



## Muscle Shoals High School Band Boosters

# News & Notes



September 2006

### From the Director - Pat Stegall

#### “HOT” News

The band is working really hard to get the competition show on the field. We are about two-thirds of the way through and are right on track. The music is getting clearer and the marching and drill are getting cleaner every day. Make sure you do your part as a band parent by attending the meetings and participating in the events. You really need to be there for all the fun.

Our schedule for September includes the UNA Night of Bands on the 23<sup>rd</sup> and the BOA Regional in Murfreesboro on the 30<sup>th</sup>. I will have tickets for the Night of Bands next week that may be purchased for \$5. They will only be presold so you must get one before the day of the exhibition. Our first home game is with Brewer on the 15<sup>th</sup>. Thanks for all you do to support our band program.

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### From the President - Darlene Austin

Well, we are up and running on a new season! Thanks to all the parents who have helped so far to make this year successful. We are starting to work seriously on TVIMC and any help is appreciated. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year and we need everyone to be involved. Just give any officer a call and they can direct you to who needs volunteers. Don't forget we have our September meeting this Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. See you then!!

Don't forget to sell your Parisian tickets! Money is due soon!

### Pit Dad Report - Scott Hester

Pit Dads meet every Thursday night at 5:00 p.m. at Maxwell's Restaurant to eat and then go to the prop room at 6:00 p.m. to work on that week's projects. We are working on the prop designs for Mr. Stegall. Join us this week and help this become another great year for your band student.

### MSMS Director - Terry Ownby

#### MSMS BAND: HOME OF THE CHAMPIONS

I am excited about the new year at MSMS. We have some outstanding students in the band and we are looking forward to a great year. There are a few dates that everyone needs to mark on the calendar:

*September 13 - Fall Fundraiser.* We need everyone the help make this the most successful fundraiser ever for the MSMS Band. Our goal is to make \$11,000 in profit from this event. That is only \$500.00 more than we made last year. If everyone does their part, and we meet this goal, we will not need to do a Spring fundraiser.

October 6 - HOMECOMING PARADE for the CONCERT and SYMPHONIC BAND MEMBERS

December 12 - Our Annual Christmas Concert for all Band students at 7:00 p.m.

May 10 - Our Annual Musifest Concert for All band students at 7:00 p.m.

If there is ever anything you have a question about, please don't hesitate to call the me. The direct phone number for the Middle School band room is 389-2642. Please leave me a message and I will get back to you as quickly as possible.

Mr. O

### Concession Stand News...

Thanks to all those who helped us at the Jamboree Game. Adults and students alike jumped in to serve the large crowd (much larger than we had anticipated)!

Please remember, we will not have the students to help us at the regular ball games, so we really need your help in the concession stands on Friday nights. If you have not signed up to work the concession stand, please let William or Susan Bonee know ASAP. Thanks in advance for your help!

Contact William or Susan at 381-0671

## Dates to Remember

September 1 - Colbert County (Away)  
September 5 - Band Booster Meeting  
September 5 - Colbert County **JV** (Home)  
September 8 - Athens (Away)  
September 15 - Brewer (Home)  
September 22 - Hartselle (Away)  
September 23 - UNA Night of Bands  
September 26 - Florence **JV** (Home)  
September 29 - Hazelwood (Home)  
September 30 - BOA - Murfreesboro, TN

**BAND BOOSTER MEETING  
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5  
7:00 p.m.**

**WE NEED EVERY PARENT  
AT THIS MEETING!**

### **Muscle Shoals High School Band Boosters Mission**

**The mission of MSHS Band Boosters is to be an advocate for the value of music education and provide volunteer and financial support for students and directors in the band program.**

**Our values are:**

**Youth Development  
Inclusiveness  
Artistry**



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