

LATE JANUARY MUSIC BOOSTERS UPDATE

Our major fundraiser of the year, *An Evening in New York-Broadway Bound* is just over a month away. Last year our event netted over \$7,000 and we hope to top that this year. Please note that though the theme is New York, this is not a benefit for the New York trip. **Proceeds will benefit all students in our Instrumental Music Program!** As we convert to a charter school in the fall, Music Boosters will continue to be actively involved in the support of Instrumental Music at our school.

Some of you are already involved in the fundraiser committees. However, **EVERYONE** needs to pitch in to make this event a success! Here's how:

SPONSORS AND DONATIONS

Every school and boosters group is out there soliciting donations. Understandably, businesses cannot contribute to each one. ***Personal connections are the best way to obtain donations.***

Is your employer or doctor, dentist, lawyer, accountant, etc. willing to be a sponsor and make a tax-deductible monetary donation to our event?

Do you dine out frequently and would your favorite restaurant be willing to donate a gift certificate? Do you have a timeshare you are willing to share with us?

Do you have a source willing to donate tablecloths, paper products, salad, dressing or other items needed for the dinner?

Medium and large baskets are needed. If you have baskets you no longer need, please bring them into the band room.

Do you have a bottle of wine you could donate for our wine barrel auction item? Please contact Carla.

RAFFLE TICKETS

A major component of this fundraising event is our annual raffle. Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20; 1st Prize-\$500; 2nd Prize-\$300; 3rd Prize-\$200. Winner need not be present to win.

Each student is being asked to sell a minimum of 10 raffle tickets. Raffle tickets will be sent home in class on Tuesday, January 31st and Wednesday, February 1st. If each student sells 10 tickets, we will bring in a minimum of \$4,000!

In addition to individual raffle ticket sales, **CVHS Band and Orchestra students and parent volunteers will be selling raffle tickets in front of Safeway in Clayton Station on Saturday and Sunday, February 11-12. A parent volunteer is needed to coordinate sales shifts. Please contact Linda a.s.a.p. if you can do this.**

Remember, proceeds from the raffle, as well as the fundraiser, benefit the entire Instrumental Music Program. No points for individual student accounts will be earned.

VOLUNTEERS DURING THE EVENT

The success of this event relies heavily on volunteers. We will be looking for adults to assist with setup, cleanup, check-in, check-out, onsite sales and kitchen help. Look for signup information in early February.

The Jazz Band and the Wind Ensemble will be performing at the event. Other band and orchestra students will be asked to work that evening. Signup information will follow shortly.

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Remember to [buy your tickets early!](#) Space is limited and prices will increase on February 11th! Invite your family, your friends. Spread the word outside our music family!

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