



March 4, 2022

Dear Beginner Band Parent,

The end of the year is rapidly approaching, which means that our Annual Band Contest/Fun Day will be here before you know it. The date of our contest is May 12. For our Annual Contest/Fun Day, we will be performing at the Pride of Texas Music Festival in Hurst, TX.

The cost of the festival is \$20 and includes:

- Individual Contest Performance Fees
- Pizza, pasta, and salad buffet
- Indoor and Outdoor attractions and video games

The trip must be paid in full by April 4. Some students may still need to pay for their band fees as well.

As this is an extra-curricular event, your child must be eligible according to UIL standards in order to participate. We cannot guarantee refunds for any student that is not eligible to attend.

A permission slip for the festival is attached. Every student must have a signed permission slip in order to attend the trip. Please be sure to fill out both sides of the form and return it by April 4.

Parents are welcome to watch the performance. Parents are responsible for their own transportation, food and entertainment. Our performance time is 10 AM. The address is 609 NE Loop 820 Hurst, TX 76053

Students should arrive to the middle school band hall on time for school so that we can leave on time. Students will wear school appropriate jeans and their band polos. We will leave the venue at approximately 1:30. We should be back before school is dismissed.

Don't forget about the upcoming Sounds of Spring Concert on April 28. Students will wear school approved khaki pants for this event along with their band polos. A separate letter will go home about the concert including details with time, location and ticket information.

Thank you for allowing your child to be a part of our successful program. We strongly believe that participation in a music program helps them strive for perfection in everything that life has to offer. Please feel free to call the band hall 972.427.6080 ext. 5619 or e-mail with any questions.

Thank You,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "G. Hamilton", with a large loop at the start and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Greg Hamilton
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Please see reverse side for payment information.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

As stated on the front page of this letter, the cost of the trip is \$20 and includes:

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Your student HAS PAID / HAS NOT PAID their band fee.

A total of _____ is due on April 4. This will complete the balance of the trip.

Please give us a call or e-mail with any questions you may have about the trip.

Students may pay for their trip by sending cash or check in an envelope to their band class. Checks should be made to Crandall ISD and include the payee's phone number and driver's license number.