

LRHS Band News and Notes 12/21/2022

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Important Dates:

• January 10, 2023 - Payment #4 for the CB and SB Spring Trip Due - \$250

NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1. CB and SB Spring Trip:
- Payment #4 is due by Tuesday, January 10th, 2023
- Checks made payable to LRHS Bands can be sent to school with your student and placed in the band room safe. Payments can also be made via PayPal: <u>Making</u> <u>Payments via PayPal</u>
- Our VPs will provide important trip details in the weeks to come. In the meantime, keep an eye out for deals on these items during the holiday shopping season: <u>Disney Park</u> Essentials
- 2. Reminder when placing orders the RaiseRightGift Cards:

Please remember to order the digital version of these gift cards when placing your orders. We have to pay extra money when physical cards are ordered. Please see the information about this fundraising gift card program in the *Previous Announcements* section of this newsletter. If you have further questions regarding this program the contact person for this program is: Angela Hamilton (984) 204-9360

PREVIOUS NEWS AND NOTES------

1. Making TRIP Payments via PayPal

A few people have asked about whether it is still possible to sign up for the trip. All trip commitment forms and the first two trip payments must be turned in/paid by the November 15 deadline; the trip organizers are finalizing the details and students cannot be added to the trip after that date.

Questions regarding the trip commitment forms or the trip in general can be directed to either a) Kristi Phillips (<u>Ksphillips136@gmail.com</u>) or b) Melanie Shoffner (<u>mbshoffner620@gmail.com</u>).

2. Uniforms - Concert and Intermediate Band:

For students that placed a tuxedo attire order (or sent in an alteration) with Savvi Formalwear, your tuxedo item(s) are ready to be picked up from Savvi. When you pick up the tuxedo, please bring your band student and their formal wear shoes to try on with the tuxedo to confirm fit and hem. Savvi will perform alterations at no additional cost.

Most students have already paid for their tuxedos. If you have not already paid, the payment will be due in full directly to Savvi at the time of pickup. No appointment is necessary.

Savvi Formalwear and Bridal is located in Pleasant Valley Promenade:

6220 Glenwood Ave, Suite 110

Raleigh, NC 27612

919-783-8911

Hours of Operation:

Sat: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Sun: Closed

Mon - Fri: 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Contact Erin Campbell with any questions at epc8877@yahoo.com.

3. Fundraising News: Scrip/RaiseRight gift card program: We have a new coordinator for this exciting fundraising program. We are putting together details for our band families and a full announcement will be included in next week's Band News and Notes. To introduce it, here is the description form the LRHS Band Handbook:

RaiseRight: Angela Hamilton

Updated Info on the Scrip/RaiseRight gift card program: Please Note: This program is a "Digital Gift Card" system. No physical cards will be supplied. Once purchased,

families can access all of their gift cards in the RaiseRight app at any time. RaiseRight works similarly to the Grocery Cards. The major differences are: 1.) The cards are ordered ahead of time and delivered about 2 weeks after orders are taken. 2.) RaiseRight includes, but is not limited to, local stores. Some stores include Sears, Gap, Pottery Barn and some restaurants include Little Caesar's, Red Robin, Chili's. A complete list of stores and more details about the program can be found on the company's website at raiseright.com. Some cards are reloadable at the stores, but to get the rebate you must purchase a new one each time from the Band's Club.

Angela has provided the following extra information: The enrollment code for RaiseRight is: 411B3F35692L

If you have further questions please contact Angela Hamilton (achamilton81@gmail.com).

3. Capital Campaign Reminder:

Capital Campaign donations from Charms

Donations to the Capital Campaign can be made from your student's Charms account. (Note that donations from fundraised money are not tax deductible.) **Donations must be received by December 9th to be included in the Winter Concert Program**, and March 3rd to be included in the MPA Festival Concert program.

Here is the Capital Campaign letter with donation form:

2022-23 Capital Campaign letter.docx (1).pdf - Google Drive

Recognition Levels: Captain \$500+

Lieutenant \$250 Sergeant \$100 Corporal \$50

If interested, send the following donor information and your donation check – made payable to LRHS Bands Club – c/o Linda McCall LRHS Bands Club Treasurer, 4601 Wood Valley Drive Raleigh, NC 27613