


From the Podium...

Welcome to March. Where is the year going? There is a lot of information to share, so I will get right to it. Both the concert band and wind ensemble will perform in the ETSBOA State concert band festivals. The concert band will perform at the middle area festival at Farragut High School on March 17 and the wind ensemble will travel to Johnson City to perform in the upper area festival on April 2. Any ensemble receiving an overall division 1 rating at this year's regional festivals will be invited to perform at the state level festival held in Nashville in 2005. The concert band will perform in grade 3 and the wind ensemble will perform in grade 6. (Music is rated from grade 1 through 6.) I urge everyone to attend the March booster meeting on Tuesday, March 9 at 7:00 p.m. We will be discussing next year's budget - we are approaching this upcoming fiscal year from a whole different perspective and we would love to have everyone's input in this process. The number of students taking private lessons continues to increase as does the individual progress of those students involved. There is no greater opportunity than to have one on one instruction with an expert on your instrument. Congratulations to Mark Cardwell who was selected to the TMEA All-State Jazz band for the second straight year. Mark has achieved a level of musical success that few students ever achieve. As this year blurs to a close - please continue to support your children and our program.

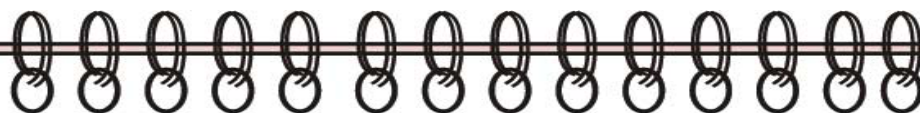
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NEXT BOOSTER MEETING
MARCH 9, 2004
AT 7:00 PM IN THE BAND FACILITY

Booster News

At the March Booster Meeting, will be discussing the budget and student fees for next year.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 9: Band Booster Meeting - 7:00 PM - SDHS Bandroom
- March 8 - 16: Cookie Dough fundraiser
- March 12: Student Holiday
- March 17: ETSBOA Middle Area State Concert Festival at Farragut High School in Knoxville, TN
- March 22 - 26: Spring Break
- April 2: ETSBOA Upper Area State Concert Festival at Science Hill High School in Johnson City, TN
- April 9: Student Holiday



A From The Presidents

We're almost halfway through the second semester so don't give up yet. We have the cookie dough sale going on now and coming up is another pancake breakfast at Applebee's on Alcoa Highway in April. In May, we have the Dollywood Showcase and the 8th grade cookout both being held at the high school. These are great opportunities to get to know other parents and our students. We work hard but we also have fun doing it. Come join us and see for yourself.

Welcome back seniors! We have heard some great stories (funny ones too!) from Chicago. We're glad you had a wonderful time and we know a lot of great memories were made also.

Congratulations to our drum line! They auditioned at WIVK and won! Our band will be proudly represented by the drum line at the upcoming Shania Twain concert on April 24 at Thompson Boling Arena. They will be performing on stage with her for one song for winning the contest at WIVK. Way to go you all!

Congratulations to Mark Cardwell also. He made All State and will have his picture hanging in the Hall Of Fame located in the Auditorium building. Be sure and let him know how proud we are of him.

A special thank you to all of the students (29) and parents (8) for all their hard work at our first pancake breakfast at Applebee's on Saturday, February 21st. We couldn't have done it without you! It was early but those pancakes were good. Also thank you to all who came out and enjoyed the pancakes. It was great to see everyone and get to know your families.

Coming up . . . Our next Booster meeting is March 9th. . . This is an important meeting for our high school parents as well as our 8th grade parents coming up next year. At the March and April booster meetings, the main topics will be sharing with you are the budget for next year, what's needed for the program for next year, paying band fees and fundraising options. These meetings also provide an opportunity for parents to ask questions and make suggestions concerning not only these topics but others as well. Mark your calendars and don't forget to come.

We look forward to seeing all of you again soon!

Monty & Lisa Knight

Thank you to everyone who participated in our first pancake breakfast on February 21 at Applebees on Alcoa Highway. It was very early but lots of fun. Extra special thanks to the parents and students who worked so tirelessly and provided wonderful service to all our guests! Our next pancake breakfast will be on Saturday, February 17 from 7 - 9 a.m. Hope to see you there!

PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND THE MARCH AND APRIL BAND BOOSTER MEETINGS. WE WILL BE DISCUSSING THE BAND'S BUDGET, BAND FEES FOR NEXT YEAR AND FUNDRAISING OPTIONS!!

It's Cookie Dough Time in Tennessee!!!!

Our cookie dough fundraiser will be going on from March 8 - March 16, 2004. We have some new flavors available this year as well as the classic flavors. Also new this year is the cookie scoop that can be purchased. Our goal is for each band student to sell at least 15 items. Each student must sell at least 5 items to receive participation credit.



Please make sure all orders are turned in by March 16, 2004

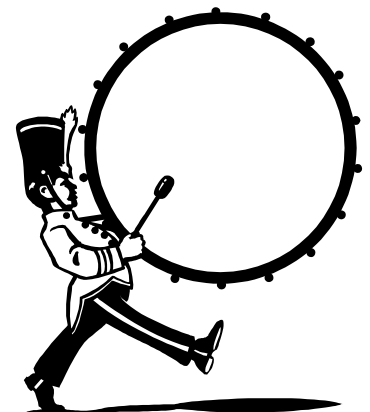
When the band lives with criticism, we learn to condemn
When the band lives with hostility, we learn to fight
When the band lives with fear, we learn to be apprehensive
When the band lives with pity, we learn to feel sorry for ourselves
When the band lives with ridicule, we learn to be shy
When the band lives with jealousy, we learn to feel guilty

When the band lives with encouragement, we learn to be confident
When the band lives with tolerance, we learn to be patient
When the band lives with praise, we learn to be appreciative
When the band lives with acceptance, we learn to love
When the band lives with fairness, we learn to have faith in ourselves and the world around us
When the band lives with friendliness, we learn that the world is a good place in which to live

What are you living?

Author Unknown

Congratulations to the South Doyle Drumline for being selected by WIVK FM to perform with Shania Twain on April 24, 2004 at Thompson-Boling Arena as part of Ms. Twain's "Up" Concert Tour.



Spaghetti Supper and Auction 2004

The 2004 Auction and Dinner will be held on Saturday, March 6, 2004 at 6:00 P.M. beginning in the high school cafeteria. The South Doyle High School Jazz Ensemble will again perform while dinner is being served. Immediately following the dinner, the 2004 auction will take place in the band facility. This is quickly becoming a major fund raiser for the band program. Tickets for the dinner will again be \$5.00 (children \$3.00). Students need to sell at least 5 tickets for participation credit. We have many fine items available for bid so invite your friends and family and join us for a wonderful night of fun.



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