

CVHS Wildcat Band Boosters NEWSLETTER

Oct. 4, 2024

Welcome to the [Wildcat Band Booster](#) Newsletter - a central hub for all things CVHS Band Boosters.

Wildcat band Looking to Shine in This Week's Competition!



A Few Notes from CVHS Band Director, Melissa Hall

We are so lucky to have 2 school days off to rest before our next competition Saturday Oct. 5. Come out and support our Marching Wildcats at South County High School 8501 Silverbrook Rd Lorton. Performance at 5:00 PM. Thank you to everyone who attended the Back to Band meeting Tuesday. In case you missed it, click [Here](#) for all the information including concert dates, uniform requirements, trip info, band fees, future fundraisers and more! Speaking of fundraisers, don't forget to support the band this Tuesday Oct. 8 at Panera night. Last year this event was so successful they ran out of bread. Let's throw carbs to the wind and do it again! – Melissa Hall

KEY DATES FOR THE UPCOMING WEEK

- Saturday Oct. 5, **Marching Band Competition at South County HS**. Students arrive at 9:30 AM. Check out the [South County Itinerary Here](#)

Students will need:

Eat breakfast before 9:30 arrival and bring a packed lunch

Marching band t-shirt

Shorts/Pants and whatever they will wear underneath their uniform

Black crew socks/Marching Shoes

Money for concessions

- Tuesday Oct. 8, 4:00 - 8:00 PM. Fundraiser Alert! **Panera** Restaurant Night. See flyer below.
- Oct. 16, **Myrtle Beach Spring Trip** (Apr. 3-6) deposit #1 due. Invoice located in mySchoolbucks. Click [Here](#) for more info.
- Thursday Oct. 17, **Spirit Wear** deadline for marching band jackets. See ordering form below.
- Saturday Oct. 19, Oakton Classic - [Full Itinerary Here](#)
- Oct. 25, Uniform check-in for all band students. Materials available on Schoology.

Snack Patrol. Please Consider Helping!

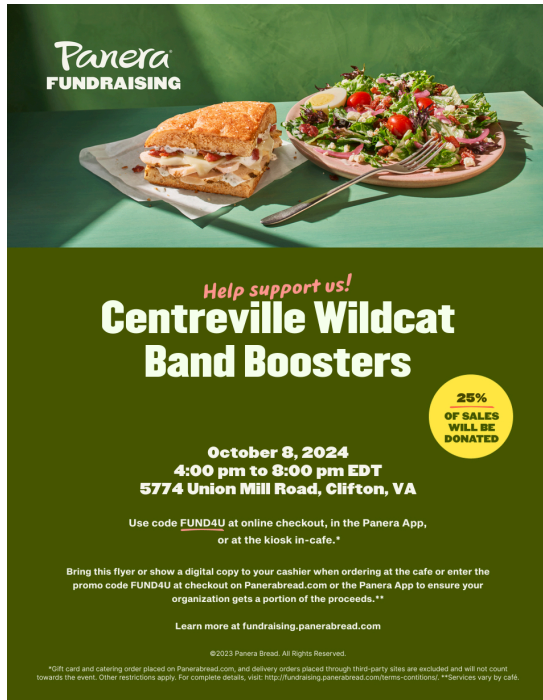
The students have decimated the snack supply and the sign up list has been expanded. Please consider picking up a box off the list next time you are at the store or warehouse and send it in with your marcher. Thank you to those who have sent items in already! [Sign up here!](#) to replenish the snack cupboard.

Senior Yard Signs - Now Taking Orders!



Senior Parents - Band Boosters are now taking orders for 2025 Band Senior Yard Signs. Buy a yard sign to celebrate your senior. Yard signs are double sided, 24wX18h and will be delivered around May 1, 2025. Cost is \$20. To order, complete the google form: [2025 Band Senior Yard Sign Form](#). Congratulations!

Fundraising Corner



The **Panera Fundraiser** is this

Tuesday, October 8th from 4-8pm.

Please support the band by ordering dinner (or lunch for the next day). 25% of sales will be donated back to the band!

Enter **FUND4U** in the promo code field if ordering online or in the app. Show this flyer if ordering in store. Thank you for supporting our final restaurant fundraiser night of the year.

There will be **two** more fundraisers this year.

1. **Double Good Popcorn Sales: December 9th - December 12th** This fundraiser will raise money for the Myrtle Beach trip AND guest sectional instructors. Sales are done entirely online. More information will come in November.
2. **Krispy Kreme Fundraiser: March 3rd - March 19th** More information will come in February.

And there is always the...



ANYTIME NO FRILLS FUNDRAISER: Anytime is a good time to donate to the CVHS Band programs. No donation is too small and all donations will go directly to our band programs for things like new uniforms, new instruments and more!. Scan the QR code to go to the Band PayPal/Credit Card donation page. Or enter the link into your web browser. <https://tinyurl.com/p36r452b>

Spirit Wear - Back by Popular Demand!

We usually only order spirit wear in August but we have had some requests to order a Marching Band jacket. *Please note* that these are NOT the same jackets the Marching Band wears as their uniform when it rains. It is a similar material but has the powercat image with the words 'Centreville Marching Band' over the left chest and the option to add an embroidered name (\$15 extra) on the right chest.

We are selling this jacket as a courtesy. It is not required and is optional for those who want to show their spirit! Please contact Paige Witte at paige.witte@gmail.com if you have any questions about ordering.



Charles River Adult Performer Jacket

The **Centreville Marching Band Jackets** are available for purchase until **Thursday, 10/17**.

To place your order:

1. Complete the order form [HERE](#)
2. Write a check made payable to 'Wildcat Band Boosters' (\$77 for the jacket OR \$92 for the jacket with a personalized name)
3. Give your check to Ms. Hall by **Thursday, October 17th**.

NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED.
Orders will be delivered in early November.

Volunteers [Sign up here!](#) for future **game day and competition** needs.

Amazon Wish List

Looking for a way to help the band that doesn't involve one more thing on your calendar? Here's an easy solution, simply make purchases off the CVHS Wildcat Band Boosters [Amazon Wish List](#) and the items will be shipped directly to Band Director Melissa Hall at CVHS. What could be easier? Thanks in advance for the assist!

A Special Request from our Band Director

Some of you may know that the football team's Friday game night dinners are donated by local restaurants. We think our students work just as hard. Currently, the band provides dinners for our marchers out of our annual budget. We are looking for parents with connections in the community who may know any restaurant owners who would like to donate a pregame dinner for our band. It doesn't have to be fancy. Contact Melissa Hall MAHall3@fcps.edu

Wildcat Marching Band 2024 Calendar

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Event</i>
Jul. 26	9:00–12:00 PM	Leadership Training (MB leaders only)
Jul. 29– Aug 2	8:00–4:00 PM	*First Week of Band Camp* @CVHS
Aug. 5– Aug 9	8:00–4:00 PM	Second Week of Band Camp
Aug. 6	7:00 PM	MB Parent Meeting
Aug. 8	6:30 PM	MB Progressive Dinner
Aug. 12, 13	6:00 PM–9:00 PM	Band Camp Evening Rehearsal
Aug. 14	4:00–6:00 PM	CVHS Back to School Festival
Aug. 16	7:30–9:00 AM	CVHS Rising 9th Grade Orientation
Aug. 23	During School	Centreville Band Pyramid Tour
Aug. 24	11:00–2:00 PM	Car Wash Fundraiser (Union Mill Colonnade)
Sept. 4	5:00–9:00 PM	Chipotle Fundraiser (Multiplex Dr)
Sept. 6	7:00 PM	Home vs. West Potomac
Sept. 13	7:00 PM	Away vs. Fairfax
Sept. 14	8:45 AM–2:00 PM	TAG DAY Music Department Fundraiser
Sept. 20	7:00 PM	Home vs. Mountain View
Sept. 21	2:00–11:15 PM	MB Competition Woodgrove HS Purcellville
Sept. 27	5:00 PM (arrive 3:45)	Homecoming Parade and Game (Oakton)
Oct. 1	7:00 PM	All Bands Meeting CVHS Auditorium
Oct. 5	5:00 PM (arrive 9:30)	MB Competition at South County HS Lorton
Oct. 8	4:00–8:00 PM	Panera Fundraiser (Union Mill Colonnade)
Oct. 18	7:00 PM	Home vs. Westfield
Oct. 19	TBD	Marching Band Competition Oakton HS
Oct. 25	7:00 PM	Home vs. Chantilly (Senior Night)
Oct. 26	TBD	MB Assessment Liberty HS Bealeton
Nov. 12	7:00–8:30	Band Booster Mtg. on Google Meet
TBD	TBD	Marching Band End of Season Banquet
Wildcat Marching Band Regular Rehearsal Schedule (Schedule subject to change as needed)		
8/20 - 10/24	T, W, Th	3:15 PM - 5:15 PM
Wildcat Marching Band Playoff Schedule		
Possible play-off games include 3 weekends of Regionals in November and 2 weekends of States in December. Go Cats!		