

# **Land of Band and Color Guard Week of November 19, 2023**

## **Congratulations on a Successful Marching Band Season!**

The 2023 Marching Band Season was a tremendous success. Our show "The Horizon's Edge" was well received by audiences and adjudicators. We brought home some pretty nice trophies, including a medal from the Bands of America Regional for being the AAA Regional Champions. And a special shout out to our Color Guard for their streak of High Auxiliary Awards and our first undefeated season!

We have learned a lot over the marching band season and we need to use this momentum to carry us on to the next chapter of our program. We look forward to continuing this tradition of excellence in our concert/jazz bands, winter percussion ensemble, and winter guards.

## **Thank you**

Thank you to the many Boosters who volunteered their time to make this season possible. It takes a village for any marching band to function at a high level and I think we have the best village ever! To our Booster Board who manages all the business side, to our Men In Black for building and moving our equipment and props, to our Food Committee for their awesome meals at our shows, to our Uniform Crew and Chaperones who take care of our students, and to all our Boosters who cheer us on in the stands... Please know that you are appreciated and the Band Staff is very fortunate to have such dedicated families to support our students.

## **Championships Wrap-Up**

Thank you for an amazing performance at SCSBOA 6A Championships! It was a great run and we are very proud of this performance. Taking 5th place is a huge accomplishment in this class as it's the highest level of

competition in SCSBOA. I hope that everyone can look back on this experience with pride.

### SCSBOA 6A Championships

#### Weekend Scoreboard

Overall Score: 90.7, 5th Place - Class 6A

Percussion: 91.5, 4th place overall

Color Guard: 94.5, High Auxiliary Sweepstakes Award

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### **Saturday Night Lights**

Our Varsity Football Team is playing for a CIF Championship at Bradford Stadium on Saturday, November 25. It has been 17 years since we have had this opportunity. This will be a very special event for our school and we need to be there to support the Nest! I had many people tell me that the last game was not as cool without us, so let's bring the cool to this Saturday's game. Plus, Mayfair HS is bringing a band. We can't let them show us up!

I need as many students as possible to join us for a Pep Band (no field show). If you are in town and available, please plan on joining us for this historic event. It will be fun!

Here are the details:

#### CIF Playoffs

Saturday, November 25 vs Mayfair

Meet at El Dorado - 5pm

Depart on Busses - 5:45pm

Depart game - 9:30pm

Pick up at El Dorado - 10pm

Please fill out this Google Form so that I know who to expect and how many buses to request.

[CIF Google Form](#)

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**Quick Glance at the Week**  
Keep scrolling for more info!

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday**  
No School = Much needed rest

**Thursday**  
Thanksgiving

**Friday**  
No School = Much needed rest

**Saturday**  
CIF Football

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Please be sure to check out the Calendar!

[Marching Band Calendar/Schedule](#)

## **November Upcoming Events**

Nov 25 CIF Football - Championship Game

## **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

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## **President's Notes:**

The marching season has come to an end and all the performers did an amazing job. A special congratulations to the colorguard in defending their title. Now it's time to gear up for the winter season, but first let's enjoy the

upcoming holiday concerts. Hope you and your family have a restful and enjoyable Thanksgiving.

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## **FOOD COMMITTEE**

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

**To all the amazing booster parent volunteers who helped us provide the dinners this season, we would like to say THANK YOU SO MUCH! It takes a village of parent support to provide meals at these events to 200+ people and we sure got that! From providing all the baking, serving, the produce and dressings, set up and clean up, and great baked goods, we sure pulled it out in great fashion. We are very proud to be a part of this successful marching band season. It has been an honor to serve the kids and staff.**

[We have just one last request.](#) We would like to add two new parents to our Food Committee for the 2024 season, preferably those with freshmen this year. It is important for the sustainment of all of our committees that new parents step in as the existing committee chairs retire when their students graduate. Both of us (Brie and Greg) have sophomore students and intend to serve on the Food Committee for at least the next season, but we would like to add 2 parents with students younger than ours to carry on in the

future years. Please consider this and if you would like to work with us next year, or have any questions around the duties and tasks we provide, please contact us via email at [ELDOFoodCrew@gmail.com](mailto:ELDOFoodCrew@gmail.com).

**GO HAWKS!**

**Brie Cuevas and Greg Martin**

**Food Committee**

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**Ways and Means' Notes:**

Only 2 weeks left to complete your holiday shopping list of delicious See's Candy! Shop our storefront and help raise funds for El Dorado Band and Color Guard members. Click the link below to spread sweet holiday cheer!

Fundraiser ends 12/01

[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 [fundraisingelo@gmail.com](mailto:fundraisingelo@gmail.com) so that your Hawk is given credit for the order\*\*\*

Only 2 Weeks  
Left to Order!



### **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



# FUNDRAISER

THURSDAY,  
DECEMBER 7TH  
10:30 AM TO 9:00 PM

THE FLAME BROILER  
IS GENEROUSLY DONATING 20%  
OF SALES TO THE EL DORADO  
BAND AND COLOR GUARD  
BOOSTERS



THE FLAME BROILER  
3352 YORBA LINDA BLVD  
FULLERTON, 92831  
714-993-3944

Mention El Dorado Band and Color Guard when placing your order

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## 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

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### **Men In Black Notes:**

A **BIG!** Thank you to all of the MIB for the teamwork this marching band season, everyone of you played a key part in this year's show.

2023 Wrap booth is coming quickly and we need everyone's help staffing the many positions from Students to parents. This is a big fundraiser for our program and everyone has a great time each year. Please sign up now so we can make sure we have enough people to fill the many slots available.

Need your gifts wrapped? Visit the.....

## El Dorado Golden Hawk Band Booster Holiday Wrap Booth

At the Brea Walmart  
Kraemer and Imperial  
Hwy

All Donations support the EDHS Band Booster program! Thank you for your Support!

Friday	12/15	400PM-900PM
Sat/Sun	12/16 & 17	900AM-900PM
Mon-Fri	12/18 - 22	400PM-900PM
Saturday	12/23	900AM-900PM
Sunday	12/24	900AM-600PM

Click the link to take you to the sign up genius:  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080444AEAA2AA4FA7-45658585-holiday>

We are still looking for donations of gift bags to use at the wrap booth this year, if you can take them to the band room or give me a call for pick up or drop off.

Thanks

Tom Judd 714-719-7223

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### Uniform Notes:

As the marching band season concludes, I want to express my sincere appreciation to everyone who served on the uniform committee. Thank you for your valuable contributions to a successful season.

With gratitude,  
Tricia Johnson

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## 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

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## **Winter Drumline Season**

It was great seeing everyone last Tuesday for our informational meeting. If you weren't able to make it, please reach out with any questions!

## **Upcoming -**

Tuesday, Nov 28th & Friday, Dec 1st - Auditions, Show reveal and first meetings.

We'll also be measuring the students for their custom costumes on 11/28 at 6pm.

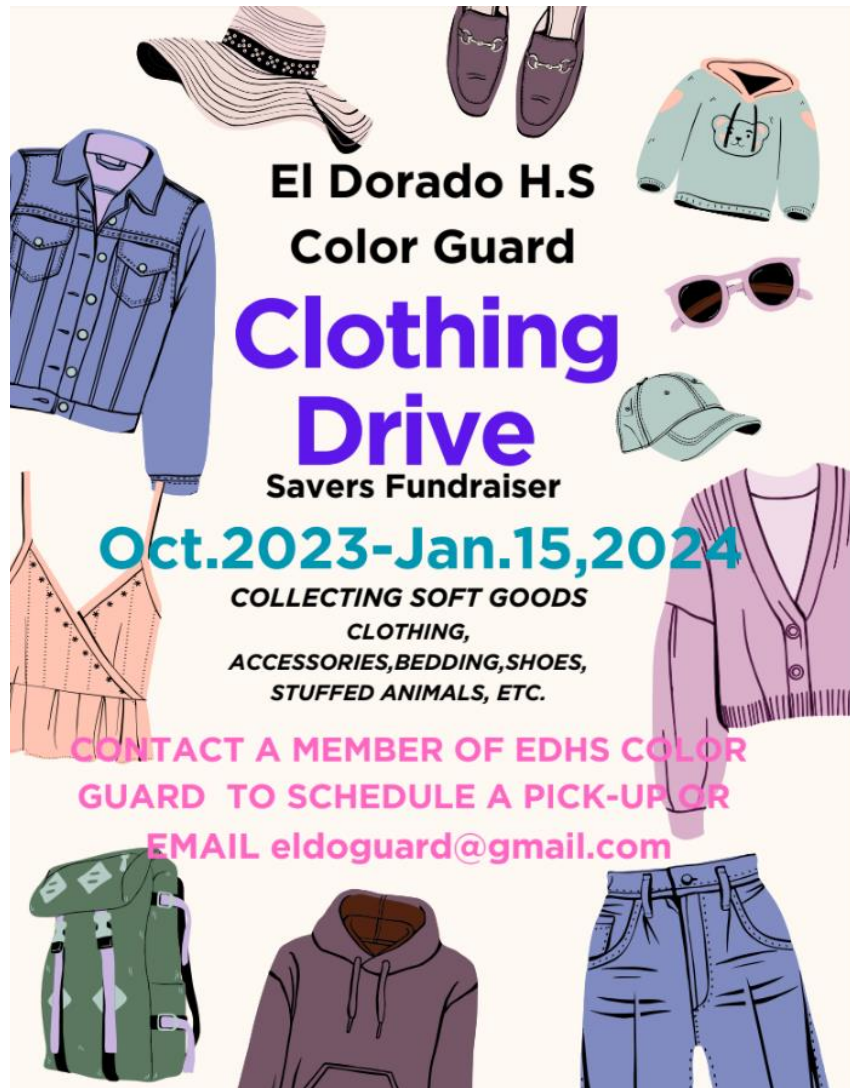
We're finalizing some fundraising opportunities and will update all once we have specific dates.

Thank you!

Melissa Dehakiz

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## Colorguard Savers Drive



**El Dorado H.S  
Color Guard  
Clothing  
Drive**  
Savers Fundraiser

**Oct.2023-Jan.15,2024**  
*COLLECTING SOFT GOODS  
CLOTHING,  
ACCESSORIES,BEDDING,SHOES,  
STUFFED ANIMALS, ETC.*

**CONTACT A MEMBER OF EDHS COLOR  
GUARD TO SCHEDULE A PICK-UP OR  
EMAIL [eldoguard@gmail.com](mailto:eldoguard@gmail.com)**

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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!**

<b>Class or Section</b>	<b>Class Code</b>
<b>Brass</b>	<b>@eldobrass</b>
<b>Woodwinds</b>	<b>@eldoww</b>

**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>**