

Friends of the Vicksburg Band Program,

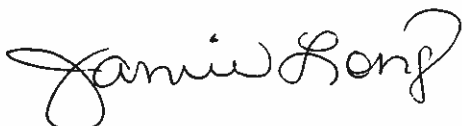
We invite you to participate in a fundraising plan to help support the Vicksburg Band Program in its quest to provide students with unique and meaningful learning experiences through music performance. It is our mission to provide students with opportunities to develop leadership, character, self-discipline and other life skills that are necessary to succeed as a contributing member of society. The Vicksburg Band Boosters has pledged to support these goals, but we cannot do it alone. With continued budget cuts, rising fuel costs and a lack of county financial support, the ever-growing Vicksburg band program is in need of your support.

We are asking for monetary support. In return, we can offer you or your business an attractive advertising package. In addition to the yearlong advertising that you will receive, you will have the peace of mind in knowing that your dollars are going to support a group of more than 400 young people who truly love music and strive to do their very best each and every day.

We have included an outline of how the Vicksburg Band Boosters provide support to the band program, an overview of the Vicksburg Band Program, and an outline of our sponsorship packages to help you in your decision to support this worthwhile group of students. We encourage you to attend any and all activities in which the band is involved and see how your contribution helps support this awarding program.

Thank you for your time and support of the Vicksburg Band Program.

Sincerely,



Jamie Long
Vicksburg Band Boosters, Inc.

Vicksburg Band Boosters provide:

Our Band Boosters provide support for the Band Program that our school budget cannot absorb. The Boosters pay for major instrument and uniform purchases and the needs of our different ensembles. We also provide the operating budget for band festivals. In addition, the Band Booster organization contributes countless hours supporting the band program at their events and planning various fundraisers throughout the year.

Vicksburg Band Overview:

The Vicksburg Band Program consists of various performing ensembles, each with their own specific needs. Our performing ensembles include Marching Band, Concert Bands, Jazz Bands, and Pep Band. Each group contributes to the Middle School, High School and Community throughout the school year performing at home football games, community parades, basketball games and presenting multiple seasonal concerts. Our award winning marching band program travels across the state throughout the fall season competing in a variety of prestigious marching band competitions. Our goal is to provide each student with a positive and meaningful music experience that they may carry with them long after graduation.

Advertising Summary:

At this time, the Vicksburg Band program is scheduled to perform at a variety of shows throughout the state. At each event our band trailer is present and “on display” for everyone to see, creating a mobile advertisement for your business. It also is on display in a prominent place on our High School campus that community members and visitors can see whenever they visit. In addition, we recognize all our sponsors at every home football game, our annual Bulldog Invitational Marching Band Festival and at all our concerts throughout the year. We include a list of all our current sponsors in all our printed programs and have them displayed on our website.

Vicksburg Band Program Sponsorship Levels

Diamond Sponsor - \$2000 and above Contribution: \$ _____

- 6 comp tickets to Bulldog Invitational
- Band Trailer Ad - Name/Logo (24x24)
- Full page print ad in our Invitational Program
- "Thank you" Announcements
- Text Listing in all Band Programs
- Website Link/Ad Banner

Platinum Sponsor - \$1000 - \$1999 Contribution: \$ _____

- 4 comp tickets to Bulldog Invitational
- Band Trailer Ad - Name/Logo (20x20 max)
- Half page print ad in our Invitational Program
- "Thank you" Announcement
- Text Listing in all Band Programs
- Website Link/Ad Banner

Gold Sponsor - \$500 - \$999 Contribution: \$ _____

- 2 Comp tickets to Bulldog Invitational
- Band Trailer Ad - Name Logo (16x16 max)
- Text listing in all Band Programs
- Website Link (if applicable)

Silver Sponsor - \$100 - \$499 Contribution: \$ _____

- 2 comp tickets to Bulldog Invitational
- Band Trailer Ad - Name (1.5" Font)
- Text Listing in all Band Programs

Vicksburg Bands Sponsorship Form

Name of Sponsoring Organization/Individual: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: (____) _____ - _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

Please fill in the blank above for the appropriate level, and return to:

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Vicksburg, MI 49097