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Who are the Band Boosters:

Membership is open to any person who has interest in the Wakefield High School Band program, and who is the parent or legal guardian of any student actively participating, or intending to participate, in one or more of the Wakefield High School Bands or auxiliary groups associated with the Band. Membership becomes effective upon payment of stated Fair Share.

Our Purpose:

The purpose of this organization is to support the Wakefield High School Band progams. The booster organization assists the Band Director in all activities and programs associated with the Wakefield High School Bands and its auxiliary groups. The Band Boosters also promote the Band to the community.

Opportunities to be Involved:

There are myriad opportunities for you to get involved, encompassing a variety of skill sets. The Boosters manage the logistics of transporting equipment, instruments, and students to competitions. Parents drive rental trucks, load and unload all equipment needed for competitions, fit and size uniforms, load and unload uniforms, volunteer at every event, supply medical assistance, transport the pit equipment on the field at competitions and all home football games, and design and make the necessary props each year. Band Boosters chaperone each day and hour of Band Camp, provide snacks for trips and special occasions, as well as hospitality for concert and symphonic band events.

Parents also provide tremendous support to "The Heart of Carolina Invitational"; a full day event involving over 200 volunteers, 12+ visiting bands and more than 2,500 spectators that raises thousands of dollars for the band. In addition, we assist the Band Director in lining the practice field, stand on the sidelines with bug spray, water, and encouragement at practices. We also contribute countless hours planning fundraisers to help the Band meet expenses, coordinate the Spring Awards Banquet and much, much more. One of the greatest rewards of getting involved is making lifelong friendships with other band parents. Yes, it is a lot of work, but you will find it to be some of the most rewarding time you've ever invested. You will be working with the greatest group of students and fellow parents you can possibly imagine.

Immediate Opportunities:

Talk with any current Band Booster Board member to find out how you can become involved. Visit our website at www.wakefieldhsband.org to find out all the latest band news. Sign up to help at Band Camp, evening rehearsals, football games, and Marching Band Competitions.

We work together as a team and are happy to have you do whatever fits into your schedule. We REALLY WANT YOU to be a part of our organization. We are all here for each of the students, our band director, and the opportunity to partner together in a wonderful endeavor.

Al Servais

WHS Band Booster President Elect 2018-2019