

Dear Community Member,

We are the Westwood Warrior Band, and we need your support. In the fall, we march! This means that we can be found not only supporting our football team and performing at half-time, but also competing in area, regional and even national marching competitions. In the spring, we compete! This means that we participate in whole band, solo, and ensemble UIL competitions that push our musical learning and performance. To give our students this enriching fine arts education, it requires a lot of resources...and that's where we need your help.

Your generosity makes a difference by allowing us to continue to:

- provide meals for the band during long practice sessions and before competitions
- cover fees for clinicians who provide expert instruction and guidance for our students
- purchase supplies for making props, flags, and costumes for the marching shows, color guard, and winter guard - these are essential for being highly competitive at marching and guard competitions
- travel to and from competitions
- pay for music licensing, composition and scoring to engage and challenge our band students
- provide new instruments and instrument repair
- provide monetary support for our feeder middle school band programs
- as well as to cover other unexpected costs that might arise

Our band is steeped with tradition and pride! Go Wood!

The Warrior Band consistently earns UIL Sweepstakes (top scores of I in both categories) at UIL Concert and Sightreading, as well as UIL Sweepstakes at UIL Marching Contests year after year. We proudly performed in the 2013 National Cherry Blossom Festival Parade in Washington, D.C., marched the streets of Disneyland in 2015, and even gave a concert at Golden Gate State Park in San Francisco this past April. The Warrior Band's accomplishments include being selected as a Qualifier for the UIL 2014 State Marching Band Contest, and in 2015, we were Bands of America (BOA) Atlanta Super Regional Finalists. This year we look forward to competing in BOA super regional contests in both St. Louis and San Antonio (now known as the most competitive high school super regional contest in the nation)!

Your sponsorship or in-kind donation is completely tax deductible as Westwood Area Band Boosters is a non-profit 501(c)(3) here to support all the band students, high school and middle school, in our programs. Sponsoring is a great way to **connect with our Westwood community!** Review our Sponsorship Form to see how you can gain visibility for your business through our publications, signage and social media.

You can see us in action here: <https://youtu.be/Uvc6mSvd4l4>. You can read more at our website: www.westwoodband.org or find us on [Facebook](#) as Westwood Warrior Band.

On behalf of our students, our directors and the board of WABB, we sincerely thank you for your sponsorship. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 512-203-5309 or fundraising@westwoodband.org.

Sincerely,

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