

Dear Parents,

I am pleased to announce that band camp thus far has been extremely exciting. Your children are learning new concepts and their marching is awesome. I wanted to take this opportunity to bring an event to your attention. Thursday July 24 at beginning at 6:30pm we are having our annual Ice Cream Informative in the HCHS Cafeteria.

The Ice Cream Informative is a time where I can introduce the band camp staff, go over the important rules and policies in the hand book, allow you to turn in money and paperwork, and for us to fellowship and grow as a band. Thursday night would be a great opportunity for you to ask any questions you might have about the program or this year's events. All the boosters will be here to help you in any way possible. You can turn in money at this time or set up a payment schedule for the year, if needed.

Please remember that band is important to your children, and I will work with you anyway possible to make sure your student gets all the necessary items they need for band. I know that we are in a recession and that economically, times are rough. We will do anything possible to make sure your student gets to march. Please do not hesitate to come and talk with the boosters and me if there are any issues.

Each section is responsible for bringing certain items in order to make the night successful. We ask that the following groups bring the following items:

Woodwinds – Ice Cream
Brass – 2 two liter bottles of soda
Guard – Ice Cream
Percussion – A non Ice Cream dessert

If you bring ice cream, please bring a spoon to serve everyone.

I look forward to seeing everyone on Thursday. Remember the informative begins at 6:30pm in the HCHS Cafeteria.

See you there,

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