

Apalachee Band Boosters Meeting
September 14 2015

This year's Booster Meetings will be held as follows:

- September 14th - Booster Club meeting
- October 5th - Executive Board meeting
- November 2nd - Executive Board meeting
- November 9th - Booster Club meeting
- January 4th - Executive Board meeting
- January 11th - Booster Club meeting
- February 1st - Executive Board meeting
- February 22nd - Meeting only for those going on the Disney trip
- April 4th - Executive Board meeting
- April 11th - Booster Club meeting

All Band Booster parents are encouraged to stay informed and in contact by:
Frequenting the band website at www.apalacheeband.org
Join the Apalachee Marching Cats Group on Facebook.
Signing up for Remind101 text or e-mail reminders (link found on website)

Upcoming Events

Chaperones are still needed for home games (away game spots have been filled)

AHS Homecoming Parade - The band will march in this parade on Tues., Sept 29th

Band Alumni Night - Friday, October 2nd.

\$20 includes Dinner, T-Shirt, admission to the game, and a chance to play alongside the current band in the stands. Those interested in participating must sign up with the application found on the band website.

We will need lots of help from Booster Parents for this event.

Marching Band Festival - Saturday, October 10th

Luella High School in Henry County. More Details tba.

Fall Concert - Tuesday, October 27th @ 6:30 pm - In AHS Gym

Drum Battle - Tuesday, November 3rd @ 7pm – across from Chic-Fil-A Bethlehem.

Decades Dash 5K – Band Fundraiser - Saturday, November 7th

Runners & Sponsors are needed. Runner's Pre-registration is:

\$20 – 5k ; \$15 – fun run ; \$50 family rate (by 10/25)

Sponsor levels are \$2,500, \$1,000, \$500, and \$100.

Fun Run at 7:30 a.m. 5K will begin at 8:00 a.m.

Band Banquet - Tuesday, November 17th @ 6 p.m.

Equipment & Logistics

Tonya Crowe reported that a new shelf has been installed in the band trailer and that the trailer is ready to go for our first away game this Friday.

We have been having trouble with the fryers at the concession stand not lighting. Please let us know if you or someone you know has experience or knowledge in this area.

Due to the fire code, the large propane tank at the concession stand cannot be used until it is moved to a different location. A 10x10 concrete pad is going to be laid that will hold the grill and fryers during use for the concession stand. The propane tank is to be buried and lines ran to a knee wall at the new cooking location. We have found someone willing to do most of the work involved in this project.

Disney Trip

Details about the Disney Trip should have been received through regular mail. If you have not received this information, please have your student see Mr. Fuller. A deposit of \$100 is due October 1st. This first payment should be made out to Apalachee Band Boosters. The total cost will be around \$700.

New questions about the Disney trip can also be sent to ahsband16@gmail.com

Individual Fundraisers

Individual Fundraisers are those in which any profit goes directly into the student's account. This can be used for the Disney trip, or if you are not going on the trip, can be used for any band fees, etc.

Rock-A-Thon – We are looking at Nov 13 or 14 as possibilities for this event.
More details will be announced soon.

Spaghetti Dinner - Possible dates were discussed at the meeting.
Since the meeting, the Spaghetti Dinner has been set for Tuesday, October 20th at Midway Methodist Church. Tickets will be available soon.

Other upcoming individual fundraisers include Gift Card sales and Honey Baked Ham gift cards. See Catherine Petway for more details on these fundraising opportunities.