



BAND BOOSTERS

2022-2023

September Booster Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, September 6, 2021, 7:00 PM, Band Hall
(Normally the First Tuesday of each month, 7:00 PM, Band Hall)

2022 - 2023 School Year

- Board Members
 - President – Kara Garcia (board@cypressfallsband.org)
 - President Elect – **OPEN**
 - Vice President – Josie Pereyra (board@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Vice President Elect – Cyndi Coon (cblueyes2001@yahoo.com)
 - Treasurer – Deanna Haranda (treasurer@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Secretary – Ann Hough (secretary@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Booster meeting minutes are posted on the band website
 - Parliamentarian – Cindy Hogue

- Committee Chairs
 - Chaperone- Kerri Gutierrez (chaperone@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Color Guard- Pepper Taylor (guard@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Percussion- Kerri Gutierrez
 - Merchandise- Jennifer Alford (merchandise@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Communications- Jennifer Dwight (communications@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Flags with Pride- Stephanie Gunderson (flagswithpride@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Fundraising- Cindy Hogue and Ann Hough
 - Uniforms- Sharon Davis (uniforms@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Membership- Dawn Han (membership@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Equipment- Paul Hogue (equipment@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Food- Karina Trujillo and Maria Paniagua (refreshments@cypressfallsband.org)
 - Budget- Dawn Han

Upcoming Events

- Friday, September 9th—Football vs. Klein Cain (Klein Memorial Stadium)
- Saturday, September 10th—Rock-a-Thon (Band Hall) *****Volunteers Needed*****
- Monday, September 12th—Cypress Falls Open House; World's Finest Chocolate Kick-Off
- Friday, September 16th—Football vs. Cy-Lakes (Pidgeon Stadium)
- Saturday, September 17th—Flags with Pride return
- Thursday, September 22nd—Freaky Thursday
- Saturday, September 24th—BOA North Houston
- Monday, September 26th—NO SCHOOL (Teacher Work Day)
- Thursday, September 29th—Football vs. Langham Creek (Berry Center—8th Grade Night)

Directors Comments: Ryan Mohney (ryan.mohney@cfisd.net)–Band
Melissa Marandola (melissa.marandola@cfisd.net)–Band
Kyle Pridgen (kyle.pridgen@cfisd.net) – Percussion
Lauren Hall (lauren.hall@cfisd.net)–Color Guard
Skylar Long – Color Guard Assistant

- Every weekend in October there is a football game and contest
- Drink lots of water
- Marching uniforms will be worn this week
- Color guard uniforms have arrived but will not be worn yet until makeup is designed
- Composite photographs are this Wednesday and next Monday
- Freaky Thursday is 9/22nd and family is expected to come learn their child's spot
- BOA 9/24th performance is 9am in Conroe – schedule coming
- BOA Katy is sometime in the afternoon
- Cypress Showcase time is pending
- Battle at the Berry will be an exhibition performance at 9:30am and then a 1pm football game, some students will stay behind to help run the contest
- Region Contest time is pending

- Elephant in the room – Disney's timing was off for January with raising enough funds so a new trip has been proposed
- Disney was checked into for April but there was not a student holiday to make it worth our wild for multiple days at Disney
- Branson is being proposed for April 13th-17th
- the trip will cost \$675 without fundraising and will include Silver Dollar City Amusement Park, 2 shows, unlimited Go Karts, Talking Caverns, pizza pool party, 3 nights hotel and all food (except 1 fast food lunch) – more info below
- parent permission slip(found below) needs to be turned in by Monday, September 12th

Treasurer's Report: Deanna Haranda

\$28,757.73 brought in

\$19,324.92 spent

All marching band fees should be paid in full at this time. Bring cash or check to Mr. Mohney if you still owe

Committee Reports

Chaperone: Kerri Gutierrez (email: chaperone@cypressfallsband.org); **SHADOW NEEDED**
Sign Ups: Band Website (cypressfallsband.org) →Parents→Parent Volunteers

All chaperones must be an approved CFISD volunteer. To become a CFISD volunteer:

- Go to CFISD.net→Community Involvement→Volunteer→Volunteer Portal Account

- Once your account is set up, take a screen shot of your profile page and email it to chaperone@cypressfallsband.org

Color Guard: Pepper Taylor (email: guard@cypressfallsband.org); Shadow—Rachel Simpson – absent from meeting

Percussion: Kerri Gutierrez (email: percussion@cypressfallsband.org) – absent from meeting

Merchandise: Jennifer Alford (email: merchandise@cypressfallsband.org)

Pick up any merchandise you've ordered today after the meeting, mom/dad shirts and jackets are in!

Merchandise website: <https://www.store.cypressfallsband.org/>

Communications: Jennifer Dwight (email: communications@cypressfallsband.org)

- Send all event photos here for posting on FaceBook

Flags with Pride Fundraiser: Stephanie Gunderson (email: flagswithpride@cypressfallsband.org); **SHADOW NEEDED**

- Remind 101 sign up: Text @Flagcr to 81010
 - Pick up flags on Saturday, September 17th
 - Next event: Veteran's Day (November)

Fundraising: Cindy Hogue and Ann Hough

- **FREE MONEY:** The best way to help the band is to not miss out on FREE MONEY!
 - If you have a **KROGER CARD** use Kroger Rewards #82396. Register every year.
- Upcoming Fundraisers:
 - Rock-a-Thon, September 10th; minimum entry fee: \$75
 - World's Finest Chocolate; kick-off 9/12 at open house, stop by to get your box
 - Boxes will also be dispersed after each practice
 - You will receive a box of chocolate once a signed permission form is turned in (permission slip attached below)
 - You may get another box after \$60 is received

Uniforms: Sharon Davis (email: uniforms@cypressfallsband.org)

-uniforms will be worn this Friday

Membership: Dawn Han (email: membership@cypressfallsband.org) **SHADOW NEEDED**

- Upcoming Membership Events: Rock-a-Thon
 - Volunteers needed to work the lock-in
 - Donations still needed for raffle prizes; text Dawn at (832) 368-6256 if you can help donate something
 - Students are to bring snacks/drinks to share based on grade level:

- Seniors: salty snacks (chips, goldfish, pretzels, etc. in individual packages)
- Juniors: water bottles
- Sophomores: Soda (CANS ONLY)
- Freshmen: Dessert (sweet snacks or fruit)
- NO TENTS! Electronics, game systems, etc. are welcome.

Equipment: Paul Hogue (email: equipment@cypressfallsband.org)

- Need equipment crew volunteers
- Need more volunteers now that we are adding more stages
- There will be 10 rectangular stages and 3 triangular stages

Meals/Refreshments: Karina Trujillo and Maria Paniagua

(email: refreshments@cypressfallsband.org) if you know of a restaurant that can give us a discount on feeding our kids

Budget: Dawn Han

Information Resources to Stay in Contact with the Band:

- Website: www.cypressfallsband.org.
- Booster Club Remind: Text @cfbb2022 to 81010 or go to this link: <https://www.remind.com/join/cfbb2022>
- Remind 101 Text Alerts- get with directors if you do not get Remind
- Twitter: @CFGEMB
- **Facebook:** Cypress Falls Band Boosters

Sponsorship: (email: board@cypressfallsband.org)

- If you or someone you know is interested in supporting the band thru sponsorship donations, please get in touch with a board member. Sponsorship opportunities can be monetary or in the form of supplies, food or other items the band may need. Sponsorship information can be found on the band website under "Sponsors."

Cypress Falls Band Spring Trip To Branson

Itinerary: April 13th-17th, 2023

Thursday, April 13: The buses will arrive at Cypress Falls High School at 8:00pm for direct service to Branson.

Friday, April 14: Arrive in Branson 8:00am. Breakfast buffet at Starvin' Marvin's. The Tracks Family Fun Park, Hotel Check-in. Dinner at Pasgetti's Restaurant followed by The Amazing Acrobats of Shanghai Show.

Saturday, April 15: Breakfast at the hotel, Talking Rocks Cavern, Lunch on own. Beyond the Lens and The Titanic Museum, Dinner at Fall Creek Steak and Catfish House followed by The Haygoods Show at Clay Cooper Theatre.

Sunday, April 16: Breakfast at the hotel, Silver Dollar City with Meal Voucher for Lunch, Back to the hotel for Pizza Party and swimming.

Monday, April 17th: Breakfast at the hotel and depart for Cypress Falls



Voted #1 U.S. Theme Park in 2022 by USA Today

4 Story Go Karts @ Tracks Family Fun Park

Cost of 5 days/4 nights **All-Inclusive** Trip - \$675.00 (1 Fast Food lunch and 2 Buccees stops are not included)

Payments due at or before each of the following Band Booster Meeting dates: (All band fees must be current)

Tuesday, November 1st - \$175.00

Tuesday, December 6th - \$175.00

Tuesday, January 10th - \$175.00

Tuesday, February 7th - **\$150.00** This could be less if our World's Finest Chocolate(September), Mister Car Wash Certificates(November) and our Christmas Extravaganza(December) fundraisers do well.

-----Must return this slip by Monday, September 12th -----

I agree to the above payment schedule and my child

_____ has my permission to attend the Branson Spring trip.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

If there are empty seats on the bus, I am interested in attending this Branson Spring Trip and agree to the payment schedule above.

Name(s) _____ How

Many? _____



Presents: Our  *World's Finest*
C H O C O L A T E

Fundraiser!

Cypress Falls Golden Eagle Marching Band – Date: Sept 12th through Sept 23rd

Goal - \$10,000 to Help Reduce the Cost of the Spring Trip to Branson

We will be selling **\$2.00 Variety Packs (Green Box)**

1 CASE = 30 items = \$60.00 total

Parents please help sell to friends, family & co-workers.

UNSOLD CHOCOLATE MAY NOT BE RETURNED.

All prizes are cumulative. ALL money *must* be turned in no later than DATE: Sept 30th to qualify for prizes.

A - Sell 1 Case

You get a Raising Canes Value Card for 1 free Freshly Squeezed Lemonade

B - Sell 2 Cases

You will get to attend an exclusive Cypress Falls Band Pool Party
Plus "A"

C - Sell 5 cases

You will receive a 1 pound World's Finest Chocolate Bar
Plus "A-B"

D - Sell 6 cases

-You will get to Silly String the Directors
-You will get put into drawing for a Squid Hat

Top Selling Grade Level will get a icy treat after a hot practice.

Top Seller Overall will win a 5lb chocolate bar and get to Conduct "Land of a Thousand Dances" at one Football Game

For all your fundraising needs: coastalfundraising.com

By signing below, I give my permission for my child to participate in this sale. I acknowledge I am responsible for the chocolate and the money. I understand NO chocolate may be returned. ALL previous money must be turned in to check out additional chocolate to compete for prizes.

Return bottom portion to the school ASAP to participate in the sale

I am checking out \$60.00 worth of chocolate.

Student Name/Instrument

Parent Signature

Parent/Guardian Name PRINTED

Cell & E-mail