ralph’s shoppers can earn money toward their student’s account every time they shop! Simply sign up for your reward card at [www.Ralphs.com](http://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=bbc533f9cd&e=7dc0227750), and swipe your card with every purchase. At the end of each quarter, send in your earnings statement from your on-line account to the Treasurer (treas@eldoradoband.com), and your earnings will be credited to your student’s account. You can also ask friends and family to link their cards to El Dorado Band & Color Guard and send in their earning statements as well! To ensure that our organization continues to receive the benefits of the Ralphs Rewards program, our supporters will need to register and/or re-register as quickly as possible on or after September 1, 2016.

Participants are required to register for the new term online at [www.ralphs.com](http://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=9079604852&e=7dc0227750) or by using a scanbar letter at the register staring September 1, 2016. Even if youhave registered as recently as June, July or August 2016, you are required to register again beginning September 1, 2016."

SCRIP

UnitedScrip is a program that allows band supporters to purchase gift cards from hundreds of retailers and restaurants including Amazon, Best Buy, iTunes, Arco, Albertsons, Macy’s, Wendy’s, Subway, Target and more. Supporters get to spend 100% of the amount they paid for the gift card. The retailer pays the band a percentage of each gift card sold. The percentage varies from retailer to retailer, but ranges from 1% to 50%. Family and friends can help out by including their order with yours.

Scrip orders and payments are due by 3pm in the black box
on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month.

If you have any questions about the Scrip program, please contact the
Scrip Coordinator at scrip@eldoradoband.com.

Thank you for doing all you can do to help support our kids in the
El Doard Marching Band and Colorguard!

AMAZON SMILE

Attention all Amazon users, even Prime members! Amazon provides a way for you to donate to the El Dorado Band & Colorguard with every Amazon.com purchase you make.

Simply log in to [smile.amazon.com](http://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=4c1de4f8b6&e=7dc0227750) using your normal Amazon log-in account name and password. All your account information will be there, just like your normal Amazon account, and your Amazon Prime benefits work on this website as well. The first time you log-in this way, it will ask you to designate your beneficiary. Select “El Dorado High School Band Boosters” (make sure it’s the one in Placentia, CA, not Texas!), and at the end of your purchase transaction, it will give you the following message confirmation:

Amazon will make a donation to **El Dorado High School Band Boosters Inc**.  To support this charitable organization, always shop at [smile.amazon.com](http://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage2.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=a9e9b1fa28&e=7dc0227750).   Additional information can be found at: [smile.amazon.com/about](http://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=7f76c7978d&e=7dc0227750)

Amazon will give the El Dorado Band Boosters 0.5% of all purchases registered to our group! (This is a general fundraiser; Amazon does not keep track of individual user purchases.)
So please shop at [smile.amazon.com](http://eldoradoband.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a2cf9ba99e9fb137bf4b114ee&id=1b05ff7c46&e=7dc0227750)and support the Band & Colorguard!