



TRABUCO HILLS HIGH SCHOOL
INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC
27501 Mustang Run, Mission Viejo, CA 92691
<http://thhsmusic.com>

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Dear Music Families and Students:

Welcome to another exciting year of the THHS Instrumental Music Program! Listed below are information and forms to be completed and returned for the 2018-2019 school year.

1. Band Camp & Orchestra Summer Camp Information – This sheet details dates and times of these camps and what to bring. Since there is no Jazz Camp, those musicians do not receive this form.
2. Student Information Form – For members of the marching unit (band/drumline/guard), please bring this completed form to the **first day of (Rookie) Band Camp**. Orchestra students, please bring this completed form to the **first day of Orchestra Summer Camp**. Jazz Ensemble and Wind Ensemble/Symphonic Band only members, please bring this completed form to class the **first week of school**.
3. SVUSD Athletic Information Form – For members of the marching unit (band/drumline/guard), please bring this completed form to the **first day of (Rookie) Band Camp**. Orchestra students, please bring this completed form to the **first day of Orchestra Summer Camp**. Jazz Ensemble members will be given this form in class at a later date. **NOTE: NO STUDENT WILL BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE AT (ROOKIE) BAND CAMP OR ORCHESTRA SUMMER CAMP WITHOUT THE EMERGENCY CARD COMPLETED, SIGNED AND RETURNED!**
4. Pre-Participation Sports Screening Evaluation/Physical Examination Form – For members of the marching unit (band/drumline/guard), please bring this completed form to the **first day of (Rookie) Band Camp**. Orchestra/Jazz Ensemble/Wind Ensemble and Symphonic Band only students do not require this form.
5. Clothing Order Form – Students from all ensembles are required to wear blue THHS Instrumental Music polo shirts at all events when not in uniform. They cost \$25 each and checks can be made out to THHS Music Boosters. **NOTE:** The first football game at which marching band and color guard members may be performing, is on Friday, August 17, 2018, blue polo shirts will be mandatory.
6. Marching Unit Picture Day Flyer – The Marching Unit will take a formal group photo on Wednesday, September 12, 2018. Individual photos will also be available. The photo order form will be passed out to students during the first week of school. This is for marching band and color guard members only.
7. Bingo Program – This flyer describes each booster's expected and necessary commitment to Bingo, **our major fundraiser for all ensembles** including orchestra, jazz, percussion, color guard, marching band, etc. For members of the marching unit (band/drumline/guard), please bring this completed form to the **first day of (Rookie) Band Camp**. Orchestra students, please bring this completed form to the **first day of Orchestra Summer Camp**. Jazz Ensemble members, please bring this completed form to class the **first week of school**.

For updates and important information – and there is a lot! – I strongly recommend you do the following:

- Bookmark the music website at <http://thhsmusic.com> and check it regularly
- THHS Instrumental Music Program has a presence on social media –Facebook, Instagram, Twitter – so please join / follow us on social media!
- Review the Student & Parent Handbook found in the Boosters section of the website

Should you have *any* questions, please don't hesitate to contact me. Please know that parental and family involvement is paramount to the success of this program, so get involved in as many opportunities as you can from chaperoning at football games and competitions, bringing and serving food, photographing and videoing events, fixing equipment, helping at bingo, etc. You will make many great friends, have a lot fun and be very much appreciated by your children.

I look forward to working with each of you!

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COSTS

Marching Unit – Western Band Association Championships (Fall Semester) \$200-\$350* (*approx*)

**Costs dependent on a 1-day vs. 2-day trip*

ENSEMBLE CONTRIBUTIONS

Marching Band (Fall Semester)	\$550	Wind Ensemble Only (Full Year)	\$400**
Color Guard (Fall Semester)	\$550**	Symphonic Band Only (Full Year)	\$400**
Orchestra (Full Year)	\$400**	Winter Guard (Spring Semester)	\$450**
Jazz Ensemble (Spring Semester)	\$250**	Winter Drumline (Spring Semester)	\$450**

*** Does not include uniform/concert attire costs for the semester/year*

- Wind Ensemble and Symphonic Band donations only for students not enrolled in Marching Band

**PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED MATRIX FOR A SUMMARY
OF THE CONTRIBUTIONS AND COSTS FOR EACH ENSEMBLE**

The Saddleback Valley Unified School District is very proud of the extensive co-curricular programs offered at the comprehensive high schools. Through state funding, the District provides financial support for these programs, which may include stipends for one or more coach/advisor for each program, superb facilities, and general maintenance of the facilities. However, costs exceed limited state allocations, thus necessitating booster club support and requests for contributions from participants.

Participation in the Trabuco Hills High School Instrumental Music Boosters Organization is strictly voluntary, and no student will be denied the opportunity to participate in a SVUSD co-curricular activity because of a parent or guardian's failure to participate in fundraising activities, failure to devote time or resources to the booster club, or failure to purchase uniforms, or other accessories or equipment. Parents or students who do not participate will not be publicly identified.

If additional funds to augment the program are not raised in the amount noted above, the school may find it necessary to scale back the program. We are strongly encouraging all parents to contribute to the program. Remember, your contributions may be tax deductible. Please consult with your accountant or tax advisor for specifics.

Additionally, parents and students may be asked to participate in fundraising activities throughout the year in an effort to provide even greater financial support for the program. Participation is highly encouraged. However, lack of participation in these fundraising activities by a parent or guardian will not affect their student's ability to participate.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at any time!

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2018-2019 SCHEDULE OF ENSEMBLE CONTRIBUTIONS & COSTS

ENSEMBLE	MARCHING UNIT (Band, Drumline, Guard)	ORCHESTRA	WIND ENSEMBLE / SYMPHONIC BAND	JAZZ ENSEMBLE	WINTER DRUMLINE	WINTER GUARD
Annual Contribution						
<i>Early Bird before August 01</i>						
- Cash / Check		\$360	\$360			
- PayPal		\$371	\$371			
<i>After August 01</i>						
- Cash / Check		\$400	\$400			
- PayPal		\$412	\$412			
Fall Semester Contribution						
<i>Early Bird before August 01</i>						
- Cash / Check	\$495					
- PayPal	\$510					
<i>After August 01</i>						
- Cash / Check	\$550					
- PayPal	\$566					
Spring Semester Contribution						
<i>Early Bird before December 16</i>						
- Cash / Check				\$225	\$405	\$405
- PayPal				\$232	\$417	\$417
<i>After December 16</i>						
- Cash / Check				\$250	\$450	\$450
- PayPal				\$258	\$463	\$463
Trip Costs (a 1-day only this year)						
<i>WBA Championships (Student)</i>						
- Cash / Check	\$200					
- PayPal	\$206					
<i>WBA Championships (Parent)</i>						
- Cash / Check	\$200					
- PayPal	\$206					
Uniform / Concert Attire						
<i>1 Polo Shirt Required (all)</i>						
- Cash / Check	\$25	\$25	\$25	\$25		
- PayPal	\$26	\$26	\$26	\$26		
<i>Uniform</i>						
- Cash / Check	MB - Gloves & Dinkles DL - Dinkles	Additional for tuxedo/concert dress	Additional for tuxedo/concert dress	Additional for performance attire	\$250	\$250
- PayPal	CG** - \$175 (ck) or \$181 (cc)				\$258	\$258

* Students who have paid all costs for MB/WD/WG are exempt from the orchestra and wind ensemble/symphonic band contributions.

** Color Guard Members have additional costs for required gear and clothing accessories.

Payment & Delivery Methods		
PayPal on the music website. You must include an additional 3% for all PayPal transactions unless noted above as an Early Bird. http://thhsmusic.com	Silver booster box on the wall outside of Mr. Julian's Office in the Music Room. Checks payable to THHS Music Boosters	US Mail THHS Music Boosters PO Box 80395 Rancho Santa Margarita, CA 92688