

Land of Band and Color Guard

Week of October 15th

Placentia Parade!

We had a great time at the Placentia Heritage Days Parade!

Yes, the parade route was much shorter than in years past. But it was packed! It was so great to see so many former students and boosters along the parade route and we put on a show. Thank you for your hard work to prepare for this event!

We are looking forward to our Senior Night Home Game this Friday, our Camp Day on Saturday, picture day on Oct. 23, and the Bands of America Regional on Oct 28. For more info on the BOA Regional, please check out this document:

[BOA Information](#)

Events For This Week

Friday

Senior Night Football Game

7:00p Gametime vs El Modena HS

“Senior Night”

This is our last regular season of the year so it is “Senior Night”! We will celebrate our Senior Class during halftime by having their names announced as we take the field for halftime. After the halftime show, we invite all parents to join us on the track by the scoreboard for pictures!

Prior to that, we will have our annual “Senior Celebration” with all performers in the Band Room before we leave for the game. We ask that only senior parents and family join us for this event due to the limited space we have in the Band Room.

Football Details

Call Time: 5:00p

Senior Celebration: 5:30p

Depart for Game: 6:00p

Approximate halftime performance: 7:45p (please arrive early)

Approximate dismissal time at EIDo: 10p

Saturday

Camp Day

8am-noon, 1p-5p

Last “Camp Day” of the season! We will use this day to produce and prepare for the following week’s tournament at Bands of America.

Band Picture Day

Monday, October 23

After school until we finish!

Please bring your band shoes and undergarments to school with you on this day for pictures. You will wear everything but your shako for the picture. Once 6th period is over, you are to report to the band room and start changing into uniform ASAP.

Everyone must get their picture taken! Be prepared to wait for individual/section pics. Hydrate!!

Band Pageant

Nov. 1, Bradford Stadium

7:00p-9:00p

Please join us for the Annual PYLUSD Band Pageant. This night will feature all 10 Middle School and High School Marching Band Programs.

This year, I (Mr. Samson) have the honor of conducting the mass band in addition to running the District Drum Line. I hope you can be there!

Tickets now available

Please purchase your tickets through us! All proceeds will go towards our program! Tickets are \$5 each. Please fill out the following Google Form and either

pay through Venmo or by cash/check to the Black Box. Please RSVP and pay for your tickets by Oct. 31. Please do not wait until Nov. 1 to get your tickets. We will be very busy that day!

Band Pageant RSVP Form

Secret Weapon to Performance Success

Practice!!

Over the past few weeks, we have noticed that many individuals have improved, while others have not. When asked, it is not surprising to find out who has and who has not practiced. Please find at least 20 minutes to practice every day! The results will amaze you!

Things to Practice this Week

(just some ideas, but you are not limited to this)

Music: Work on 3rd movement music

Color Guard: New Choreography

UDB: Watch the video and check cross counts

Jazz Band: Study Chord Qualities and start to figure out Blue Bossa Chord changes

Monday Night Rehearsal

Bradford Stadium

5:30p-9:00p

All winds and drums: Please wear a white shirt/hoodie/etc. This allows us to see the forms better from the press box as we clean drill.

Please be sure that you charge your phone between school and rehearsal so that you will be able to have access to UDB.

All students are responsible for their own transportation to and from Bradford Stadium.

Front Ensemble: You will rehearse at El Dorado.

Rehearsal/Sectionals

After school sectionals continue this week.

Brass/Woodwinds: Tuesday 3:30p-5p

All Percussion: Tuesday 3:45-6:45p

Battery Sectionals: Wednesday 3:45-4:45

Color Guard: Tuesday 3:40-6:30

Quick Glance at the Week

Keep scrolling for more info!

Monday

0 period (7:15a-8:23a)

Marching Band Rehearsal: Field

Evening: Rehearsal at Bradford Stadium 5:30p-9p

Front Ensemble at El Dorado

Tuesday

0 period (7:15a-8:23a)

Marching Band Rehearsal: Field Show

After school rehearsals

Wednesday

0 period (7:30a-8:30a)

Marching Band Rehearsal

Thursday

0 period (7:15a-8:23a)

Marching Band Rehearsal: Field Show

Friday

0 period (7:15a-8:23a)

Marching Band Rehearsal: Field Show

Evening: Home Game - Senior Night

Saturday

Camp Day 8a-5p

Please be sure to check out the Calendar!

[Marching Band Calendar/Schedule](#)

October Upcoming Events

Oct 16 Monday night rehearsal, Bradford Stadium

Oct 20 Home Game vs El Modena, "Senior Night"

Oct 21 Camp Day, 8a-noon, 1p-5p

Oct 23 Band Picture Day afterschool

Oct 26 **Thursday** night rehearsal, Bradford Stadium

Oct 28 Bands of America Regional, Riverside

Oct 30 Monday night rehearsal, Bradford Stadium

Oct 30 District Drumline Rehearsal, Bradford Stadium

November Upcoming Events

Nov 1 PYLUSD Band Pageant

Nov 4 Mira Mesa Field Tournament, San Diego

Nov 6 Monday night rehearsal, Bradford Stadium

Nov 9 South Hills HS FT, Covina

Nov 11 Southwest Regional Field Tournament, Ramona HS

Nov 13 Monday night rehearsal, Bradford Stadium

Nov 18 SCSBOA 6A Championships, Citrus College (pending qualification)

President's Notes:

Hopefully you joined us for the Heritage Parade. The weather was great and our Golden Hawks performed fabulously. This coming weekend is our last without a tournament until the season ends. Be sure to encourage your kids to drink water and rest because they will be very busy over the next month.

Ways and Means' Notes:

Thank you to everyone that participated in the Chipotle restaurant night fundraiser on Oct 11th. We were able to raise \$391.36! The next restaurant fundraiser is November 2nd at JD's Wingz, more info to come.

ATTENTION

It's been a few years but we are bringing back the Football Game Raffle fundraiser for the October 20th game against El Modena. We need a couple of things to make this a successful fundraiser!

1. Gift Card donations! Your generosity is greatly needed in the form on gift card donations, any amount (\$25, \$50, or \$100). If you are able to donate please email Maria Gutierrez @ fundraisingeldo@gmail.com

VOLUNTEERS to sell raffle tickets at the football game. We need 4 groups of 2 or 3 to sell raffle tickets. Please click on the link to sign up:

[Raffle Signups](#)

Financial Secretary's Notes:

Help-A-Hawk

Sending [Help-A-Hawk Letters](#) are a great way to raise funds for your Participation Contribution. All donations go directly to your student's account are tax deductible!

Participation Contribution Donation Options

There are three ways you can contribute toward your band member's PC:

1. **Cash/Check in the Black Box**
2. [Venmo](#)
3. [Credit Card/Square*](#)

***A processing fee (2.9% + \$0.30) will be deducted from the net donation**

Secretary's Notes:

Please look over the notes from 10/10/23. If you have any questions please contact eldosecretary@gmail.com.

Booster Meeting Minutes

Men In Black Notes:

Christmas Wrap Booth is coming-

The Annual Christmas Wrap booth is coming back to Walmart this year.. This is a huge fundraiser for our group. Dates and sign ups will come as we get closer. We are currently in need of tissue paper and gift bags of all sizes. Now is a good time to purchase gift bags and tissue paper for the band to use at the wrap as the stores are now putting out their Christmas Supplies. Please bring any donations to any Monday night Rehearsal, Saturday Morning Practice or a Show and give them to any of the MIB to get to me.

Thanks,
Tom

Food Committee Notes:

Saturday, Oct. 28th at the BOA Ramona Field Tournament

At this upcoming tournament we will need to provide 2 meals to serve our performers, staff and volunteers! This means nearly double the volunteer positions in all things. Please access the volunteer form via the link below to sign up and help. We truly appreciate any help you can offer.

[SIGN UP HERE!](#)

DESSERTS!!!

For this event, we are asking **students with the last names H through N** to contribute 2 dozen homemade desserts (no nuts). While our kids LOVE homemade, store bought would be acceptable as well. IMPORTANT: please provide these individually in small zip lock bags!

***** FOOD DROP OFF *****

We will be looking to receive the hot foods Saturday morning in the front of the school by the marquee as usual but specific drop off time will follow in future communications.

***** SET UP, SERVE, and CLEAN UP VOLUNTEERS *****

We will be meeting at Don Jones Park where both meals will be served. Lunch is immediately after the first performance and dinner later that afternoon. More details to follow.

Should you have any questions prior to the event, please contact us at ELDOFoodCrew@gmail.com. Should you have any questions on the day of the event, please contact Brie Cuevas at (714) 488-8162.

Many Thanks....

Brie Cuevas and Greg Martin

Food Committee

ELDOFoodCrew@gmail.com

Colorguard Notes:

Family Photo Day! Oct. 22nd at Yorba Regional Park. ELDO Guard Family Photo Day has one availability, we'd like to offer the opportunity to all band families.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090E44AFA728A6F49-44569500-family>



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