

Parent Involvement

Hilliard Music Boosters is a non-profit organization whose sole purpose is to provide support to not only the Band programs, but also Orchestra and Choir at all Hilliard City Schools. The Davidson Chapter supports Davidson, Weaver, and Tharp, as well as the elementary schools in our attendance area. We urge you to become an active Booster member and volunteer. It is not only an essential part of our music program, but also a great way to get involved in your student's education, get to know other parents, the directors and the students, and make many new friends along the way. Please don't hesitate to contact any of the people listed below or any director for more information.

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If you are interested in being an officer or a committee chair/co-chair, contact Greg Miller.

Concessions

By far, our biggest source of income is fall concessions, and it takes a lot of volunteers to make it happen! **It is so important to our fundraising effort that we are asking every family to commit to at least one concessions shift per marching season.** We cover concessions at all Davidson fall home sporting events, including football, soccer and tennis, so many different time slots are available. It's a great way to meet other band parents and, believe it or not, a lot of fun! Look for the signup emails starting in August.

Chair: Susan & Mark Harrington

The Hilliard City School District requires volunteers to have a Secure Volunteer Badge. Be sure to apply online at the District website!

Chaperones

We need parent chaperones for games, contests, and other band events. You can sign up for just one or for many trips. You are typically not assigned to the same bus as your student (except by request) so don't let them tell you that you'll cramp their style! A volunteer badge is mandatory for all chaperones – a flashlight, backpack, rain/snow gear, and a sense of humor help too! *Chair: Michelle Howell*

Uniforms

An award-winning band not only has to sound good but also needs to look sharp! Fitting and maintaining uniforms for 200+ musicians takes a lot of work, and you don't need to sew to help. One of the easiest ways to help is to volunteer as a uniform washer – taking 10-12 uniforms home to wash (detergent and instructions provided), usually 4 or 5 times during the marching season. We also need volunteers to help with uniform and tux fittings and alterations as well. *Chair: Corie Jakes/Monika Winer*

Tag Day

Tag Day is a one-day fundraiser, held on a Saturday morning in late August, where marching band members from all three high schools go to neighborhoods in their attendance areas to ask for donations and distribute "tags" containing the marching band show schedule. We need drivers, counters, pizza party helpers and route planners. *Chair: Angie Andujar (Co-chair(s) needed!)*

Ice Cream Social

On the final Friday night of Marching Band Camp, family and friends gather in the Commons to enjoy ice cream and cookies while listening to the band. Then we head over to the football field to preview the new Show! Volunteers are needed to donate toppings, baked goods and drinks; set up; scoop ice cream; serve goodies, take money; and clean up afterward. Proceeds help fund the **Handshue Music Education Scholarship**. *Chair: Kim DeWeese*

Hilliard Band Invitational

Hilliard Music Boosters hosts a Saturday OMEA marching band competition in mid-September at Bradley High School with proceeds being split between the Davidson, Bradley and Darby Chapters. This is a labor intensive event - Davidson has about 45 positions to fill (concessions, gate monitors, ushers, etc.). Food donations are also needed to feed judges. Look for a signup email in early September. *Chair: Greg Miller (Apprentice needed!)*

Pit Crew

How do we get all those instruments and equipment to games and competitions? Yep, we have roadies! Pit Crew is responsible for packing up the trailers, getting them to the venue, and making sure it all gets back to our band room. And they have a lot of fun too! *Chair: Lee Frey*

Cookie Patrol

Cookie Patrol serves cookies and drinks to the home and visiting marching bands during the 3rd quarter of home football games. Sections take turns donating cookies (baked or bought by parents/students), but we need a few parent volunteers to help set up and serve them. *Chair: Shelly Roberts*

Superhero 5K

In the spring, we partner with the non-profit group, Orphan World Relief, to host a 5K fundraiser. We need parents to help with logistics, planning, sponsorships and signups, as well as to come on the day of the race to help out while the band plays music along the course to motivate the runners. *Chair: Sue Bogan (Co-chair / apprentice needed!)*

OMEA State Marching Band Finals

Bradley HS hosts one of the State Marching Band Finals in late October/early November. Davidson parent volunteers assist with parking for this event and we receive a share of the proceeds. Look for the signup email later in the season.