



Parkview Highschool Band



It is time for us to begin collecting information on all of the band students for the 2011-2012 school year. The records that we received from the school indicated that your student is going to participate in our wonderful band program however, will not be marching with the band. If this is not correct please contact us immediately and we will get that updated.

Below is a list of the forms that are required for all **Concert Band Students**. Please review and complete the forms as required and return them to us in the enclosed return envelope by July 1, 2011. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Kim Ussery at mamapanther@ussery.net or 770-717-9280. We will be happy to assist you in any way possible.

MAILING SUMMARY OF FORMS AND CHECKLIST FOR RETURN

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| 1) | PRESIDENTS LETTER | Information Purposes Only |
| 2) | CONTRIBUTION LETTER | Information Purposes Only |
| 3) | PAYMENT OPTION SELECTION | To Be Returned |
| 4) | PAYMENT COUPONS
Please return with payments. | To Be Returned (various dates) |
| 5) | MEDICAL RELEASE FORM (2 PGS)
This is our main form that gives us all the information we could ever need about your student, please fill this out completely and add any additional information that you think is pertinent for us to have and return in the envelope provided. | To Be Returned |
| 6) | MEDIA RELEASE FORM | To Be Returned |
| 7) | DRESS/TUX FLYER
This is for concert season. Dresses take time to be ordered and alterations to be made once received. The Tux may be purchased anytime before our first concert in the fall | To Be Returned (if applicable) |
| 8) | ROOKIE EVENT FLYER
This is for an evening event to meet with the Directors and Boosters to get all the information you need and all of your questions answered about your first year with Parkview Band (this is for parents of rising freshman and newcomers to band and color guard). | Information Purposes Only (Attendance Requested) |



June 1, 2011

Dear Band Parents,

Welcome to the 2011-2012 Parkview Band year!! The Parkview Band Association's goal is to support the PHS Band Program through parental volunteering and financially assist the program.

Our Marching Show this season is very exciting. It is entitled "Working for the Weekend", celebrating the hardworking Lilburn community; there will be many recognizable pieces. It will be a lot of fun to learn and perform.

The Parkview Band Association communicates through mailings, email and most importantly through the web site, www.parkviewband.net. All contributions are tax deductible since the PHS Band Association is a 501(C)3 non-profit entity.

Please carefully review the forms enclosed, as many of the forms contain important information regarding the contributions. This year we have made it easy for parents to log on to the website and make the band payments through secure credit card processing using PayPal.

The Band contributions assist the entire PHS Band program to include additional specialized instructors, band instrument repairs, transportation to competitions and festivals, truck rental for instruments for games and competitions.

You are invited to join us as we rally around the band students and support the Excellent Band Program of Parkview High School.

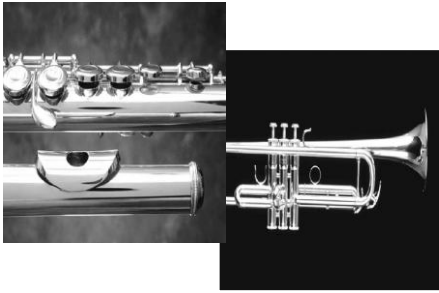
We invite Rookie Parents (new to Band) to a special Rookie Parent Dinner Event on Thursday, July 21st. At this event we will introduce you to the concrete ways you can make a difference in the band.

The Band Booster Parents and Volunteers are considered the PHS Band Family. We look forward to serving along side.

Again, welcome to the Parkview Band Program.

Theresa Lambert, Co-President
404-368-3804
PHSBandPres1@gmail.com

Denise Cox, Co-President
770-633-9104
PHSBandPres2@gmail.com



Parkview Band Booster Association, Inc.

Welcome to the 2011-2012 season of the Parkview Panther Band. For returning band booster families, it is great to have you back. For new families, we welcome you and know that you will find the high school band experience educational, rewarding, and fun. There are many ways for parents to participate in this rewarding experience so please come to the meetings and volunteer in whatever capacity you are comfortable. You will find it very useful to monitor the Band website frequently (at least once a week) - www.parkviewband.net - for important announcements, deadlines, dates and information.

There are a number of forms included in this packet. These forms are required for ALL band students. ***Return all forms on yellow paper by June 30, 2011 in the envelope provided. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me, Kim Ussery at mamapanther@ussery.net.***

FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Being in the Band has its financial commitments. Contributions for musicians are essential to the full functioning of the band. The Gwinnett County School System provides minimal funding but not nearly enough to approach the expense of the "full service" band program offered at Parkview High School. The Band has many operating expenses not covered by Gwinnett County for our musicians including the cost of some music, purchase and repair of school owned instruments, entrance fees for competitions and festivals, awards and band letters, truck rental for equipment transportation to band festivals, charter bus transportation to competitions and festivals, band social events, and operating expenses related to running the Band Association. Percussion students receive extra instruction provided by a percussion specialist during the entire school year which is funded by the Booster Association.

The contribution for concert only band students is \$150.

No student will be denied participation in Band due to the inability to pay the entire contribution; however, we encourage all members to make every effort to contribute. There are many chances for students and their parents to earn funds toward this contribution. Various fundraisers and special events held at the Gwinnett Arena provide band parents, students, and friends, the opportunity to earn funds toward their student's band account.

Enclosed in this packet are coupons to use to submit your payments. There is an installment plan for your convenience. Please note the first payment is due July 1st.

The accompanying Band Contribution Payment form should be mailed as directed regardless of the method of payment. Check the appropriate box to let us know how you intend to pay the contribution (Check, Band Account, Installment Option, Pay Pal, Other*) for the current year. If you intend to use more than one method, indicate by checking all appropriate boxes.

FUNDRAISING AND PARKVIEW BAND ACCOUNTS

To help reduce musician expenses, there are several fundraising programs available throughout the year. The PHS Band offers many fundraising opportunities such as working at the Gwinnett Arena, sign waving at Little Caesars, SCRIP, selling cookie dough during the holidays, Barbeque dinners, etc.

Most fundraising events offer incentives to encourage participation. The Parkview Band has provided a unique, additional incentive where a large portion of the money raised through our fundraisers is channeled into accounts in the students' names. These band accounts are then used to defray, or pay entirely, their annual contributions. During big trip years, these accounts may also be used to help pay a student's trip fees.

Band account funds may not be used for personal expenses (i.e. lunches, marching shoes, concert dresses, t-shirts, etc.) since we are a not-for-profit organization. Per our Bylaws, band account funds are applied first toward the student's annual band contribution automatically. Once the contribution is paid in full, any balance in the account may be used to pay for band trips with written permission.

Most of our fundraisers place 85% of the band's profit into the student's band account and 15% into the Band Association general fund. The Band Association has an agreement with the Gwinnett Arena to staff a concession stand for the Gwinnett Gladiators hockey team and other concert events. Funds raised by working at the Arena will credit your student's account \$25.00 for each person per event. To find out more about the Gwinnett Arena or other fundraisers, visit our website at www.parkviewband.net.

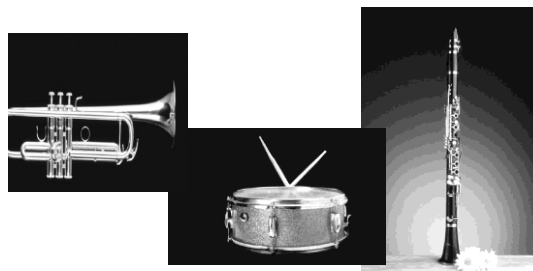
Unused funds at the end of a student's senior year will revert to the Band's general fund. A student may request that his/her unused funds be "given" to another undergraduate student. Submit this in writing before graduation to the Band Account Manager.

Direct questions about your band student's contribution or their band account to the Band Registrar/Account Manager:

Kim Ussery at mamapanther@ussery.net or 770-717-9280

If you have any questions about the Parkview Band Booster Association please contact:

Theresa Lambert	Co-Presidents	PHSBandPres1@gmail.com	404-368-3804
Denise Cox		PHSBandPres2@gmail.com	770-633-9104
Gary Petmecky	Vice-President		
Floyd Cox	Treasurer	pvbandtreasurer@gmail.com	770-381-9835
Kim Ussery	Color Guard President	mamapanther@ussery.net	770-717-9280



PARKVIEW HIGH SCHOOL BAND

MEDICAL RELEASE FORM

2011 - 2012

STUDENT CONTACT INFORMATION: <i>(All information is required, please print legibly)</i>					
Student's Last Name:			First Name:		
Nickname:		Gender: F M	Grade:	Student #:	
Band Class (circle one)	Concert 1	Concert 2	Symphonic	Guard Only (no band)	
Concert Instrument:			Marching Instrument:		
Instrument Group:					
<input type="checkbox"/> Marching		<input type="checkbox"/> Officer / Position:		<input type="checkbox"/> Alternate	
Mom's Name:			Dad's Name:		
Address:			Home Phone:		
City:		State:		Zip Code:	
Phone:	Mom Work:		Dad Work:		
Cell Phone:	Mom:		Dad:		Student:
Email:	Mom:		Dad:		
Email:	Student:		Other:		
EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION: <i>(All information is required)</i>					
Name:		Phone:		Relationship:	
Doctors Name:			Phone:		
Insurance Carrier:			Policy #:		
MEDICAL INFORMATION: <i>(Check all boxes and list concerns, if applicable)</i>					
My child has special needs or concerns (include any current medications with dose and side effects or any other preferred over the counter medication that can be given to them (such as Motrin, Aleve, Midol, etc):					
My child is ALLERGIC to:					
My child may take (without further permission, check all that apply) :					
<input type="checkbox"/> Advil	<input type="checkbox"/> Tylenol	<input type="checkbox"/> Pepto Bismol	<input type="checkbox"/> Benadryl		

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Please sign and date BOTH STATEMENTS.

MEDICAL DISCLAIMER: This must be completed for every student.

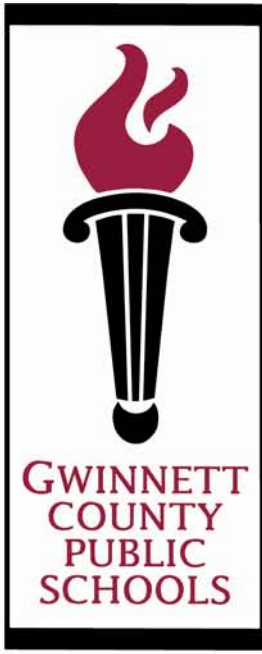
I agree to assume responsibility for any unforeseen accident that might occur during travel or participation in this activity. I also authorize any emergency medical treatment that may be necessary. I hereby give permission to the Band Chaperones and staff to administer over the counter medications as directed above during Band Activities.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

The Parkview Band hosts a number of social events throughout the year, (Back to School Pool party, Band Lock-in, Parties, etc.). Since these are not official "school" activities, we require additional written parental consent to allow a student to participate. Please read and sign the statement below. This statement will allow student participation in any of our band social events.

I the Undersigned, as natural parent or custodial guardian, grant permission for (student's name) _____, a minor and hereinafter referred to as "permittee", to attend PHS Band related social activities. Should immediate medical attention be needed for the permittee due to either accident or illness, I grant a representative of the Parkview Band permission to obtain such medical treatment as is required. In consideration for permission to attend a Band social activity, I waive any and all claims for myself, permittee, and my and permittee's heirs against the Parkview Band Association, its officers, directors, and volunteers for any injury or illness which may directly or indirectly result from permittee's attendance at or participation in the above described Band social activities. I further certify that permittee is in proper physical and emotional condition to attend and participate in said Band social activity. I understand that should immediate medical attention described above be needed, attempts to notify me will be made as soon as possible but the first concern is the health of my child.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____



Media Release & Permission Form

I hereby give permission for all photographs, audio recordings, and/or video recordings taken of my child to be used by the school system's promotional print and electronic publications and on GCPS-TV, the school system's cable television station. This permission extends to use by the Parkview Band Booster Association.

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Student's Name _____
(please print)

Student's Signature _____
(if age 18 or older)

Parent/ Guardian's Name _____
(please print)

(signature)

Date _____

PARKVIEW BAND BOOSTER ASSOCIATION
PAYMENT COUPONS

PAYMENTS DUE
Marcher: \$475.00
Concert Only: \$150.00
Percussion/Drumline: \$575.00

PARKVIEW BAND BOOSTER ASSOCIATION
FULL PAYMENT OPTION - PAYMENT DUE 7/1/11

FULL PAYMENT OPTION
Marcher: \$475.00
Concert Only: \$150.00
Percussion/Drumline: \$575.00

Student Name _____
Parents Name _____
Check # _____ Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Detach this portion and mail to: Parkview Band Booster Association
Kim Ussery, Band Account Manager
PO Box 871131, Stone Mountain, GA 30087

PARKVIEW BAND BOOSTER ASSOCIATION
INSTALLMENT OPTION - 1ST PAYMENT DUE 7/1/11

INSTALLMENT PAYMENT OPTION
Marcher: \$175.00
Concert Only: \$50.00
Percussion/Drumline: \$195.00

Student Name _____
Parents Name _____
Check # _____ Amount Enclosed \$ _____

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PARKVIEW BAND BOOSTER ASSOCIATION
INSTALLMENT OPTION - 2ND PAYMENT DUE 8/1/11

INSTALLMENT PAYMENT OPTION
Marcher: \$175.00
Concert Only: \$50.00
Percussion/Drumline: \$195.00

Student Name _____
Parents Name _____
Check # _____ Amount Enclosed \$ _____

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PARKVIEW BAND BOOSTER ASSOCIATION
INSTALLMENT OPTION - 3RD PAYMENT DUE 9/1/11

INSTALLMENT PAYMENT OPTION
Marcher: \$125.00
Concert Only: \$50.00
Percussion/Drumline: \$185.00

Student Name _____
Parents Name _____
Check # _____ Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Detach this portion and mail to: Parkview Band Booster Association
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Parkview Band Ladies Concert Wear

The concert top/skirt combo is sold through the PHS Band Association and is required for all band concert performances for female students.

Note: Percussion members need to order only the top.

Samples will be available in the band room the week of July 25 – July 29 during the hours of 9:00am – 3:30pm for students to try on so the correct size can be ordered.



Combo Ladies Concert Wear - \$85.00

Percussion Ladies Concert Top - \$45.00

Parkview Band Men's Concert Wear

Black Tuxedo, black bow tie, black cummerbund, white shirt, black socks and shoes are required for Concert performances. The men of PHS Band can purchase their tuxedos at the store of their choice. One store is K&G on West Park Place. Also, check out the PHS Band Swap Shop online at www.parkviewband.net

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS ORDER FORM

STUDENT NAME _____

GRADE _____

LADIES CONCERT SET - Top _____ Size Skirt _____ Size \$ 85.00 Amount Paid \$ _____

Percussion Ladies only - Top _____ Size \$ 45.00 Amount Paid \$ _____

Make Separate Check Payable to:

Parkview Band Boosters Association

Check # _____

Total Amt Paid \$ _____