



Lincoln High School Band Newsletter

August 12, 2016 Issue 6

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

September 10

USF Football Game 6:00 p.m.

September 17

"Pursuit of Excellence" Competition
Marshall, MN

September 24

"Starfest" Competition - Sioux City, IA

October 1

Festival of Bands Street and Field
Competition

October 8

Dutchman Field Championship
Orange City, IA

October 20-23

Bands of America Competition
St. Louis, MO

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**ISA Band Payments Due  
for Hollywood Trip**  
September 1 - \$300

**Parent Tag-A-Long Tour  
Payment Due Dates**  
September 10  
October 10

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HyVee/Scrip Sales - Door J
(located behind Lincoln by the track)
Sat. August 13 - Breakfast with the
Band - Axtell Park MS
Mon. August 22 - Parent Night -
Howard Wood Field
Sat. Sept 3rd at President's Bowl
Scrip Cards - email will be sent
Next Scrip order date: Sept. 1st

Breakfast with the Band is **Saturday, August 13 from 8 to 10 a.m.** at Axtell Park. Some of you are asking, "What is it?" It has been a long standing tradition that at the end of Spat Camp, the band comes together to showcase all of their hard work for the past two weeks. Bring your lawn chair or blanket, a few dollars for some donuts and coffee and sit back and enjoy the music of "Moving to Mars". You will also get a chance to sign-up for various volunteer opportunities, join the LHS Band Parent Association, order spirit wear, purchase HyVee cards, **pre-order Parent Night meal tickets (Advance purchase is HIGHLY encouraged!!)** order the show DVD and/or trip DVD and much more.

Parent Night will be held **Monday, August 22nd from 6 to 9 p.m.** at Howard Wood Field. This will be the first time we see the band in full uniform ready to march their entire show. Come and have a meal with friends and watch the performance which will begin around 8 p.m. You will also get a chance to sign-up for various volunteer opportunities, order spirit wear, purchase HyVee cards, order the show DVD and/or trip DVD and much more. Information about the meal is included with this newsletter.

Hollywood Christmas Parade Trip

Please note that pursuant to the Sioux Falls School District Student Handbook that students who do not utilize the fundraising activities or pay the required one-fourth of the total cost, or \$250 whichever is less may be excluded in the travel roster. As such, **all students must have a minimum of \$250 in their ISA by September 1st to ensure their seat on the bus for the Hollywood Christmas Parade Trip.** Please check your student's ISA through Charms to ensure they are able to participate in the Hollywood Trip. The balance remaining would need to be paid through contributions or fundraising. If you have any questions, please contact Rachel Bailey at 5sdbaileys@gmail.com or 608-852-6640.

HyVee Card Sales Information

HyVee card sales will be on the following dates:
Saturday, August 13th at Breakfast with the Band
Monday, August 22nd at Parent Night
Saturday, September 3rd at President's Bowl

Note we will NOT be having regular Tuesday night HyVee times due to our personal schedule issues. We are discussing which regular day will be the best for HyVee purchases.

Next order date for Scrip: September 1st

Pick up for Scrip (delayed due to Labor Day): Friday, September 9th at noon at LHS (front foyer by the office) or at the LHS football game.

DONUTS, COFFEE & BREAKFAST WITH THE BAND

Saturday, August 13th - 8 to 10 a.m. Show begins around 9 a.m.

Donuts, Coffee & Breakfast with the BAND is here! This is your chance to see your first glimpse of the band's hard work at Spat camp, listen to the show music and enjoy tasty donuts & coffee! Donuts and coffee will be sold for \$2.00 with free refills on coffee. Single donut \$1. Students need to arrive at 8 a.m. Chad Phillips will be here at 8 a.m to take the photo for the Band Poster which will be sold for \$5 at a later date. Show performance will start around 9 a.m. You will also get a chance to sign-up for various volunteer opportunities, purchase HyVee cards, **pre-order Parent Night meal tickets**, order the show DVD, see the latest spirit wear options and much more. If we have any unsold donuts, they will be packaged and sold "to go" following the performance.

Cookie Dough Fundraiser

Cookie Dough forms have been handed out to students and are **due back no later than Saturday at Breakfast with the Band**. **Please be sure your student's name is on the form**. Look for Todd & Sharon Sergeant and their "Fundraising Tub". DO NOT hand your forms in to your directors.

Orders will be ready for pickup after the band's performance at Parent Night on August 22nd.

SPIRITWEAR WEB STORE

LET THE ORDERING BEGIN.....

You are now able to reserve 2016 LHS merchandise including the Moving to Mars show shirt. Here is the direct link: <http://lincolnband.org/spiritwear/>

NOTE: Soon the site will be able to accept credit cards however that function is not up and running just yet. In the meantime, please go in and reserve your merchandise NOW (especially your show shirts) and you can pay for it when it is ready for pick up. We have some great items (more to be added later) and all proceeds go to the band. As you use the site, please follow the directions carefully.

President's Bowl Ticket Sales

President's Bowl is Saturday, September 3rd. Students should have brought home a Ticket Blitz information sheet after Uniform Checkout this week. Each student is asked to sell 10 tickets for the President's Bowl. All forms and money must be turned in on Monday, August 29th from 3 - 7 p.m. in the LHS Foyer.

The President's Bowl is much more than a football game. It is a HUGE fundraiser for the Booster Clubs of the three public high schools. The LHS Booster Club then distributes funds to each of the student activity organizations at LHS. Since the LHS Band is a large organization, we get a large percentage of these funds. The goal for this year is to raise \$55,000 for LHS as a whole. This is a VERY important source of revenue for the Band! Remember to SELL, SELL, SELL!

BIG SOO Coupon Book Fundraising Opportunity

We are offering the Big Soo Coupon Book as another fundraising opportunity. Here is how it works:

- You make \$10 for every book sold & you get one free book as a reward for every 10 you sell which you can keep or sell. Books sell for \$40, so if you sell 10 + the 1 free reward book you can make \$140 per ten books.
- There is no upfront money needed. You sign out as many books as you think you can sell, return the unsold ones along with the money you received. \$30 will go to pay for the cost of the book and \$10 will go to your ISA. Look for us at Breakfast with the Band and Parent Night.

PARENT NIGHT DINNER & FIELD PERFORMANCE

August 22, 2016 - Howard Wood Field

Parents Night is three weeks away! Once again we will be hosting a meal prior to the performance. Kids will eat first at 5:00 pm. Parents and guests will be served once all the kids are through the line (approx. 6:00 pm). **There are only two opportunities left to purchase meal tickets in advance. Saturday at Breakfast with the Band and Tuesday, August 9th from 6 - 7 p.m. during Hy-Vee Gift Card Sales at LHS Door J (The Band Door).** **IF KIDS INTEND TO EAT – THEY MUST HAVE A MEAL TICKET!** A LIMITED number of tickets will be available the night of the event. **Advance purchase is HIGHLY encouraged!!** **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!!!** We need folks to help with set up, and serving the meal. Volunteers will be done in PLENTY of time to watch the Band's first public performance at 8:00 PM!

Sign up here: <http://bit.ly/LHSParents2016>

Pork Meal (Includes Chips, Cole Slaw & a bottle of water)	\$6.00
Pork Sandwich Only	\$2.00
All Beef Hotdog Meal (Includes Chips, Cole Slaw & bottle of water)	\$5.00
Hot Dog Only	\$1.00

NEW THIS YEAR: Cold Stone Creamery Signature Creations will also be available for purchase before and after the show for \$4.00!

FLAG SEWING HELP **DESPERATELY** NEEDED!!!!

Do you have a sewing machine, and are you willing to donate a few evenings or weekends to help sew the flags that will be the GLAMOUR of the marching band show? If so, WE NEED YOU!!! This is not prom dress construction, this is simple seam sewing on silk that has been cut with a heat gun and has no fraying edges. Please call or text Judy Olson, our colorguard seamstress, at 310-1089 and she will get you started. If you know someone who likes to sew, they can help too.

Schwan's Cares Fundraising Campaign

Place an order online through **schwans.com** and a portion of your sales will come back in support of the Lincoln High School Marching Band. By buying a \$25 Schwan's eGift card, you are giving \$10 to the campaign (one per customer per campaign). You can also shop online and 20% of the sales is given to the band. There are only 27 days left before this campaign ends. Friends and relatives near and far can support this fundraising event just by signing up for Schwan's Cares and selecting Lincoln High School Marching Band. Give it a try.....

"Moving to Mars" CD/DVD/BlueRay Order Form

We will have pre-order forms available for this year's show at Breakfast with the Band and Parent Night. There will be 2 separate DVD's this year. One will be the recording in October which will include hi-lights of the season. The 2nd DVD will be the trip to the Hollywood Christmas parade. It will include all the fun moments from the trip.

Each DVD is \$25 (\$50 if you want the season and the Hollywood trip DVD), or BluRay for \$30 (\$60 if you want one of each). CD recording of the October taping is available for \$10.

The regular season DVD will be available at Chicken dinner. The Hollywood Parade DVD will be available after Christmas break.

Call Lori Murphy at 261-4880 or Rich Murphy at 759-7259 or email banburycrossphoto@gmail.com with questions. An order form is included with this newsletter.

Marching Band Photos by Chad Phillips Photography

Listed below are the times and places that Chad Phillips will be taking photos of the band as a whole or individually. Order forms for the complete band and section photos will be available at Breakfast with the Band and Parent Night. The Poster Photo of the band will be available for purchase at a later date.

August 13 - 8:00 a.m. - Poster shoot - before Breakfast with the Band

August 16 - 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. - Individual In-Studio Portraits - Chad Phillips Photography
1908 W 42nd St, Suite D, Sioux Falls (1 block east of 42nd & Western Ave)

August 22 - 6:00 p.m. - Complete Band and Sectional Photos before the band's performance at Parent Night

August 24 - 5 - 7 p.m. - Individual Photos - McKennan Park just east of the sunken gardens

If you have any questions, please contact Chad Phillips at 336-0777. Order forms will be available at Breakfast with the Band.

Message from the Roadies...

The kids work very hard so let's help them out! You don't have to be a student or a roadie to clear the field after a long day/evening of practice! Whether your student plays a flute, tuba, is in the front ensemble, color guard or whatever --- take the opportunity to get to know YOUR BAND by grabbing something and dragging it back to the trailers for safe keeping! All the while --- students/directors and roadies alike go home earlier as a result of your help! If you aren't sure what you can do just ask! WE'RE MOVING TO MARS!!



This week has been a very busy week, and we couldn't have done it without the help of ALL the volunteers. A group of volunteers along with the Executive Board fed 260+ people hot dogs, chips and a cookie on Saturday. Monday through Thursday of this week another group of volunteers fitted uniforms as well as made sure everyone had hats, shoes, shirts and gloves. The students also were fitted for the band jacket they will wear on the Hollywood Parade trip, signed up for a hotel and the bus they will travel in this season. For the last two weeks, another group of volunteers delivered delicious treats to the students every afternoon to help them "cool down" during the heat of the day. The Roadies were busy working on props and making sure all the equipment was where it needed to be. Others are busy sewing flags to ensure they are ready for Parent Night. (I hope I haven't missed anyone!) For ALL of you, we are grateful!!!! The LHS Marching Band cannot be the band that it is without YOU!! *Thank you for making a difference!!!!*

BAND PARENT MEMBERSHIP - It's GOOD to BELONG!!!

The Band Parent Association is a great way to support the Lincoln High School Band. Membership is just \$20 per family. The Band Parent Association uses this money (along with other funds) to provide activities, equipment and other items that are necessary to support the band. Some examples are snacks and water for bus trips to competitions, chaperone supplies to keep the kids safe and looking good, Color Guard supplies and equipment, maintenance and updates to band equipment just to name a few. These funds benefit the entire Lincoln Marching Band. The Membership Form is available on the band website, [www.lincolnband.org>Resources>Forms>LHS Bandparents Association Membership Form](http://www.lincolnband.org/Resources/Forms/LHS_Bandparents_Association_Membership_Form). You can also stop by the Membership table at Breakfast with the Band and Parent Night as well as during HyVee card sales on Tuesday nights. "It's GOOD to BELONG!!!"

Charms Link on LHS Band Website

To access Charms:

Go to www.lincolnband.org and click on the Charms link (Links>Marching Links)

Click: Enter/Login

Under Parents/Students/Members enter your school code:

Click: Enter Student/Parent Area

Student Area Password:

Once logged in, you can change your password, update student and parent contact information including mailing address, email address and phone numbers. You can also view your student's ISA balance. This is a work in progress. Thanks in advance for your patience as we all learn this new software. Please contact Rachel Bailey at 5sdbaileys@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Individual Student Account "ISA"

Each student has an Individual Student Account or ISA set up in Charms to keep track of their balances due to marching band. These expenses consist of trip expenses, music/percussion arrangement, show supplies etc. This year the trip expense has been added in the amount of \$1,200 with **four payments due in the amount of \$300. There were payments due in May, June, July 31st and the final payment is due September 1st.** If you are behind in paying your trip balance or need assistance please contact me immediately to make arrangements and ensure your student's seat on the bus.

The yearly ISA dues for the 2016/2017 Moving to Mars show will be \$400 per student. This amount will also cover band jackets for the students for the trips to St. Louis and Hollywood. The \$400 in dues will need to be paid by May 1, 2017.

Payments can be made to LHS office or by mailing a check to me at 4904 E. Tiger Lilly St., Sioux Falls, SD 57110 with checks made payable to LHS Band and referencing your student's name.

If you have any questions about your student's ISA please don't hesitate to contact me at [608-852-6640](tel:608-852-6640) or 5sdbaileys@gmail.com.

Hollywood Trip Spending

Some of you have your student's trip balance completely funded and many of you are on your way. The school district policy allows students to fundraise up to \$150 above the \$1200 for the Hollywood trip and receive the \$150 as spending money for the trip. This is after you have raised enough money for the trip of \$1200 and have also raised or paid one-half or \$200 of the regular band season dues. Please be aware that both amounts have to be met before you can receive back spending money funds.

Watch for the form and more details coming out this Friday.

Rachel Bailey, ISA Treasurer



Festival of Bands - October 1st - Howard Wood Field

Festival of Bands is a showcase of many quality bands from around the region. The Lincoln High School Marching Band along with Washington, Roosevelt and O'Gorman High Schools host this popular event of parade and field competitions. The four Sioux Falls host bands perform each of their shows in exhibition during the evening finals competition. This is also a fundraiser for all four schools. Lincoln hosts the evening competition and needs nearly 100 volunteers. Thank you to those of you who have already signed up to volunteer for this fun event. If you haven't signed up yet, stop by the table at Breakfast with the Band and talk to Gene and Julie Pike. They will be able to answer any of your questions.

CHAPERONE BAGS/BACKPACKS

Keeping 267+ band students looking and feeling their best for each performance requires a lot of supplies. You can help them look their best by donating any of the following:

- Spray on sunscreen 50 or higher
- 7 ounce plastic cups for water breaks
- Rubber bands (thicker bands about ¼" or wider) – used to wrap around the uniform sleeves to keep things tight
- AAA and AA batteries for flashlights
- Paper towels
- Bottled water (16 - 20 oz. size) – carried in chaperone bags for emergencies
- Individual Tylenol packets, Ibuprofen, Benedryl
- 6 ounce cans of bug repellent
- **Small, palm-sized shoe polish sponges/Quick shine (KIWI brand works best)--we will go through several with two trips this year**
- Liquid shoe shine (black) (KIWI brand works best)
- Travel size wet wipes
- Instant cold packs
- Rolls of black electric tape for gloves; white electric tape for drum major gloves.
- Rolls of **black or dark charcoal** pre-wrap available in sports supply stores (used for headbands)
- Black bobby pins
- Travel size firm hold hairspray or small bottles of hairspray
- Black pony tail holders without metal on them
- Extra-large garbage bags (to cover tubas) smaller garbage bags for using on bus trips
- Band aids assorted --especially need small round ones
- Fingernail polish remover and cotton balls
- Cough drops
- Chapstick
- Q-tips
- Hand sanitizer (small bottles)

Any donations can be dropped off at the chaperone table at Breakfast with the Band or Family Night. Cash donations are also welcome. On behalf of the chaperone committee, we would like to thank you in advance for your generosity and dedication in helping our band be their best. THANK YOU!

Charnelle Woledge, Kerry Lorang, and Mike Wetrich

Information coming soon regarding parent rooms in St. Louis for Bands of America competition October 20th to October 23rd. Information also coming soon for a Parent Bus to Marshall on September 17th. Thanks for your patience as details are being finalized.

Dates to Remember: All dates are on the Google Calendar

AUGUST

August 12	Wild Water West - Celebrate end of Spat Camp	5:30 to 8 p.m.
August 13	Poster Shoot with Chad Phillips - Axtell Park	8:00 - 8:30 a.m.
August 13	Breakfast with the Band - Axtell Park	8 a.m. to 10 a.m.
August 13	Cookie Dough Fundraiser Packets Due - Breakfast with the Band	
August 15	Spat Camp at Axtell Park	8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
August 16	Scott Lang Leadership Clinic Band Room	3 to 6 p.m.
August 16 - 19	Spat Camp - Axtell Park	8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
August 16 - 19	Percussion Spat Camp - Axtell Park	1:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.
August 16	Individual Band Photos - In-Studio Chad Phillips Photo.	5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
August 22	Spat Camp - HWF	8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
August 22	Parents Night - Howard Wood Field	6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
August 22	Parents Night - Students begin eating at 5 p.m. Dressed in full uniform by 6 p.m. Complete Band and Sectional Photos - 6 p.m.	
August 23 - 26	Spat Camp - HWF	8 a.m. to 12 p.m.
August 24	Patriot Power Day - Band Students (10th, 11th 12th Gr)	7 a.m. to 8 a.m.
August 24	Freshman Patriot Power Day A-M	12:30 to 1:30 p.m.
August 24	Freshman Patriot Power Day N-Z	1:30 to 2:30 p.m.
August 24	Percussion Rehearsal - HWF	1 p.m. to 5 p.m.
August 24	Individual Band Photos - McKennan Park	5 to 7 p.m.
August 27	Home Football Game vs Rapid City Stevens - HWF (Report to HWF at 4 p.m. (Full Uniform) - Game Time 5 p.m.)	
August 29	Spat Camp	1 p.m. to 9 p.m.
August 29	President Bowl Ticket orders need to be turned in	3 p.m. to 7 p.m.
August 30	Spat Camp - Axtell Park	6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
August 31	Percussion Rehearsal - Axtell Park	8 a.m. to 3 p.m.
August 31	President's Bowl Rehearsal - HWF	4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
August 31	PST's (Parent-Student-Teacher) (10th,11th,12th Gr)	5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
August 31	Freshman PST's	6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

September

September 3	President's Bowl - LHS vs WHS (Report to LHS and bus out together in full uniform - Game Time 7:00 p.m.)	Report time TBD
September 6	First Day of School	
September 6	Evening Rehearsal - LHS	6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
September 7-9	Morning Rehearsals - LHS	6:55 to 8:05 a.m.
September 9	LHS Football Game - HWF (LHS vs RHS) (Report to HWF at 6 p.m. in FULL UNIFORM. Game time 7: 00 p.m.)	6:00 to 9 p.m.

2016 Lincoln High Patriot Marching Band

Moving to Mars

Performance DVD and Hollywood DVD

DVD and CD Sales

Moving to Mars DVD or Blu-Ray– Pick up at Chicken Dinner

DVD Quantity _____ @ \$25 each Total \$ _____

Blu-Ray Quantity _____ @ \$30 each Total \$ _____

Moving to Mars CD (Music from the show taping)

Quantity _____ @ \$10 each Total \$ _____

Hollywood Trip – Including highlights from the trip and parade – Will be distributed to students after Christmas break.

DVD Quantity _____ @ \$25 each Total \$ _____

Blu-Ray Quantity _____ \$30 each Total \$ _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Student(s): _____ Student Phone: _____

_____ Student Phone: _____

Make checks payable to: Lincoln Bandparents Association

Send checks to:

Lori Murphy
4004 S Judy Ave
Sioux Falls, SD 57103

For questions call 605.261.4880 (Lori)