

THE LOS OSOS BAND & COLOR GUARD “WEEKLY”

FOR AUGUST 30 – SEPTEMBER 5, 2010

“Success is the peace of mind that is a direct result of self-satisfaction in knowing you did your best to become the best you are capable of becoming” – Coach John Wooden

General Announcements:

- **JAZZ GIG ADDED** – Jazz Band students, we have added a performance to our schedule. We will be performing at the Barnes and Noble in Rancho Cucamonga (located on Foothill Blvd) from 5:00 – 8:00pm on the evening of Thursday, December 2nd as part of a program-wide fundraiser that will be taking place on that evening. Please take a moment to add this important performance to your family calendar!
- **AUDITION PREPARATION CLINIC** - The University of Redlands School of Music is pleased to offer a FREE All-State Audition Preparation Clinic for high school students planning to audition for either CBDA All State or the SCSBOA All-Southern. The clinic will take place on Saturday, September 18, 2010 at the University of Redlands. All high school band students are welcome to attend. An information letter, the student registration form and clinician bios can be found on the School of Music website at <http://www.redlands.edu/allstateclinic.asp>
- **“DINKLES” FOR REGIMENT** - Students, if you need to order white or black Dinkles, please contact Sheila Rivas at (909) 944-2609. If you are using your shoes from last season, please remember to check the size and fit. Your feet may have grown since last year, and you may need new shoes.
- **MARCHING BAND UNIFORMS** – Regiment families, please be reminded that all marching band uniforms, hemmed and cleaned, need to be returned to the school by no later than August 30th. Please assist our hard-working uniform moms by turning the uniforms in ASAP so that their workload is not hectic later this month. Uniforms may be returned to the Theatre parking lot area every zero period between 6:30-6:45am. Just look for the open car trunk and uniform moms waiting to collect your uniform. Thank you for assisting us with this important project!
- **REGIMENT “ROOTER” ADS** – Will appear in the printed programs at the home football games. Booster parents and fans may place an ad in the program to recognize a favorite band or color guard student! Please see the flyer located on the front page of this website for full information.
- **DONATIONS NEEDED** – The band and color guard program is currently in need of donations of:

BATTERIES (“9-VOLT” AND “AAA”)

The school budget does not provide for these items. Any donations would be greatly appreciated!!! **Thanks so much to those who have already donated!**

- **“AFTER-PARTY” AT CORKY’S** – We will be meeting at Corky’s Kitchen & Bakery after each home football game this semester for dinner, pie or ice cream! Bring a crowd! Corky’s will donate a portion of our money spent there back to our program, so come join us!
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MONDAY, AUGUST 30, 2010

- Zero period (6:45am) Regiment rehearsal.
 - **ASSIGNMENT (Regiment students)** – Prior to this morning’s zero period rehearsal, visit the “Forms/Docs” page of this website and download the new drill pages for the 2nd movement (ballad) of the show. Have these drill pages added to your 3-ring binder (either hole-punched or in sheet protectors) AND have your coordinates for these pages written down in your dot book.
 - The Band Hall will close today during 2nd lunch and will not be open after school. Please plan accordingly.
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TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, 2010

- Zero period (6:45am) Regiment rehearsal.
 - Study hall (optional) in the band hall today from 3:15-4:45pm. Need a quiet place to study and to work with other folks who are taking your same classes? Come join us! Regiment students who have rehearsal tonight should take advantage of this opportunity!
 - Student Staff meeting today in the Ensemble Room at 4:15pm.
 - Regiment evening rehearsal from 5:00-9:00pm tonight at Grizzly Field. Attire for tonight’s rehearsal is Regiment t-shirts, PE shorts, warm-up pants and jacket, white Dinkles, and white socks. Hats and sunglasses are okay too! All students should bring their own water to tonight’s rehearsal.
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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2010

- No zero period Regiment rehearsal this morning – sleep in!
 - Master Class today for ALL students in the program from 3:15 – 4:15pm. Today we will begin our “normal” (everyone in the program) Master Classes. Please be reminded that attendance at Master Classes is a requirement for all students currently enrolled in the program. Repeated tardiness or absences from Master Classes will result in that student being dropped from our program.
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2010

- Zero period (6:45am) Regiment rehearsal.
 - Booster club executive board meeting (for officers) in the Band Hall tonight at 7:00pm.
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2010

- Full zero period (6:45-8:45am) Regiment rehearsal.

- **ASSIGNMENT #1 (for all Regiment tubas, horns, and baritone horns)** – Brass polishing party today outside the band hall during both lunches. These sections are required to shine their instruments with the provided supplies, in preparation for tonight’s performance.
- **Regiment pep band performance at LOHS vs. Colony HS football game!** Tonight’s performance is for brass, woodwinds, and battery percussion only. Color guard and pit students may ride the buses to join us IF we have enough seats available – there are only 3 buses for us tonight. Otherwise, color guard and pit students who wish to attend may arrange their own rides to and from Colony HS tonight and meet us in the parking lot to walk-in with us at 5:45pm. All brass, woodwind, and battery percussion students will ride to and from tonight’s performance on the school bus – no exceptions. Color guard and pit students who wish to attend tonight’s performance must be dressed like everyone else, and sit with us for the entire duration of the game. Tonight is our first public performance as a marching band! Call time for tonight’s performance is 5:30pm at the band hall, dressed in PE shorts and Regiment t-shirts and white Dinkles with short white socks. Students are also to bring their band warm-ups so that we can change into them later in the evening, and bring their 3-ring binder with all of their music and a small amount of spending money for the snack bar (students will be given a short break during the game to get food. Please do NOT bring backpacks, purses, duffel bags, or iPods with you to tonight’s game. The buses will likely NOT be staying with us, and there is no place to leave these items during the game. Bring only what will fit inside your pockets. We will have a designated area to put instrument cases – no other storage will be available. Please no hats or sunglasses at tonight’s performance. The buses will depart Los Osos HS at 6:00pm, and return to the school at approximately 10:30pm. Please plan accordingly.
- **ASSIGNMENT (for all students in all band and color guard classes)** – All instruments, sheet music, and equipment goes home for the weekend. Lockers are to be left completely empty and locked for the weekend. Students who play 2 different instruments in 2 different bands may choose to take one or the other of their instruments home. A locker check may be done this weekend for a grade. Please ensure that your locker is empty by the end of the afternoon. The band hall will close today at approximately 4pm. **REGIMENT STUDENTS MAY LEAVE THEIR INSTRUMENTS AT THE BAND HALL UNTIL AFTER TONIGHT’S PEP BAND PERFORMANCE AT COLONY HS.**

No Events This Weekend – Relax!

Upcoming Schedule of Events

- In addition to the school-day class-time rehearsals and the events listed below, Regiment (band and guard) students also participate in weekly marching band rehearsal every Tuesday evening from 5:00-9:00pm in the football stadium, beginning on the first week of school through until winter break.
- In addition to the school-day class-time rehearsal and the events listed below, all band and color guard students also participate in a weekly master class rehearsal every Wednesday afternoon from 3:15-4:15pm at the band hall and quad area, beginning the first week of school through until the last week of school.
- “Call Time Sheets” which give specific details (when and where to arrive, what to wear, what to bring with you, etc.) will be posted to the front page of this website approximately ONE week prior to the scheduled event.

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Who:</u>	<u>What:</u>	<u>Where:</u>	<u>When:</u>
9/2	Booster Club Officers	Executive Board Meeting	Band Hall	7:00pm

9/3	Regiment (full)	Pep Band @ Colony Game	Colony H.S.	TBA – Evening
9/6	NON-SCHOOL DAY (Labor Day Holiday)			
9/10	Regiment	Halftime Performance vs. North HS	Grizzly Field	7:00pm
9/11	All Parents & Students	5k Walk/Run Fundraiser	TBA	7:00am-5:00pm
9/16	(The mandatory Booster Club meeting for Regiment families regarding the Las Vegas trip, which was originally to be held tonight has been rescheduled to September 23rd – please see below).			
9/17	Regiment Families	Regiment Payment #4 Due Today	Band Box	Prior to 3:00pm
9/17	All Students	Yearbook Pictures Today In All Band & Guard Classes!		
9/22	All Parents & Students	Restaurant Night Fundraiser	“Game Works”	4:00-9:00pm
9/23	All Parents	Booster Club General Meeting	Band hall	7:00pm
	* Tonight’s meeting is mandatory for Regiment families. Las Vegas trip will be discussed. THIS MEETING WAS ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR 9/16 BUT HAS NOW BEEN CHANGED TO THIS NEW DATE.			
9/25	All Students	Car Wash Fundraiser	LOHS Campus	8:00am-2:00pm
	* All students in the program work one shift at today’s car wash fundraiser at the school.			
9/29	All Students	Extra Credit – Attend Day Creek Band Concert		7:00pm
10/1	Regiment	Assembly Performance	Day Creek Inter.	TBA – Morning
10/2	Regiment	Saturday Rehearsal	Grizzly Field	8:00am-12noon
10/2	All Parents	Booster Club Yard Sale Fundraiser	LOHS Parking Lot	7:00am-3:00pm
10/7	Regiment Families	Regiment Payment #5 Due Today	Band Box	Prior to 3:00pm
10/7	Booster Club Officers	Executive Board Meeting	Band Hall	7:00pm
10/8	NON-SCHOOL DAY			
10/8	Regiment	Rehearsal & Assembly Performance	Vineyard J.H.	TBA – Morning
10/8	Regiment	Homecoming Performance vs. South Hills HS		7:00pm
10/9	All Students	LOHS Homecoming Dance!		
10/14	All Parents & Students	Restaurant Night Fundraiser	“El Torito”	5:00-8:00pm
10/15	Regiment	Halftime Performance vs. Rancho Cuc.	Grizzly Field	7:00pm
10/16	Regiment	Field Show Tournament	Rowland HS	TBA – All Day
10/21	All Parents	Booster Club General Meeting	Band Hall	7:00pm
10/22	Regiment	Halftime Performance vs. Glendora HS	Grizzly Field	7:00pm
10/26	All Parents	Booster Club Golf Tournament @ Sierra Lakes!		7:00am-2:00pm
10/30	Regiment	Field Show Tournament	Glen A. Wilson HS	TBA – All Day
11/4	Booster Club Officers	Executive Board Meeting	Band Hall	7:00pm
11/5 – 11/7	Regiment Trip To Las Vegas Invitational		Las Vegas HS	Friday – Sunday
	* The itinerary for this trip will be posted in October.			
11/11	NON-SCHOOL DAY (Veteran’s Day Holiday)			
11/12	NON-SCHOOL DAY			
11/12	Regiment	Combined Bands Parade Rehearsal	Grizzly Field	8:00am-12noon
11/12	Regiment	Halftime Performance vs. Upland HS	Grizzly Field	7:00pm
11/13	Regiment	Rancho Cuc. “Founder’s Day Parade”	Victoria Gardens	TBA – Morning
11/16 – 11/17	Uniform Moms	Disneyland Uniform Fittings (8 th Graders)	Band Hall	TBA – Evening
11/17	All Parents & Students	Restaurant Night Fundraiser	“Corky’s Kitchen”	5:00-8:00pm
11/18	All Parents	Booster Club General Meeting	Band Hall	7:00pm
11/20	Regiment	Field Show Tournament	Savannah HS	TBA – All Day
11/22 – 11/26	THANKSGIVING BREAK – NO SCHOOL (or rehearsals)			
11/27	All Parents & Students	Christmas Tree Fundraiser	TBA	TBA
12/1-12/3	All Parents & Students	“Barnes & Noble” Fundraiser	“Barnes & Noble”	TBA - Evening
12/2	Booster Club Officers	Executive Board Meeting	Band Hall	7:00pm
12/2	Jazz Band	Performance @ Fundraiser	Barnes & Noble	5:00-8:00pm

***THIS GIG HAS BEEN ADDED AS OF 8/26/10 AND WAS NOT ON THE ORIGINAL SCHEDULE.**

12/4	Regiment	Field Show CHAMPIONSHIPS!	TBA	TBA – All Day
12/8	All Students	Extra Credit – Attend Day Creek Band Concert		7:00pm
12/9	All Parents	Booster Club General Meeting	Band Hall	7:00pm
12/10	Regiment	Parade Rehearsal	Grizzly Field	5:00-9:00pm
12/11	Regiment	Parade Performance & Fun Day	Disneyland	ALL DAY
12/12	Select Students	Auditions for “All-Southern” Honor Band	Crescenta Valley HS	TBA
12/13 – 12/14	Wind Symphony Auditions (For 2 nd Semester Zero Period)			
12/17	NON-SCHOOL DAY (Day Between Semesters)			
12/18	All Parents & Students	Gift Wrapping Fundraiser	“Bass Pro Shop”	TBA
12/20 – 12/31	WINTER BREAK – NO SCHOOL (or rehearsals)			
12/31	All Parents & Students	Restaurant Night Fundraiser “Gameworks & Market Broiler”		TBA-Evening

2nd Semester Dates Will Be Posted Soon....

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Fall Semester 2010 Student Contract

- 1) We have transferred the above dates of scheduled events to our family calendar. We will be present and on-time for all scheduled rehearsals and performances. We will contact the band director via email at losososbands@hotmail.com on or before **Friday, August 13, 2010** with any unavoidable schedule conflicts that we have found. We understand that the band director will then make his best effort to accommodate our schedule conflicts, but cannot guarantee that all requests can be granted. We understand that students may have their band or color guard grade lowered or be dropped from the program without financial refund for unexcused absences at rehearsals and/or performances.
- 2) Additionally, we have taken the time to read the course Syllabus that is located on the “Forms/Docs” area of this website and we understand and will abide by all of the policies of this program.

Student Name (PRINTED)

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

* Return this contract to the band box prior to 3pm on Friday, August 13, 2010 for a grade of 100 points. Late contracts will be accepted for only half credit.

ACCOUNTABILITY is key!