



Savanna High School
Mighty Rebel Band and Colorguard

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NEXT BOOSTER / PARENT MEETING
October 16th! 7PM



September was a busy month! As you can see from the pictures, we got our uniforms out, played at three football games, the trailer (and loading crew) got their first workout ... oh, and we washed a few cars (and I guess a few students too!). Remember, if you want these pictures in color (and more pictures) take a look for the latest at our Booster website.



October gets even busier, yes our tournament season begins in October. We go to two this month, the Etiwanda and Loara Tournaments on October 11 and 25, respectively. Besides that, we continue to support the Savanna Football team by performing at all home games!

What you need to know about your students and tournaments

These are generally ALL DAY activities – with practice in the morning, and then loading and driving time to get to the event. Because we are larger band (5A) we usually perform in the evening with awards ceremonies sometimes being as late as 9:30 PM after all the bands have performed. Often we don't get back to the school until 10 or 11 PM, and remember, there is still unloading to do! Make sure your student gets a good night's rest before, and has a solid breakfast in the morning to start out the day.



At the tournament - students are NOT allowed to eat or drink (other than water) in their uniforms. However, often we have enough time to change after our performance and before awards – we all sit together – but if they are changed they can go and buy food. Most tournaments have the basics (burgers, nachos, drinks) and some are more elaborate. Remember, these are fundraising events for the hosts – they are reasonable, but not always cheap – plan on \$10 if you student eats a lot!



WE LOVE A FRIENDLY AUDIENCE – everyone is welcome to come out and watch us – and see a lot of other bands perform too. Remember, all tournaments charge entry fees – usually around \$5-10 per person. The week before Mr. Belski puts out an “info sheet” with details on location, our performance time, entrance costs, etc. You can get it off the Director's Website, or your student can pick up a copy in the Director's office. (BTW: Wear RED!)

FUNDRAISING CORNER



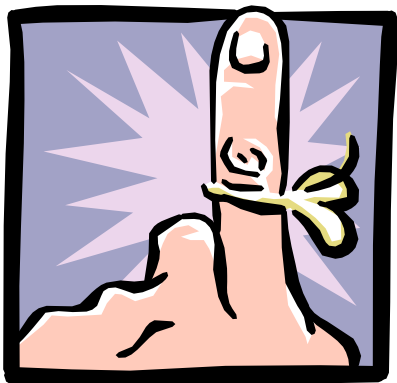
COW CHIP BINGO – Where the cows pick the winners! Tickets will be on sale the first two weeks of October, with all moneys and unused tickets due back on OCTOBER 10th. This is a STUDENT FUNDRAISER – all sales goes to the selling student's account! Join us Sunday afternoon –October 12th, 1PM – on the very back field at the school for the actual cows!

BUYING POWER FUNDRAISERS – We have two fundraisers that earn money for our organization as you do your normal shopping. Alberton's and e-Scrip are two exciting programs that don't cost you anymore than your normal shopping.



Albertson's Grocery Stores – sign up in the store and link your Albertson's community card. Our Albertson's ID No. is 4 90001 05934 1 and we are registered as “Savanna High School Band & Pageantry”

e-Scrip – is an electronic, on-line system that registers and tracks your purchases at hundreds of places – literally across the country. See them on line at www.escrip.com . Register with our Escrip ID which is 500004334, and again we are registered as “Savanna High School Band & Pageantry”

**DON'T FORGET THIS MONTH**

- Oct 3rd – Home Football Game Performance**
- Oct 9th – Board Meeting**
- Oct 10th – Cow Chip Ticket Sales Due**
- Oct 11th – Etiwanda Field Tournament Performance**
- Oct 12th – Cow Chip Bingo**
- Oct 13th – Tournament Planning Meeting**
- Oct 16th – Parent Meeting**
- Oct 17th – Home Football Game Performance**
- Oct 25th – Loara Field Tournament Performance**

This months parent meeting is important as we start putting final touches on volunteer positions for the tournament – come and pick your spot and shift!

Also, student account statements are being sent out this month – are you up to date? Make sure your fees and charges are current and paid up – it helps all the students!

See all the latest pictures and information at our websites:

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