

# West Lafayette Music Boosters

2020-2021

West Lafayette Music Boosters is a parent organization that helps support and encourages West Lafayette Community School Corporation's music programs from Kindergarten through Grade 12.

## Music Boosters raises funds for all WLCSC school music programs!

Music Boosters raises money to enrich the experiences of students in the music programs at **WL Elementary** and **WL Intermediate Schools** and at the **WL Junior/Senior High School**.

Music Boosters has recently funded:

- \*Lighting/Sound/Stage Equipment & Supplies
- \* Musical Expenses for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade – Jr. High
- \*Bass & Cello Bags, Cello Belts
- \*Tuners for Band
- \*Contest Music for Band
- \*Glockenspiel & Equipment for WL Intermediate
- \*Instruments, Music Books, Recorder Expenses for WL Elementary
- \*Summer Music Scholarships
- \*All entry fees for Organizational Contests
- \*Awards for students in Band/Orchestra/Choir
- \*Spirit Bags for Contest participants

Music Boosters is a state and federally recognized not-for-profit organization, so your Music Boosters contributions are tax-deductible.

Music Boosters Tax Exempt numbers:

Indiana Not-for-profit ID: 1050-28843-000-3

Federal Not-for-profit ID: 23-7354053

Music Boosters derives none of its funding from student fundraising. Fruit sales, football parking, and the like are fund-raisers for specific music groups. Band, Orchestra, and Choir fundraising activities benefit those groups directly and are the responsibility of the school. Music Boosters funds benefit music students in all music activities at each school, and are completely separate from school activity funds.

## Music Booster Meetings

Music Boosters meets two times a year to plan activities and make decisions about funding projects. Meetings are held at 7:00pm in the orchestra area of the junior/senior high school, just inside the south parking lot door, up the stairs, and to the right.

One meeting per semester will be held with the dates to be determined. Please check yes if you would like to receive an email reminder for these meetings.

## Can you help?

No applications or membership dues required! You can give a boost to music programs at your child's schools in three ways.

- Make a financial gift to Music Boosters
- Volunteer to help at school music events
- Come to a Music Boosters meeting

Your support shows students and teachers that you stand behind their efforts. Take a few minutes soon to fill out the form on the other side and send it in. If you indicate that you are willing to volunteer with Music Boosters projects, someone will email or call you when your help is needed. Thank you for being a Music Booster!

**Music Boosters funds \$5000-\$6000 in school music projects every year. Thank you for your support!!  
Your Donations Count!**

Donations are Music Boosters' largest source of funds, accounting for about two-thirds of each year's income. Last year, Music Boosters and friends contributed over \$6000 to assist school music programs.

Contributors are listed as Sustaining Members of West Lafayette Music Boosters in the programs used at performances. For your name to be included in first semester concert programs, Music Boosters must receive your gift by **September 20**. Contributions received after September 20 will be included on a monthly basis.

Please use the form below for your tax-deductible contribution and mail it to this address:

**West Lafayette Music Boosters, c/o Carol Letcher  
West Lafayette Junior/Senior High School  
1105 North Grant Street  
West Lafayette, IN 47906**

Thank you from this year's Music Boosters Executive Board

Carol Letcher, Karen Springer, Beth Tran, Daniel Tran,  
Gene Valentine

*Please mail this form and your contribution payable to "West Lafayette Music Boosters" to the address listed above.*

Your name, as you wish it to appear in the program:

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you wish to receive email reminders of Music Boosters meetings? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Children's names	Grade	Band	Choir	Orchestra	General Music
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Enclosed is my tax-deductible contribution of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I/we can volunteer for the following Music Boosters activities (circle all that apply):

**Executive Board** (August '20 - May '21)      **Spirit Bags for Contest Participants** (January-February)

**Carnation sales** (March/April)      **Summer Ice Cream Social** (June)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_