



Note-able News



STHS Band Program Weekly Newsletter



Happening this week: **10/23/2023 – 10/28/2023**

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Weekly Rehearsal Schedules

STHS Bands and Color Guard Calendar: [CLICK HERE FOR OUR BAND CALENDAR](#)

Monday 10/23: All Marching Band/Color Guard 4:30pm – 7:30pm

Tuesday 10/24: Color Guard 4:30pm – 7:30pm

Wednesday 10/25: Percussion 4:30pm – 7:30pm

Thursday 10/26: All Marching Band/Color Guard **SCHEDULE TBD**

Friday 10/27: 7pm Football Game vs. Lincoln

Marching Band, call time – 4:30pm

Guard, call time – 5:30pm

Pep Band only, call time - 6:00pm

Saturday 10/28: **MODIFIED SCHEDULE: All Marching Band/Color Guard 9:00am – 12:00pm**

Driven Coffee Fundraiser – Happening now until Oct. 31st

Driven Coffee fundraiser (running until 10/31)- this easy fundraiser helps earn money for your student's account. They will get 40% of all their sales and items are shipped to the purchaser, which means you can even send it to friends and family who are not local. Shoppers can choose from coffee and tea to snacks such as popcorn and trail mix! Click on the link below to shop!

[Driven Coffee Fundraiser Link](#)



Homecoming Football Game & Jr. Saints Night– Oct. 27th

The Marching Band will perform during halftime at the ST vs. Lincoln game this Friday, October 27th. Help out by assisting students in the pit with their instruments. Sign up for the 10/27 game using link below.

Jr. Saints Night will also be on 10/27. There will be a bake sale to help STHS Music.



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[Volunteer for MB Halftime Performance and Jr. Saints Night](#)



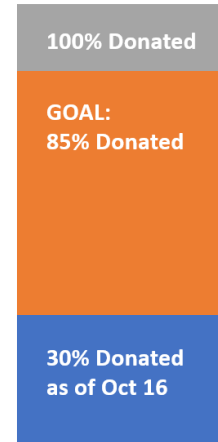
STHS Hair Band Challenge

As of October 16, 2023, we have 100 band and color guard students. We have only received contribution payments from 30 students, which amounts to \$17,000 of the \$71,000 requested this year from dues. Everyone's contributions help the bands rock on.

Let's reach a goal of **85% participation by November 1** and raise **\$60,000+!**

Mr. Crisanto will dye his hair **BLUE** when 55 more students have made a dues payment.

And, his hair will be on fire with excitement and turn **ORANGE** when we reach \$60,000 raised through your dues, individual fundraising, and company matches.



Mr. C's hair turns blue when 85% of students donate

Mr. C's hair turns orange when \$60,000+ is raised!

Please note: Most companies will match your donation up to a certain amount, **INCLUDING** your Dues! Please check with your HR for details and submit the form. STMAA is a Tax-Exempt Nonprofit Organization as described in Section 501(c)(3) and a public charity as described in Section 509(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code. STMAA's EIN is 20-0476662.

2023-2024 Contributions

The first and second installments for Marching Band & Color Guard were due on September 1, 2023 and October 1, 2023. Please log into Charms to make a payment. If you need assistance to make a payment, or need an alternate payment plan, please reach out to treasurer@santateresamusic.com. We truly appreciate your prompt response to this matter and helping us keep this band program alive for our students!

Band	Dues	Due Date
Marching Band & Color Guard	\$950	09/01/23: \$350 10/01/23: \$300 11/01/23: \$300
Symphonic Winds	\$125	11/1/2023
Wind Ensemble	\$150	11//1/2023

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

Easy ways to pay your dues – choose the one best for you!

1. Charms (school code “sthsband” – this site also shows your remaining balance due): [Charms Link](#)
2. Credit Card Link (add student name to notes): [AffiniPay Link](#)
3. Mail a check to STMAA P.O.Box 23761, San Jose, CA 95153
4. Zelle QR Code (scan it from your bank’s app and let the Treasurer know your donation):



5. Bank Zelle payment to our band bank account with our Zelle ID of treasurer@santateresamusic.com

Contributions for Marching Band/Colorguard cover music, subscriptions, software, choreography, and instructors.

Thank you for your support! Questions? Please contact stmaaboard@santateresamusic.com. If you have any concerns about making payments, please contact Mr. Crisanto at banddirector@santateresamusic.com.

2023 Dates for Competitions, Performances and Concerts

Below is the tentative schedule for performances and concerts through December. Dates are subject to change and will be communicated as such.

Marching Band Competitions and Performances:

- Saturday, November 4: WBA Independence Show, Independence High School
- Wednesday, November 8: Leigh HS Benefit Show
- Saturday, November 11: WBA Regional Championships, James Logan High School
- Saturday, November 18: WBA Championships, Hughes Stadium, Sacramento - **TENTATIVE**

Football Games for Pep and Marching Bands:

- Friday, October 27: Homecoming Game & Senior Night

Concerts and Performances:

- Thursday, December 14: Winter Band Concert
- Friday, December 15: Holiday Jazz Cafe



STMAA Board Meeting

Next meeting: **Tuesday, November 7, 2023**

7:30-9:30 pm

Band Room and on Google Meets

All band parents are welcome to attend the Santa Teresa Music and Arts Association (STMAA) board meeting to hear of all the latest happenings within the band program. See below for Google Meets link and dial in.

STMAA Board Meeting

Tuesday, November 7 · 7:30 – 9:30pm

Time zone: America/Los_Angeles

Google Meet joining info

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/ips-nnxxo-uqn>

Or dial: (US) +1 518-531-6221 PIN: 465 837 768#

More phone numbers: <https://tel.me/et/ips-nnxxo-uqn?pin=6790055819385>





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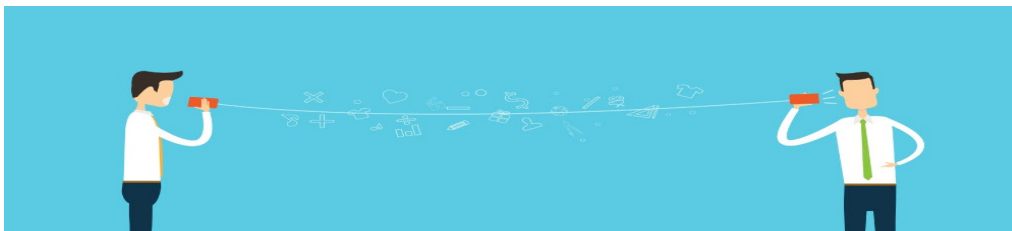
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What is STMAA?

STMAA The Santa Teresa Music & Arts Association (STMAA) is a non-profit public benefit corporation created by parents to promote, develop, and support participation in music education and other performing arts in the Santa Teresa High School community. We work in partnership with the school to create opportunities for our students to perform in band and choral festivals, marching band and color guard competitions, and other venues. STMAA is a 501(c)3 non-profit corporation.

Questions or comments? Please allow 24 hours for a response as many of our STMAA board members work full-time jobs. [STMAA Board](#).

Communications...Who should I contact?



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