

# Land of Band and Color Guard

*Week of November 12, 2023*

## **Only 1 week left!**

It's finally here. Our final week of the season. It has been a great season with many accomplishments that we can be proud of. Congratulations on qualifying for SCSBOA 6A Championships! We finished the season ranked #4 so mission accomplished! Scroll for more info.

In other news, our Varsity Football Team has been making a run in CIF Playoffs. We have a home game this Friday at Bradford Stadium. Samson and Irons will talk about whether or not we attend the game and at what performance capacity (full band vs pep band).

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## **South Hills Field Tournament** **and** **Southwest Regional** **Tournament Wrap-up**

Congratulations on two great field tournaments! Although we are proud of both performances, we can all agree that Thursday's show was a little off. But we came back, had a

great rehearsal, and threw down a tremendous performance on Saturday. That's how it's done!

As always, thank you to the tremendous booster crew for helping us throughout the day. Without your support, none of this would be possible!

**South Hills Tournament**  
**Weekend Scoreboard**

Overall Score: 88.15, 3rd Place - Class 6A  
Percussion: 89.00, 3rd place overall  
Color Guard: 91.5, Auxiliary Sweepstakes Award

**Southwest Regional Tournament**  
**Weekend Scoreboard**

Overall Score: 89.5, 1st Place - Class 6A  
Percussion: 88.00, 4th place overall  
Color Guard: 92.0, Auxiliary Sweepstakes Award

**Next up...**

**SCSBOA Championships**

**SCSBOA 6A Championships Field**

**November 18, 2023**

Citrus College

1000 W Foothill Blvd

Glendora, CA 91741  
Hosted by Arcadia HS

Congratulations on officially qualifying for the SCSBOA 6A  
Championships!

In order to qualify for this prestigious event, they take the combined score of a group's Top 3 season scores and rank each class. Then they take the Top 12 in each class to Championships. Not only does El Dorado rank **#4** in 6A among some amazing programs, we are also **#4** out of 129 schools that registered for Championships. This is a huge accomplishment for all and we are very proud of all involved.

Once we receive all of the Championships information from SCSBOA, we will send it out to everyone.

More information will be sent out by Wednesday.

In the meantime, here are some details!

**Morning Rehearsal: 8a-noon, load trailers after rehearsal**

**Performance Time at Citrus College: 7:42p**

**Full Retreat Awards (all performers in uniform): 8:30p**

Once we have the rest of the schedule figured out, we'll send it out!

**If you want Championship Apparel, don't forget to order it through us by Wednesday's deadline. Pay via Venmo or send Cash/Check to the Band Room.**

**Last Day to Order with us, Wednesday, November 15**

**[Link for Championships Apparel Order Form](#)**

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### **Rehearsal/Sectionals**

Tuesday Rehearsals continue this week.

You know when.

You know what time.

You know why.

See you there.

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## **Friday Night Lights**

Our Varsity Football Team has made a deep run in CIF Playoffs and have won their first two away games. We have a home game at Bradford this Friday night! This is great for our school but obviously adds more demand on us.

At this time, we have not decided on whether we will attend the game. I will keep everyone posted.

### **Options**

Option A: We attend the game as usual, perform the Field Show

Option B: We attend as a Pep Band and no Field Show

Option C: We do not attend the game, students can attend on their own

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## **Quick Glance at the Week**

Keep scrolling for more info!

### **Monday**

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

Marching Band Rehearsal: Field Show

Evening: Rehearsal at Bradford

### **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: Field Show

### **Thursday**

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

Marching Band Rehearsal: Field Show

### **Friday**

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

Marching Band Rehearsal: Field Show

Possible Home Football Game

### **Saturday**

SCSBOA 6A Championships

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**Please be sure to check out the Calendar!**

[Marching Band Calendar/Schedule](#)

## **November Upcoming Events**

Nov 13      Monday night rehearsal, Bradford Stadium

Nov 14      Winter Percussion Informational Meeting -  
Band Room, 7pm

Nov 18      SCSBOA 6A Championships, Citrus College

## **December Upcoming Dates**

Dec 8      Holiday Jazz Concert, PAC

Dec 19      Holiday Band and Orchestra Concert, PAC

Dec 21      Jazz Breakfast, Band Room - for EIDo Staff

## **Upcoming Jazz Dates**

Feb 29 Western States Jazz Festival - Jazz 3 and 4  
March 2 Ellington Jazz Festival - Jazz 1 and 2  
March 9 Esperanza Jazz Festival - all Jazz  
March 16 Irvine Jazz Festival - all Jazz  
April 25-28 California Jazz Championships - Jazz 1 and 2

### **Program Assistant's Notes:**

BOA Patches! The “Participation” and “Finalist” patches we received are available from Mama O.

Please use this link to purchase the full patch:

<https://shop.musicforall.org/boa-2023-regional-patch/>

### **President's Notes:**

We just finished our most challenging week so far with 2 tournaments in such a short time frame. I feel like we did extremely well and I’m so proud to be a supportive member of this community. Be sure to take care of yourselves and finish this year with the best effort we can.

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## FOOD COMMITTEE

Thanks to all the booster families that supported the Southwest Regional/Ramona and the South Hills field tournaments this past week. It was a busy week for our Band & Color Guard and for us booster parents. Ramona was such a fast and furious event and we pulled through with the most amazing team work by the parents.

*Thank you so much!*

### **Saturday Nov 18th SCSBOA Championships**

Here we go for our final tournament. This is the final event of the marching band season and the last opportunity to serve. Let's ice the season cake with an awesome volunteer turnout. The menu is B&C teriyaki chicken bowls with steamed veggies, fruits, and desserts.

Important Note: As we have already been through the dessert assignments alphabetically, we are adding volunteer sign ups for homemade goodies. We are just asking for 10 families/sign ups to make 2 dozen desserts each. Got a family recipe for a cookie or treat? Sign up and make it! (for allergenic reasons, please leave out nuts). Our Band & Color Guard really appreciate it.

Please click the link below to sign up.

[Click HERE for CHAMPS Sign Up](#)

Please keep in mind that we will update official times for departure, dinner, and food drop off once we have confirmed everything and communication will be in the Wednesday LOB communication.

Should you have any questions, please contact us at

[ELDOFoodCrew@gmail.com](mailto:ELDOFoodCrew@gmail.com)

Thank you!

Brie Cuevas and Greg Martin

Food Committee

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### **Ways and Means' Notes:**

#### **Football Game Raffle 11/17/2023**

Volunteers are needed to help sell raffle tickets at next Friday's home CIF game at Bradford Stadium. We have some amazing Gift Cards to give away. Please click the signup link below. Sign up deadline is Thursday 11/16 @ 8pm.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050B45ABA72CA4FF2-45248736-football>

## **SEE'S CANDY FUNDRAISER-**

**Complete your holiday shopping list while supporting a cause! Shop our storefront and help us raise funds for El Dorado Band and Color Guard Boosters. Click the link below to spread sweet holiday cheer!**

[https://www.yumraising.com/secure/eldb\\_edhs\\_band\\_and\\_color\\_guard13/CinOka3040/](https://www.yumraising.com/secure/eldb_edhs_band_and_color_guard13/CinOka3040/)

**\*\*When orders are placed by you or a family/friend please email a copy of your order number to [fundraisingeldo@gmail.com](mailto:fundraisingeldo@gmail.com) so that your Hawk is given credit for the order\*\*\***

**See's Candy Fundraiser ends December 1st!**



## **Holiday Concert Raffle Baskets**

The holidays are right around the corner, which means that the holiday concert will be here soon. The Holiday Concert is on Dec 19th and each year we raffle amazing gift baskets during the show filled with items donated by our generous band boosters and the community.

Sign up here to help us create these wonderful baskets!!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050B45ABA72CA4FF2-45710660-holiday>

*Deadline to submit donations is December 8th!*

If you know of any local businesses that may be interested to donate items and or gift certificates, please let us know!!

Raffle tickets information will be send out after the  
Thanksgiving break

**Treasurer's Notes:**

If you need to be reimbursed for an expense, please fill out the [RFP form](#) and email it with a copy of your receipts to [treaseldo@gmail.com](mailto:treaseldo@gmail.com). Thank you.

**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:

-Cash/Check in the Black Box

-[Venmo](#)

-[Credit Card/Square\\*](#)

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

**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

**Uniform Notes:**

Congratulations performers on making it into the finals. For the big day we want to look our best.

This week please wipe off your band shoes to make sure they are clean and free of any dust and/or dirt they have collected over the past few weeks.

On tournament day please arrive with your hair already up. Make a checklist for all your gear: shoes, socks, gloves, under gear etc.

Thank you,  
Tricia Johnson  
Uniform Committee

## **Jazz Band Season**

Hello Jazz families!

Jazz season is right around the corner, starting shortly after marching season!

We'll have a Holiday Jazz Concert and the Jazz Breakfast in December.

You'll hear more about these events as we get closer, but there are a few things to do now to prepare:

## 1. Get your Concert/Gig Attire

### Men:

Black suit

White long-sleeve button down dress shirt **AND**  
Black long-sleeve button down dress shirt

Solid long black tie

Black belt

Black socks

Black dress shoes.

### Ladies:

Black suit or black slacks/black jacket

White long-sleeve button down dress shirt **AND**  
black long-sleeve button down dress shirt

Solid long black tie

Black heels



## **2. Jazz Breakfast-Thursday morning, Dec 21**

All Jazz Families contribute food and volunteer time to make this event successful -- sign-ups will come out as we get closer.

This breakfast is our way to thank the El Dorado Staff and PYLUSD Administration for their continued support of our music program.

*If you're interested in helping coordinate this event or set up for the event, please contact [allie.encarnacion@gmail.com](mailto:allie.encarnacion@gmail.com)*

## **3. Jazz Participation Contribution**

We're working on this and will let you know the participation contribution amount once we have it finalized.

We're looking forward to a great Jazz Season again this year!

Thank you,  
Allie Encarnacion  
Jazz Liaison

## Winter Drumline Season

### Reminder -

Information Meeting for Indoor 2024 this Tuesday,  
November 14th @ 630pm

Meeting for parents, guardians, and/or students regarding  
2024 Indoor Percussion Season.

***Please spread the word, especially to any students  
interested in being in the 2024 visual ensemble!***

Looking forward to seeing you on Tuesday! Any questions,  
please let me know.

~ Melissa Dehakiz

## Colorguard Dine-Out and Savers Drive



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## Communication

**Due to recent changes and new limitations with the text service “Remind 101”, we have had to adjust our ways of communication with the members and families of our program. I am only allowed to have 10 “classes” with less than 150 subscribers in each class.**

**Therefore, I have had to archive each class, empty out the roster, and reset the class code for all to rejoin. To**

**accommodate our huge Booster Organization, I have  
split you up by last name!**

**See the “Remind 101” section below.**

**We will also be using the “Band” App again this year!  
This app serves us in a similar way that Facebook and  
Instagram work. We will be able to share pictures,  
view the calendar, and of course communicate  
through this app!**

**See the “Band App” section below.**

### **Remind 101**

**Step 1: Text your “class code” to 81010**

**Step 2: After you respond, you will be asked to  
provide your full name. Once you respond, you will  
then be subscribed to future text messages!**

**Class or Section**

**Class Code**

**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: Last Name A-K**

**@boostA-K**

**Boosters: Last Name L-Z**

**@boostL-Z**

**“Band App”**

**Download the app “Band”.**

**Search “Golden Hawks Marching Band” and request to become a member. You will have to validate your membership by answering one simple question!**

**Be sure to turn on your Notifications from this app so that you can get updates and, well, notifications.**

**<https://band.us/@eldoradoband>**