

Sponsor the Ashley Ridge Bands

Looking for a great local program to support?
Ashley Ridge High School Bands are that perfect opportunity to support local musicians and guard performers plus promote your business.



What are our goals?

- 1. To provide every student the ability to participate in the band and guard program, regardless of income.
- 2. To provide instruments and equipment to the students at little or no cost.
- 3. To ensure that the ARHS Band program has the equipment and additional services needed to be on par with other high school programs of the same size.
- 4. To provide a life-long love of music and the performing arts.



Why do we need your support?

As you are probably aware, school budgets are stretched thin to cover costs of general education, leaving little money to support the performing arts programs in schools. The costs of uniforms, program design, competition fees, field props, staffing, equipment, transportation and operating costs far exceed the funding provided to each school by the state and district. Our students participate in many different fundraisers during the school year to help offset some of the costs, but a large portion of the expenses are paid by the parents and students.

Why is education and participation in music and the arts important?



There are thousands of studies that have been done about the how music and the arts improve how students learn and grow. But hearing what an actual student says about what participation in the band has done for them carries just as much, if not more significance:

"Despite being a generally shy person, band has pushed me to be a leader, to step outside my comfort zone. I have done things that the younger version of me would have thought I could never accomplish. While I'm not always good with words, music has given me a place to express myself and my feelings. I find that I can always turn to music in good or bad times, it has been so helpful to me in so many different ways." -2022 AR Band Graduate.









2023-2024 School Year	Maroon \$100	White \$250	Black \$500	Silver \$1,000	Gold \$2,500	Platinum \$5,000
Website Recognition and Link	◊	◊	◊	◊	◊	◊
Window Decals Showing Your Support of ARHS Bands	◊	◊	◊	◊	◊	◊
Tax Exempt Letter	◊	♦	♦	♦	♦	♦
Listing in the Concert Programs		◊	◊	◊	◊	◊
Logo on Banner Displayed at Competitions		◊	◊	♦	♦	♦
Announcement at Home Football Games			◊	◊	◊	◊
Logo on Equipment Trailers			◊	♦	♦	◊
Company Name or Logo Displayed at Concessions				◊	◊	◊
Logo on Band Tower Banner					◊	◊
30-Minute Ensemble Group Concert					◊	◊
Marching Band Performance at Your Business						\Q

Contact Name:		
Email:		
Company Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone Number:		
Student Name:		

Company Name: _

Maroon Level - \$100.00	
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Black Level - \$500.00	
Silver Level - \$1000.00	
Gold Level - \$2,500.00	
Platinum Level - \$5,000.00	
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Checks can be made payable to ARHS Bands





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