



2015 Genesis Drum and Bugle Corps Sponsorship program

Dear Potential Supporter,

Thank you for taking the time to explore the many ways that we can help Genesis Drum and Bugle Corps achieve our goals. Founded in 2009, The Genesis Drum and Bugle Corps is a *non-profit educational youth organization*, chartered by the State of Texas and the IRS as a **501(c)3** corporation and is a member of Drum Corps International (DCI) and Winter Guard International (WGI). Designed to create a positive, educational and competitive atmosphere for music students from all across the state and some from across the country, our primary mission is to educate students in the musical and marching arts while providing an opportunity for students to explore new cultures, geographic territories and musical expressions. The organization, through its summer tour and winter activities, reaches nearly 600 students nationwide each year and it is because of our amazing supporters that we are able to make this happen.

Genesis will compete nationally in the summer of 2015 and we will be traveling on an 8,500-mile tour complete with housing, transportation, equipment, facilities, meals and a World Class Education, exceeding \$600,000 in total expenses for the tour. Each Genesis DBC student pays membership tuition/fees of **\$2300**, which help to offset a portion of these expenses. Successful fund-raising and extensive community support cover the majority. No donation amount is too small, all funding helps this our organization achieve our goals.

A few points to keep in mind:

- Contributions to the Genesis program are fully tax deductible.
- There are many ways to support our program that do not involve direct money (details below).
- All donations go directly to expenses to benefit our students.

If you would like to contribute to our program, either in part or full, please read or fill out the form attached to this letter. Please also note that direct financial contributions are not the only way to help our program and we encourage our students to work for their tuition goals. If you are able to offer the opportunity to a student participant for yard work, cleaning or other services to earn a contribution from you, we encourage you to do so.

Thank you for supporting the Genesis Drum and Bugle Corps.

Sincerely,

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Executive Director

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Genesis DBC Federal Tax-exempt ID: 27-1215254

Genesis Product or Services Donation Needs:

2015 Financial contribution program – Through the gracious generosity of TAMA marching products Genesis has been able to provide our students with quality percussion and brass instruments on a three year installment plan. The total cost of these instruments exceeds \$200,000 and all contributions made to Genesis will go to this program first until our instruments are paid for.

\$1200 – Brass Instrument Sponsorship – your business or family name will be engraved on a plaque and attached to the instrument so each generation will know who donated this instrument to our program. In addition your Family or Business name/logo will appear on our Equipment Trailer seen by 100's of thousands each year and you will be provided with a t shirt and commemorative poster at the conclusion of the season.

\$600 – Percussion Instrument Sponsorship - your Family or Business name/logo will appear on our Equipment Trailer seen by 100's of thousands each year and you will be provided with a t shirt and commemorative poster and the conclusion of the season.

\$100 - \$599 – Friends of Genesis Donation - you will be provided with a t shirt and commemorative poster and the conclusion of the season. Family or Business name on our “Friends of Genesis” banner displayed on our vehicles.

~~**The woodworking and build out of our two 30' Enclosed Equipment trailers.** – Through donation Genesis has acquired two 30' trailers that will be used to transport all our equipment across the country this summer. We are in need of cubbies, shelving and other items built in to these trailers to store our equipment effectively.~~

~~**RV for admin and volunteers.** – Genesis is in need of an RV for our summer tour in order to provide good shelter to our Admin and volunteer team as they prepare meals and often work completely outside each day.~~

¾ ton truck rental and Box truck rental – Genesis will be attempting a new touring model this season for the well being of our volunteers and students. We are hoping to secure a full or partial donation of a 14 foot or 16 foot box truck and a ¾ ton or 1 ton truck to pull a trailer. This rental is in excess of \$4500 and we are looking for a full or partial sponsorship of this rental.

Kitchen items wish list:

1 Full Commercial Refrigerator

2 commercial fryers

Kitchen gear (large bowls, servers, cutlery, pans, etc.)

[YOU CAN MAKE CREDIT CARD DONATIONS SECURELY ONLINE AT www.genesisdbc.org/Donate](http://www.genesisdbc.org/Donate)

[Mail your Donation to PO Box 42038 Austin, TX 78704 \(checks payable to Genesis DBC\)](mailto:PO Box 42038 Austin, TX 78704)

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*Please return this form with your donation or mail to our office. **Retain a copy for your records.*

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In order to properly credit your Donation properly, please complete the following and mail with your check or credit card information directly to our mailing address or give directly to the performer or staff member.

SPONSOR NAME/BUSINESS CONTACT _____

NAME OF BUSINESS _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

Street Name

City

State

Zip Code

PHONE _____ EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Please check all that apply:

___ Financial Donation \$ _____ (Amount) _____ (name as it should appear on dedication)

___ 14' box truck rental

___ ¾ or 1 ton Truck rental

___ Commercial Kitchen Items _____ (Item name)

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