



Dear Band Booster Parents,

Welcome to the band, orchestra and colorguard family! The fact that your child has joined any one (or more!) of the award winning Band, Orchestra, or Colorguard groups makes **you** eligible to be a Desert Mountain Band Booster! The Booster organization which is run by parent volunteers has one objective: to provide assistance to **ALL** DMHS Band, Orchestra and Colorguard participants and the staff guiding these programs.

ALL OUTSTANDING MUSIC PROGRAMS HAVE AN OUTSTANDING PARENTS GROUP SUPPORTING THEM.

Music programs simply cannot survive without the Boosters. Because our school district provides limited funding, we must raise funds to cover costs in the following areas:

- Music
- Festival and competition fees
- Uniform cleaning and alterations
- Instruments and repairs
- Supplies
- Concert expenses
- Transportation expenses
- Supplemental instructor costs

Every group under Director Michelle Irvin's instruction benefits from the Booster's financial support.

We are all in this together, so please join the Desert Mountain Band Boosters by paying your Boosters dues to directly support your child's musical experiences at DMHS. The paid Family Booster Dues gives you voting rights at Booster Meetings.

Your time and talents are critical to the success of these programs as well. We have volunteer opportunities that can take as little as 5 minutes! Please take a moment to review all the open opportunities at our website www.dmhsband.org on the "volunteer" tab. Through volunteer efforts, you will meet other band and orchestra parents and develop friendships while we bond as a team supporting our kids, not to mention getting to know the kids your child is spending all of their time with.

We know our Boosters will have additional events and family activities throughout the year but please consider volunteering whenever you can. Stay informed of social activities, meetings, and other band events through our website, online calendar at www.dmhsband.org and the Booster's weekly email.

Please join by completing the Dues Statement enclosed – one per set per family.

Thank you for your support of the Band, Orchestra & Colorguard Programs!



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2018 – 2019 Membership Dues Statement

Student(s) Name: _____ Grade _____

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Parent(s) Name: _____ Date _____

Parent Phone: _____ Parent Email: _____

BOOSTER DUES CATEGORY	Amount	Qty	Sub-Total
Family Membership Booster Dues <i>(Payable ONCE per family per year)</i>	\$25	1	\$25
<i>Additional Dues for ensembles are per student per year as follows:</i>			
All Concert Bands: <i>Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band, Symphonic Orchestra</i>	\$40		
All Jazz Bands: <i>Jazz I, Jazz II, Combos</i>	\$40		
Marching Band: <i>Includes Drum Majors, Drumline, Battery, Pit, Colorguard</i>	\$175		
FINAL TOTAL			\$

Note: Band Booster Ensemble dues will be waived if your student is a free/reduced lunch program participant

___ Check # _____ ___ Cash ___ PayPal

Checks payable to: Desert Mountain Band Boosters. You may write one check for multiple students, just write each name on your check, or you can pay online via PayPal at: <http://www.dmhsband.org/donations-fees.html>.

Return your forms and pay your dues as soon as possible! By mail, send to: **DMBB c/o Michelle Irvin, Desert Mountain High School, 12575 E. Via Linda, Scottsdale, AZ 85255**

By paying your Membership dues, your child's uniform(s) dry cleaning & alterations will be paid for through the Boosters. The Boosters also pay for all festival & competition fees. **The paid Family Booster Dues gives you voting rights at Booster Meetings.**

DESERT MOUNTAIN BAND BOOSTERS
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