



FUNDRAISING NEWSLETTER - FALL 2011

Fundraising is a key component to the success of our programs. As we embark on an exciting trip to New York, it is crucial that we come up with a variety of ways to raise funds for both the Music Boosters general fund and individual points accounts.

A special Music Boosters General Meeting devoted to fundraising and volunteers will be held on Monday, October 10, 2011 at 7:00pm in the Band Room, M3.

The goal of this meeting is to engage all of our members and plan fundraisers that will reap the most benefits for our Instrumental Music Program. Topics will include:

POINTS FUNDRAISING

We are currently running a *Cookie Dough/Perfect Presents* fundraiser. *Fun Pasta* will be sold in October. We need new ideas for Points Fundraisers and volunteers to run them! Currently we are checking into options for a Holiday Poinsettia sale or similar. Points activities will be running each month.

Please take note of the [Points Withdrawal Form](#) which you will need to complete to utilize any earned points. The Points Coordinator for 2011-12 is Andie Raymond.

FEBRUARY 25th DINNER & AUCTION

This success of this event is paramount for our budget! We are assembling a committee and need **YOU** to help. If you are skilled in obtaining donations for the auction and/or raffle, please sign up a.s.a.p. Do you have something fabulous to donate?

We also are seeking a caterer for the event, specifically someone who can pull together some amazing food for a limited budget! Are you a caterer or restaurant owner? Do you know someone who is? This event is held in the CVHS multi-use room and we must keep ticket costs down to \$15-\$20.

OTHER GENERAL FUND EVENTS

We have monthly restaurant nights scheduled at Panda Express through December and need to add other popular locations. Do you have a favorite restaurant in mind?

Are you contributing to CVHS Music Boosters through your eScrip account? Do you use your SHARES card at Lucky and FoodMaxx? Do you swipe your Jamba Juice card when you buy that smoothie?

Do you utilize GoodSearch.com every time you search and shop online? **A charity with 100 supporters should make approximately \$760 per year.** We might not even hit \$100 this year! Good Search/Good Shop pays annually based on earnings from October through September.

Please mark your calendar for this important meeting today! Bring your ideas and your enthusiasm!

As always, if you have any questions or comments, please email any board member.

Thank you and see you on October 10th!

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