

Campolindo Music Boosters

August 1, 2017

Dear Campo Musicians and Parents,

Welcome all new Campo Music families, and welcome back to all families returning to our terrific music program. The Campo Music Boosters and the Student Music Council would like to fill you in on a few of the program's fall activities.

WELCOME BACK BBQ – Saturday, Aug. 19, 11 am – 2 pm

The Student Music Council invites all music students to come for an early afternoon of fun and great food at Rancho Laguna Park. Please see the enclosed flyer for details. The event is sponsored by the Music Boosters. Come meet your fellow students, play some badminton, and watch Mr. Johnny Johnson flip burgers. No musical instruments required... just some good humor! This event is for students only.

POPS POTLUCK - Monday, October 2, 6-9pm

This event kicks off the 2017-18 concert season. All music families gather together to meet and get acquainted over dinner, after which we hold our brief annual membership meeting and enjoy a short pops concert. Please come share in the fun, and bring your family. Potluck assignments are designated by alphabet and details are on the enclosed flyer and our website. For families new to Campolindo, this is your first opportunity to hear the Jazz & Symphonic bands and select groups from Orchestra. Concert band does not perform at this concert, but all concert band families are strongly encouraged to participate. Come casual and enjoy! If you can help with set-up, serving or clean up, let us know by checking one of the "I can help" options on the RSVP portion of the flyer.

HOMECOMING - Friday, October 13

Running the Snack Shack at the Homecoming game is one of our largest fundraisers ~ and this year we will be playing Miramonte! All profits from the sales that evening go directly into the Music Department's student account. We need help from all music families, preparing food in advance, serving food that night, working the grill, or donating money to purchase goods for sale. To find out how you can help, see the attached flyer, watch for further email information from Music Boosters, or sign up at our table when registering on Cougar Day, and...GO COUGARS!

JAZZ DINNER DANCE – Saturday, February 10, 2018

Save the Date! The very popular annual Jazz Dinner Dance will be at the beautiful Moraga Country Club. This is the Campo Jazz Program showcase concert of the year featuring entertainment provided by the Jazz students, formal dinner, dancing, raffles and more. An event not to be missed! Questions? Contact campogotjazz@gmail.com.

MUSIC BOOSTERS - Membership and Volunteering - Who are we? Why do we have memberships?

The Music Boosters is the parent organization responsible for supporting Campo's Instrumental Music program. Membership dues and donations are used to purchase and repair instruments, buy sheet music, hire clinicians for workshops, and support trip funds for special tour opportunities. We ask every family to join and support this organization. This can be done as you register your student online through the Campolindo registration system or by filling out the enclosed Boosters Membership Form and sending it, with a check payable to Campolindo Instrumental Music Boosters, to Erika Pringsheim-Moore, 1087 Sierra Vista Way, Lafayette, CA 94549.

Volunteering - A great way to meet parents and your student's peers

We need your help to make music events run smoothly throughout the year. It is a great way to meet and get to know parents, staff and students at Campolindo. Many of us work full-time, so don't rule yourself out if you do that, too.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT COMMUNICATION: www.CampoMusic.Org

We have a dynamic website, www.CampoMusic.org, maintained by Music Boosters. Besides email, this is the key source of information from Mr. Johnson, Boosters, and the Student Music Council. All students should check the Concert Attire information – which should be on the website by next week. There are different requirements for the different ensembles. Students who wear tuxedos will need to order them by early September, and details about where and how to do that will be available in a flyer on the website. New students may want to check the FAQ section.

I hope this helps you understand what's going on these first few months. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions at epringsheim@yahoo.com or 925/284-5069. We will also have a table with information at Cougar Day. Please stop by! And, if you are not receiving an email from Campo Music by the end of August, please send me your email address. We will use email to stay in touch throughout the year. You may also want to bookmark our website www.CampoMusic.org to stay informed.

Look forward to seeing you at one of our upcoming events this year!

Sincerely,

Erika Pringsheim-Moore
President
Campolindo Music Boosters