

## **Land of Band and Color Guard**

***We thought you might want to see the calendar for this month. Welcome to “BANDTOBER!” 🎃***

***Looking ahead - Our October 28th Monday Night Rehearsal will be a costume rehearsal. Costumes must be school appropriate, no masks, and must not inhibit rehearsal.***

### **2 More Weeks...**

***We only have two more weeks until our first tournament at the Valencia Classic Field Tournament! For your planning purposes, here is some general information. A more detailed itinerary will be sent out the week before the event. We will begin the day with a morning block rehearsal from 8a-noon at ElDo.***

***Location: Bradford Stadium, Valencia HS  
Performance Time: 8:30p  
Awards: 9:00p***

***We will not be taking school buses to this tournament. All students will be responsible for their own transportation to and from the event.***

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***Get and stay organized, and KNOW what is happening! DIG?***  
***[www.eldoradoband.com](http://www.eldoradoband.com)***

***Please be sure to check out the Calendar!***  
***[Marching Band Calendar/Schedule](#)***  
***&***  
***[Google Calendar](#)***

***These are updated often. We recommend subscribing to the Google Calendar to get the most updated information.***

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***Reminder regarding attendance:  
Parents must email both directors and  
Mama O regarding missing  
rehearsals/performances. Please let us  
know at least 1 week ahead of time of  
these absences. We still have not had a  
rehearsal with 100% attendance yet, and  
as we add more drill and choreography to  
the show, it is crucial that all are in  
attendance.***

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***This Week's Events***



***Monday***


***Sept 30***

***Monday Night Rehearsal***

**Bradford Stadium**  
**5:30p-9:00p**

***We continue our night rehearsals at Bradford Stadium this week. We are back on our regular Monday Night Rehearsal. As always, attendance is mandatory!***

  ***Please be sure that your phone is charged so that you will be able to have access to the UDB App.***

 ***Due to the added choreography at the beginning and throughout the show, student performers can choose to wear knee pads if needed. We recommend slim, low profile, knee pads that won't interrupt your performance ability.***


***All students are responsible for their own***

**transportation to and from Bradford  
Stadium.**

**Please bring enough water to last the  
entire rehearsal. NO SODA!**  
**All Winds/Percussion, wear a white  
shirt/jacket, and proper athletic  
shoes/shorts.**

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**Saturday Rehearsal**  
**October 5**  
**Final “Camp Day”**  
**8a-Noon, lunch, 1p-5pm**

**We have our final Camp Day of the  
season this Saturday. Please be sure to  
bring water bottles/jugs, sunblock, hats,  
sunglasses, etc.**

 **Trumpets won the Band Camp “Penny  
Wars” challenge, and will receive a pizza  
party during lunch today.**

**Rehearsal/Sectionals This Week**  
***After school sectionals continue this week.***

***Brass/Woodwinds: Tuesday 3:45p-5:30p***  
***All Percussion: Tuesday 3:45-6:30p***  
***Battery Sectionals: Wednesday 3:45-5:30***  
***Color Guard: Tuesday 3:45-6:30p***

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

**Monday**  
**0 period (7:15a-8:23a)**  
***All Performers on Turf Field***  
***Evening: Monday Night Rehearsal***

**Tuesday**  
**0 period (7:15a-8:23a)**  
***Parade on the Track***  
***Front Ensemble in Band Room***

**Wednesday**

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

***Winds/Perc/Guard on Turf Field  
Front Ensemble in Band Room***

**Thursday**

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

***Winds/Perc/Guard on Turf Field  
Front Ensemble in Band Room***

**Friday**

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

***All Performers on Turf Field***

**Saturday**

***Camp Day - 8a-noon, 1p-5p***

***\*Trumpet Section lunch is provided today  
only***

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**Pass-Offs/Memorization Checks**

***Pass-Offs (Playing Tests), and Due Dates  
for all winds/percussion will be found on***

***Google Classroom. Please make sure to check this regularly. Pass-Offs must be completed with your section leaders by the due date listed.***

- . Star Spangled Banner/Alma Mater/Fight Song/Movement 1 & 2 memorization checks are all past due. Get these completed with your section leader ASAP.***
  - . “September” memorization check is due Saturday 10/5.***
  - . “Patriotic Spectacular” memorization check is due Wednesday October 23rd***
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### ***Instrument Weekly Checks***

***It is each student's responsibility and the expectation of our program, to make sure each instrument is in good working order/cleaned frequently.***

***All Brass must have all slides, valves, and mouthpieces cleaned and oiled***



***appropriately. Silver Brass must be polished. See Mr. Smith for silver polish or get your own from [Amazon Here!](#)***

***All Woodwinds must have 2-3 working reeds at each rehearsal/performance. Please date each reed with a marker. (For example, if you open a new reed today, write 9/22 on the stock of the reed).***

***Here are some [good reed case](#) options for not too much money. [Altos/Clarinets](#), [Tenor Sax/Bass Clarinet/Bari Sax](#).***

***There are other fun options as well like [these colored options](#). Try to get something that holds at least 2-4 reeds, is flat, and protects them from breaking.***

***\*Optional - Also a great deal right now are [WW mouthpiece pads](#).***

***Something is better than nothing however please have these items ready for your instrument check. You will receive 10***

***points for a working/cleaned instrument  
at these checks. These are graded  
assignments.***

***This Week on Friday 0 Period - Low  
Reeds and Tubas***

***Week 6 - Flutes and Trumpets***

***Week 7 - Clarinets and Mellophones***

***Week 8 - Alto Saxes and Trombones***

***Week 9 - Tenor Saxes and Baritones***

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**AUDITION!**

**[CASMEC All-State](#) and [SCSBOA All-  
Southern](#) HONOR BAND (Concert and  
Jazz)**

***El Dorado HS is proud to have  
representation at both the local and state  
level. You can't make it unless you try  
out. Give it a shot this year!***

***Email Mr. Smith if you are planning on auditioning or want more information. Auditions are due mid October for All-State, and December for SCSBOA (All-Southern).***

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***🌹 ROSE PARADE 🌹  
(Pasadena City College Honor Band)  
All Auditions Held On  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2024***

**IMPORTANT!**  
**THERE ARE TWO PARTS TO THE**  
**APPLICATION PROCESS which MUST BE**  
**COMPLETED to audition:**

- 1. COMPLETE THE [ONLINE APPLICATION](#)**
- 2. PRINT THE REQUIRED [SIGNATURE FORM](#),**  
**FILL IT OUT, GET ALL SIGNATURES,**  
**AND MAIL IT**

**Signature Forms must be mailed by**  
**a postmark deadline of Monday,**  
**September 30, 2024**

**Find out more information [HERE](#)**

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## Ways & Means' Notes

### **SPITZ RESTAURANT FUNDRAISER - WEDNESDAY 10/2**

***Juggling kids practice schedules is always a challenge so take a break from cooking and stop by Spitz on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2nd and grab lunch or dinner. Show the flyer below at the register.***



The flyer features a vibrant purple and pink background with a large yellow heart on the left. Inside the heart is the word "Spitz" in a stylized pink font, with "MEDITERRANEAN STREET FOOD" written below it. To the right of the heart is a graphic of a taco with a star on top. The text "JOIN OUR FUNDRAISER AT SPITZ" is at the top in white. Below it, the text "\*present this flyer when ordering\*" is followed by "Spitz Placentia" in a bold font. Underneath, it says "will donate a portion of sales to:" followed by "El Dorado High School Band and Color Guard Booster" and "Wednesday, October 2, 2024". A list of menu items is provided: WRAPS - GYROS - BOWLS - SALADS, WINGS - STREET CART FRIES - KIDS MEALS, and VEGAN - GLUTEN FREE - PALEO. At the bottom, the address "1474 N. Kraemer Blvd. Placentia CA" and the website "order.spitzrestaurant.com" are listed. A small disclaimer at the bottom left states: "Valid at Spitz Placentia location for dine in, carry out or order through the Spitz App using code EDBand24. Not valid with other discounts or on 3rd party delivery apps."

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**CHIPOTLE MEXICAN GRILL**  
**FUNDRAISER - TUESDAY 10/15**

***Taco Tuesday just got easier, stop by Chipotle on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15TH from 4:00pm to 8:00pm and support your Golden Hawks. Order ahead for a quick and easy pick-up (see order code on the flyer).***

***\*\*Chipotle is on Raise Right so remember to get your gift card to help the program and benefit your students account\*\****



CHIPOTLE FUNDRAISER FOR  
EL DORADO BAND AND COLOR  
GUARD BOOSTERS

25% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15TH | 4-8PM**  
1474 N KRAEMER BLVD STE A3, PLACENTIA, CA, 92870

ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **Y673PD7**  
OR SHOW THIS FLYER IN RESTAURANT



For online orders to count towards the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.



## **HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE**

***We are bringing back the Holiday Boutique with Eldo Softball Boosters!!***

***Save the dates, 10/26 and 10/27.***

***If you are interested to be a vendor, please fill out this form:***

**<https://forms.gle/DQqtEMLuVpP5BebTA>**



## **SEE'S CANDY - COMING SOON**

***The holidays are coming up quick so that must mean that it's going to be See's Candy fundraiser time soon. Get ready to let your family and friends know! Funds raised go directly to individual accounts. Online Storefront Dates: October 9th to December 4th, 2024  
Candy Orders start shipping 11/11/24***

**See's CANDIES.**

Our Fundraiser  
Is Coming Soon!







***Purchase gift cards from 400+ brands, when you purchase gift cards through Raise Right you get 90% of the credit towards your students individual contribution donation. Sign up and download the app today and start saving.***

***Physical cards will be ordered once a month around the 15th.***

***[Link to Raise Right](#) Enrollment code: 36A8D93263869***

***We will be doing orders for Physical Cards on October 16. Please put in your order for physical cards before then. Reach out with any questions or concerns.***

***[michelejones720@gmail.com](mailto:michelejones720@gmail.com)***

## **Financial Secretary's Notes**

- ***When making contributions toward your student's participation donation please:***
  - ***Write your student's full name in the memo/comments field***
  - ***If you have multiple students in the program, ake a separate transaction for each***
- ***Reminder: We are happy to carry over donations from one season to the next (ie. Fall to Spring). However, we are unable to carry them over between school years except under very specific circumstances***
- ***We have several ways to contribute financially to the band!***
  - ***Cash/Check in the Black Box (Checks are preferred over cash)***
  - ***Venmo (@ElDorado-BandBoosters)***
  - ***[GiveButter](#) (credit card. Small fee applies)***
  - ***Help-a-Hawk***

- **[Write a letter to a willing supporter.](#)** Contributions may be made toward specific student accounts!
- ***If you would like to contribute toward a specific student or toward our general brand new Help-a-Hawk Fund, [please give here!](#)***

### **Men In Black Notes**

***Section Jackets - If you did not order a Section Jacket and still want to, Please use the QR code below. Orders will close October 2nd at the end of day.***

El Do Band Jacket orders



***Men in Black Jackets - If you still want to order a MIB jacket, please use the link below, the orders will close October 2nd at the end of day.***

<https://givebutter.com/GsOx6J>

## Colorguard Notes

**ELDO Guard is selling Sinfully Sweet Halloween apples now till Oct. 1. Please email [eldoguard@gmail.com](mailto:eldoguard@gmail.com) to place orders. Orders will be delivered Oct. 19-23rd.**

**\$10**  
Each

*Sinfully Sweet*  
APPLE COMPANY

AS SEEN ON  
**food**  
network

\* Apple toppers are not guaranteed. A limited quantity alternate may be used.

 <p><b>MUD PIE</b> Our signature caramel apple dipped in muddy milk chocolate, rolled in crushed Oreos® cookies, and topped with scary sprinkles</p>	 <p><b>THE MUMMY</b> Our signature caramel apple cleverly dressed as a mummy using white chocolate and milk chocolate drizzles</p>	 <p><b>NEW YORK CHEESECAKE</b> Our signature caramel apple dipped in white chocolate and rolled in crushed graham crackers, topped with more white chocolate and sprinkles</p>	 <p><b>HOLIDAY SPRINKLE</b> Our signature caramel apple dipped in witchy white chocolate then rolled in seasonal sprinkles and topped with more chocolate and sprinkles</p>
 <p><b>DAY OF THE DEAD</b> Our signature caramel apple dipped in white chocolate rolled in crushed Oreos® cookies and topped with spooky sprinkles</p>	 <p><b>APPLE WITH TWIX®</b> Our signature caramel apple covered in milk chocolate, rolled in crushed graham crackers, topped with milk chocolate, Twix®, and caramel drizzle</p>	 <p><b>APPLE WITH REESE'S PIECES®</b> Our signature caramel apple covered in milk chocolate, rolled in crushed Reese's Pieces®, and then topped with more milk chocolate, and caramel</p>	 <p><b>APPLE WITH SNICKERS®</b> Our signature caramel apple dipped in milk chocolate, rolled in crushed Snickers®, then drizzled with more chocolate and caramel</p>
 <p><b>SIGNATURE</b> Our signature caramel apple is a fresh Granny Smith dipped in the gooey goodness of our famous, sweet caramel</p>	 <p><b>TURTLE</b> Our signature caramel apple dipped in milk chocolate, rolled in cashew pieces, and drizzled with more caramel and chocolate</p>	 <p><b>DARK CHOCOLATE ALMOND</b> Our signature caramel apple dipped in dark chocolate, rolled in sliced almonds, drizzled with more dark chocolate</p>	 <p><b>TOFFEE CRUNCH</b> Our signature caramel apple dipped in milk chocolate, rolled in HEATH® toffee and drizzled with more milk chocolate</p>