



2009-2010

Lake Braddock Bruin Band Boosters, Inc.

A Wonderful Fall Season For the Bruin Band

Hello Everyone,

What a wonderful Fall season for the Bruin Band. It is great seeing so many new faces at the picnic, in the crowd at the football games' halftimes, and actively engaged at the various events as chaperones, drivers, pit crew and various other roles. It is also great seeing so many new names in the Band Boosters. Our talented children, our incredible directors, our amazing Lake Braddock Bruin Band, cannot achieve being at their best without your active support and encouragement.

Our grateful "Thanks!" to Cassie Sinichko for all the hard work she put into the band Web site over the past few years. The wealth of information, the very heart and soul of the Band that she has captured and highlighted through her work is very much appreciated! I would also like to thank those who answered (and continue to answer) our calls for volunteers including car washes, Tag Day, 50-50 drawings, and Back to School nights. Please note the new names in some of our key endeavors and positions. Bob Malinowski has taken the baton from Cassie Sinichko as our Webmaster, Janette Doucette is both our lead for the Progressive Dinner, and is collecting and organizing donations for our Dinner Dance/Silent Auction on November 7. Yvonne Hurst is our Middle School Liaison and lead for the Middle School Festival, and Debbie Caramella has joined with Andrea Hellier as our Membership Co-Chair. If you are interested in volunteering please send me an email or call. We still have some vacant, and important, positions and are always looking for shadows for our senior parent volunteers.

Once again, one of our major fundraisers was a huge success. Doug Terrell did an amazing job keeping all the numerous parts working in harmony to make this year's Tag Day a fun, safe and memorable adventure. Along with some great weather, the success is a direct result of the hard work, relationships and continued support of our Lake Braddock Band "Family" and our community. (See page 4 for complete story).

As you will see, October and November will be very busy months for the Band with a lot of exciting events including Homecoming on October 9, the competition in Hanover on October 17, performing at the University of Richmond on October 24, and the VBODA State Marching Festival at West Springfield HS on October 31. Among the recent updates and additions to the calendar: on October 13, our host, Dr. Song Yang, Director of the China Cultural and Education Foundation, will be at LBSS to update us on preparations for the China trip. Be sure to get your tickets for **A Slow Boat to China** and join us for a fundraising extravaganza to help the band go to China this spring. This adult evening of dinner, entertainment, dancing, and a silent auction is Saturday, November 7, at 6:30 pm. All past and present band families and guests are invited. You will even be able to do a little holiday shopping with our great auction items.

Thank you,
Dave Gai, President
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Thanks!

Laura Nelson -
Newsletter Editor

Band Booster Contact Information

All parents are invited to get involved in the band. You are encouraged to join the band boosters and/or volunteer in one of the many activities that support the band students. Some jobs require a little of your time, while others are more involved. We welcome you, whatever you choose to do! The most important thing is to be there for our children, in the audience, cheering at every performance. These can be the best days of your child's life, and you want to make the most of them.

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The LAKE BRADDOCK BRUIN BAND BOOSTERS, INC. is a non-profit public charity (501(c)(3) incorporated in the Commonwealth of Virginia to provide financial and organizational support to the band and color guard programs, their directors, and the school they represent. Volunteer activities are organized and promoted by the Board of Directors and committee chairpersons. The goal of over 400 parents and friends of the band is to help our children understand the value of teamwork, and the benefits of working toward positive goals.

Thank you to the families of the following band members for joining the Bruin Band Boosters! Your support is greatly appreciated!

Abbott, Nicholas	Eby, Eddie	Kim, Rachel	Pham, Amanda	Throop, Dominique & Keegan
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Lake Braddock Bruin Band Boosters 2009-2010 Membership Form

Membership advantages include:

- Free admission to Winter, Pre-festival and Spring Concerts
(membership cards will be required to be shown at concerts)
- No waiting to purchase tickets at the concert
- Voting Rights at Board Meetings
- Support of students



To Become a Bruin Band Booster Member:

- Complete this form
- Make check payable to BBB
- Send completed form and check to Andrea Hellier, 6412 Lake Meadow Drive, Burke, VA 22015
- You will be sent membership confirmation via e-mail. Please print for your records.

Alumni ☐

Name (s) of current band member(s): _____

Name of Booster Member _____ @ \$10 _____

_____ @ \$10 _____

_____ @ \$10 _____

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TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

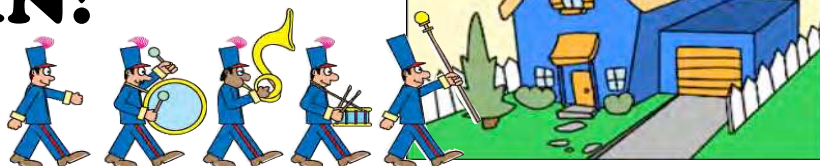
Street Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____



TAG DAY WAS A HUGE SUCCESS ... AGAIN!

*And it Didn't
Rain!*



In the Tag Day follow-up, we often talk about numbers: how many students participated, the number of volunteers, the number of homes visited, how many streets were driven down, the amount donated, the quantity of flyers mailed, the number of pieces of pizza eaten, and so on. Although those statistics are impressive, they certainly won't be the only memories we take away from Tag Day.

Instead, what we will remember most is the Band community. From students, to parents, to directors ... Nothing this complicated gets done by any one person or even a dedicated few. It happens because everybody pulls together in support of the Band. Being Tag Day Coordinator allows one to see just how special this organization really is.

A big thanks to everyone involved, from individuals who helped throughout the day, to the students, drivers, counters, hosts, helpers, closet moms, band directors, the lunch crew, and all those folks doing their 'everyday' Band jobs (eCommunications, Secretary, Directory, Webmaster, Newsletter, Treasurer, et al) and anybody else I might have missed.

Because of all of you, it was again a very successful Tag Day.

I must end with a personal 'Thank you' to Jacki Robinette, who headed this effort for many years. She was ever so patient with all my questions. Much of this year's success is directly attributable to what Jacki taught me – the mistakes, of course, I managed to learn on my own. (Jacki must really have missed Tag Day-she volunteered to be a Sector House Helper this year!)

Thanks again,

Doug Terrell • Tag Day Coordinator 2009 • (703) 455-3819 • terrellfamily5@verizon.net



Welcome to New Band Webmaster, Bob Malinowski

Our grateful "Thanks!" to Cassie Sinichko for all the hard work she put into the band Web site over the past few years. Cassie officially turned over the Webmaster baton to Bob Malinowski. Please email any updates or changes to RobertMalinowski@erols.com - Dave Gai

Dear Band Friends,

We are completing the transition of the band website over to the new webmaster . . .
Bob Malinowski.

For those band parents who are detail oriented – please spend time going through the various pages and let Bob know anything that you

happen to notice that needs changed or updated. I know, for me, those emails were always appreciated. I truly enjoyed maintaining the band website these past few years! I already miss having a kid in the band but look forward to the football games and winter performances. Best wishes for an exciting year as you plan or the big trip to China!

Take care,
Cassie



News and Information from Mr Holder



We have put off asking for uniform and transportation payments for a while so that you could get through all the rush of school starting and those expenses. It is now necessary for us to begin collecting these fees.

- Fall transportation for all three trips: \$70.00
- Uniform-includes marching and concert uniforms and cleaning: \$55.00
- Guard Uniform-marching uniform only: \$35.00

These fees are due by ASAP. If it is not possible for you to return these payments by the end of October please contact Mr. Holder.

On Tuesday Oct. 13, 7:30pm in the High School Band room we will hold a second China information meeting. At this time Dr. Song Yang of the Cultural and Educational Foundation will be here from China to discuss trip arrangements and answer questions. Parents and Students are welcome. While the trip is still very much in the formative stages, we want to try to make sure you are current on what is happening and you get information from the best source possible.

Schedule:

Friday October 2

Pep Band to Robinson, 6:00pm

Friday October 9

Homecoming Parade, 4:30pm

Uniforms 5:30pm Game, 7:30pm

Friday October 16

Home football game, Uniforms 5:30

Saturday October 17

Band Contest-Hanover County HS

Rehearse, 11:00am, Perform 6:15pm

Home, 10:00pm

Friday October 23

Pep Band, Annandale 6:30 pm

Saturday October 24

University of Richmond Ball Game

Rehearse, 10:00am

Game, 3:30pm, Home, 9:00pm

Friday October 30

Home football game

Uniforms, 5:30pm, Game 7:30pm

Saturday October 31

VBODA Sate Marching Festival

Rehearse, 12:00 noon

Perform, 3:45pm, Home 5:30pm

Friday November 6

Band West Springfield, 6:30pm

All Saturday times are tentative until we get final start times from the hosts.

Volunteer Opportunities Here!

Pit Crew

Rocky Benedetto

New Pit Crew Coordinator

rockybenedetto@hotmail.com • 703-323-7688



Still Need a Few Pit Crew Volunteers! Get the Best Seat in the House!

Pit Crew is the group of parents who move the percussion equipment on and off the field during marching band season (September through early November). Members of the Pit Crew get the best seat in the house, on the field a few feet from the band. It's a great volunteer opportunity for people who want to be involved, and like a short-term commitment. Even if you travel for your job and cannot make every football game and/or competition, you can still sign up and make it when your schedule allows. The more people we have helping, the more smoothly things run and the easier it is on everybody. Look forward to hearing from you. Thank you!

Chaperone Corner

Chaperones still needed for Competitions

Oct 17 - Richmond • Oct 24 - Richmond (exhibition)

Oct 31 - VBODA (West Springfield HS)

Contact me if you can help. Thank you!

Lisa Brunson • Chaperone Coordinator • brunson7@cox.net • 703-455-0796

**Magnets
\$5.00**



Spirit Wear Items For Sale

**Drawstring Bag
\$5.00**



**Car Decals
\$3.00**

BRUIN BAND



**Stadium Seats
\$15 each
Or
\$25 for two**



**All items are available for immediate purchase. Please contact:
Mia Gai at 703-323-4990 or miamama@cox.net**

Another Successful Band Picnic

Our annual band family picnic was held September 3 at Burke Lake Park. Hopefully, everyone had a chance to purchase entertainment books, sign up to be a BBB member, purchase White House ornaments, sign up to be a chaperone or a member of the pit crew and get to know one another again before marching season officially began. And a big thanks to for all the wonderful food. The Band Picnic went without a hitch and I would like to especially thank Erin Hartman and Joy Kubik for their help setting and cleaning up!

Tris Miserendino • miserendinotris@cox.net • 703-440-0991





Hung Up in the Closet

There Go The White Pants!!



Have you seen the drill? Swan Lake? The part where they go down on one knee?? In the mud, dirt, water (if there is any)?? I can't tell you how many kids came running to me during band camp worried about the knees of the white pants. I didn't know they cared. Maybe now they will hang them properly on the hanger! I assured them, the pants will survive, and that's why we have our wonderful dry cleaner Connie!!



Speaking of wonderful, I'd like to thank everyone who helped during Band Camp. The kids. They were respectful, polite and willing to do whatever I needed to get the fitting process done in 5 days. My closet helpers, Sue Diessner and Janette Doucette. They worked tirelessly helping everyone get their uniforms on and off and hung properly and kept the flow going smoothly.



My sewers who kept up and got the work done before pictures were taken. The moms who helped during Picture Day, which in my opinion, is the hardest day we have. And the guys who helped organize all the hats and got them into numerical order before the first game. Thank you all for your hard work in getting the kids ready to go.

Susan Stanger • Closet Mom

703-764-9480 • lbclosetmom@yahoo.com

Instrument Petting Zoo



The next Instrument Petting Zoo will be on Sunday, November 1st. The theme will be Halloween so don't put your costumes away! Signup sheets will be in the band room in early October.

All High School band students are welcome to attend. Earn community service hours! Questions? Contact Sue Diessner, 703-455-6956 (home) 571-723-7388 (cell) or lbpettingzoo@verizon.net.

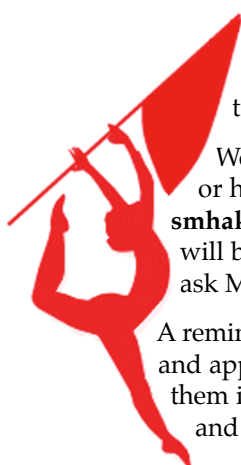


The colorguard has been working hard for the past month at perfecting routines for the marching band show. Their rehearsals are Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays after school with the band as well as the occasional Saturday practice as we approach the competition season. Thank you to Nena Hakmati, an alumni parent, for sewing all of the flags this season.

We are still looking for one more equipment manager for the Fall. Your child can be in middle school or high school at Lake Braddock to participate. For more information contact Miss Hakmati at smhakmati@fcps.edu. It is not too late for colorguard members to sign-up to go on the China trip. We will be performing there and would love to have a large colorguard to represent Lake Braddock. Please ask Mr. Holder, Mr. Luley, or Miss Hakmati for more information if you are interested.

A reminder for performances: All guard members must bring hair pins, hair net, clean gloves, socks, shoes, and appropriate undergarments. If you are having a hard time getting those gloves white, try soaking them in bleach over night as soon as the kids get home. That should work! The captains, Anika, Maerna, and Tara, and I want to thank you all for your support and hope to see you at the performances!

-Miss Hakmati (Colorguard Coach)



Fundraising Information

Profits from the Citrus, Scrip and Entertainment books go into the students' individual accounts and may be used for August band rehearsal fee, uniform rentals, or spring trip fees. This year, \$1 from each White House Ornaments sold goes directly to the student's account. Profit from car washes funds a special student account used for specific purposes.



Entertainment Books

Want a fast way to earn MONEY to fund your band expenses? Sell Entertainment Books! Not only do your customers get fabulous discounts on restaurants, movies, sporting events and more, but you get \$15 deposited into your personal band account for each book you sell! This is a quick way to build up your account! As a bonus, receive a free book for every 5 you sell. Check the website for information to order out-of-area books. Please return money for books sold as soon as possible. An envelope may be placed in the "Purple Box" in the Band Room with Entertainment Books and the student's name on the outside. **WANT AD:** Since Pam & I are both senior parents, we are looking for someone to take over this project for next year. *Thanks!* Questions? Contact the Co-coordinators, Pam Lieber (rrpjl@aol.com, 703-644-2497) and Judy Bleacher (ja.bleacher@verizon.net, 703-250-0814)

Citrus

The fall citrus delivery date will be Friday, December 4, 2009. This is always the big sale, but this year let's set a record! *A reminder to the Class of 2009 and Alumni -- If you had some customers who would like to continue purchasing fruit, please send me their information.* I'll have more info on order collection and volunteer sign up later. Thanks! Sue Diessner • lbcitrus@verizon.net • 703-455-6956 home • 571-723-7388 cell



Scrip



Orders are generally placed every two weeks. Go to www.lbband.org and click on fundraiser and click on scrip. Fill out the order form. Checks need to accompany the order. Questions? Go to www.lbband.org or contact scrip coordinator, **Monique Fraedrich** at moniquefraed@verizon.net or 703-440-8655.

2009 White House Ornament

The price is still only \$18.00!



BBB is selling White House Ornaments (WHO) again this year. They make great gifts for family, friends and business associates. Band and color guard students may earn up to 3 letter points (one for every 12 ornaments sold).

HOW DO I GET INVOLVED? You can take home WHO on 'consignment' simply by signing them out with me. Get as many, as often as you want and return any unsold WHO by the first week in December. Ask your friends, neighbors and co-workers to support the band!

WHO will be available at concerts and other band events or by calling me to set up a pick up time. All proceeds benefit the entire High School band program at Lake Braddock, and this year, the students earn \$1 for their personal account for every WHO sold. Prior Years Ornaments, starting with the very first WHO in 1981, are also available. Contact **Mawi Nutley** at 703-426-8777 or whitehouseornaments@lbband.org. *Thank you for supporting our wonderful LB Bands.*

NEEDED: Volunteers (Adults and Students) to man the BBB booths at the PTSA Craft Show on Saturday, October 17 8am-4pm (there's a competition that day, so students sign up for a morning time) and the Election Day Bake Sale on November 3, 7am-4pm.



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Lake Braddock Marching Band



There are days, and there are Glory Days.™

Lake Braddock Band Fundraiser

WHAT: A Great-Tasting Fundraising Event!

WHEN: August 24 – November 6, 2009

WHERE: Any Glory Days Grill in Virginia

WHY: When you dine at a Glory Days Grill on your designated nights, the restaurant will contribute 10% of your total food purchases to the Lake Braddock Band Boosters. Bring your neighbors, friends, and relatives, because the 10% applies to the total food bill. Simply ask your server for a copy of your guest check (not credit card receipt) and please put your receipts in the purple box or mail to Ann Pierpoint at 9333 Mainsail Dr. Burke VA 22015.

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Not combinable with any other promotions, offers or discounts. This 10% donation cannot apply to sales tax, alcoholic beverages, or to any guest check that receives any other type of discount, coupon, offer or promotion. See Fundraiser Rules for full details.



Countdown to China

In just a few short months Lake Braddock Band members will be blasting off to China. The China Fundraising Committee has been hard at work identifying fundraising opportunities to reduce the cost of the trip for our students. Below are some of the events we have planned. We need your help to make these a success. Look at the events and contact Bobbi Hess at 703-440-0851 or bobbihess@me.com to volunteer. We promise you will have a great time.

EVENT	HELP NEEDED
<p>Dinner Dance & Auction – Save the date of November 7, 2009 for a Band Boosters Dinner Dance and Silent Auction. This adult event will be open to Band Boosters, Band Booster and Band Alumni, and guests. You will even be able to do a little holiday shopping with our great auction items. We need people to serve on various committees to prepare for this fun event.</p> <p>Auction item donations should be directed to Janette Doucette at splitz@maxhat.net or (703) 426-2820.</p>	<p>Coordinator Food / Beverages Decorations Music / Entertainment Auction Item Solicitation Ticket Sales Auction Supervisor Set-up / Clean-up Publicity</p>
<p>Alumni Concert – Save the date of January 9, 2010 for a fabulous concert featuring several of our accomplished alumni. Concert will be held at the Rachel M. Schlesinger Center at Northern Virginia Community College. Tickets will go on sale in the fall.</p>	<p>Database Development Envelope Stuffing Accounting</p>
<p>Corporate / Business Sponsorships – We will be soliciting corporate sponsorships and donations from local businesses. If you have contacts within corporations / businesses that could lead to grant money or donations, please provide that information to Karl Kessenich at 703-426-1646 or kkessenich@mindspring.com.</p>	<p>Database Development Envelope Stuffing Accounting</p>
<p>Letter Writing Campaign – We will be sending letters to friends and families requesting their support. We will be requesting names and addresses of family and friends that might be willing to contribute.</p>	<p>Address Collection Database Development Envelope Stuffing Accounting</p>
<p>Glory Days Dining for Dollars – Eat out at Glory Days, ask for a copy of your receipt, and turn it into the purple box; its as easy as that! The Boosters receive 10% of the food bill. See the flyer in this newsletter for more details. Tell your friends and neighbors to save their receipts too!</p>	<p>Publicity Someone to tally the receipts Everyone tell your friends and neighbors!</p>
<p>50/50 Raffle – We are running the 50-50 raffles at the home football games (the band and the lucky ticket holder split that night's raffle ticket sales). We need several long-armed people with booming voices. Contact Dave Gai at (703) 323-4990 or dgai@cox.net.</p>	<p>Ticket Sellers</p>
<p>Fall Raffle – We are looking to run a "big ticket" item raffle during Marching Band season. If you have contacts in businesses that might be willing to donate items for raffle, please contact Dave Gai at (703) 323-4990 or dgai@cox.net.</p>	<p>Ticket Sales Collection Publicity Coordinator</p>
<p>Bruin Baskets – We still have a few Bruin Baskets as well as baskets representing several colleges. They are \$45. Contact Bobbi Hess at 703-440-0851 or bobbihess@me.com to purchase one.</p>	
<p>Online Campaign – We are running an online fundraising campaign through Alumni Fidelity (http://alumnifidelity.com/ChinaCulturalTour2010.html or http://alumnifidelity.com/organizations/144). This campaign primarily reaches out to the band alumni, friends, professional contacts and businesses, however, anyone can contribute through this website via PayPal..</p>	

Join Us . . .



On a Slow Boat to China

For an evening of
Dinner
Entertainment
Dancing
Silent Auction

Tickets - \$50
Contact Bobbi Hess at
bobbihess@me.com or
703-440-0851

Saturday, November 7
6:30 p.m.
Burke Fire Hall



Band Calendar



2009-2010

Lake Braddock Bruin Band Boosters, Inc.

October

- 2 Away Game vs. Robinson 7:30 pm
- 9 Homecoming Parade 4:00 pm
- 9 Homecoming Game vs. Lee 7:30 pm (50-50 Raffle)
- 13 Dr Song Yang presents China Update
- 16 Home Game vs. South County 7:30 pm (50-50 Raffle)
- 17 Marching Band Competition Hanover HS, Richmond
- 23 Away Game vs. Annandale 7:30 pm
- 24 Marching Band Performance at University of Richmond
- 30 Home Game vs. West Potomac 7:30 pm (50-50 Raffle)
- 31 VBODA State Marching Festival at West Springfield HS

November

- 6 Possible Away Game vs. West Springfield 7:30 pm
- 7 Dinner, Dance & Silent Auction (China fundraiser)
- 9 Band Boosters General Membership Meeting
- 24 Jazz Ensemble at Lake Braddock 7:30 pm

December

- 1 HS Orchestra Concert
- 4 Band Citrus Sale Delivery
- 8 MS Band Winter Concert
- 10 HS Band Winter Concert
- 15 Symphony/Choir Concert
- 20 Jazz Band Holiday Celebration, 5-10 pm

January

- 5 Tri M Meeting (Rm P 121) • six service hours are due at this time, 2:30 pm
- 9 All District Band Auditions
- 9 LB Alumni Fundraising Concert at Schlishenger Hall (China fundraiser)
- 16 Progressive Dinner -Full Band and Color Guard

February

- 4-6 All District Band
- 8 Band Boosters General Membership Meeting
- 24 Middle School Pre-Festival Band Concert
- 27 All State Virginia Band & Orchestra Auditions (auditioning students only)

March

- 6 Middle School District Band Festival
- 9 HS Pre-Festival Band Concert
- 12-13 HS Band Festival
- 17 Orchestra Pre-Festival Concert
- 18-20 Orchestra Festival
- 23-April 1 Band Trip to China

April

- 8-10 All State Virginia Band and Orchestra (selected students only)
- 7 Tri M Meeting Rm P 121, 2:30 pm
- 16-17 Solo and Ensemble Festival
- 23-24 Solo and Ensemble Festival
- TBD Big Band Jam-Jazz Band

May

- 10 Band Boosters General Membership Annual Meeting
- 20 Trombone Choir/Jazz Ensemble Spring Concert

June

- 8 Middle School Band Concert
- 10 HS Band Spring Concert
- 13 High School Band Banquet
- 21 Graduation (Symphonic Band and Concert 1 Band only)

Dates Subject to Change

Check band calendar at www.lbband.org

It is possible that unexpected conflicts such as weather or performance opportunities could cause adjustments to this schedule. If this should occur, we will get information to you as soon as possible. It is our intent to give you as much advance information as possible.