



Dear Band, Choir and Guard Families,

The Stagg Music Boosters is a parent - volunteer organization formed with the purpose of promoting and maintaining the co-curricular activities within Stagg's music program. These co-curricular include **Marching Band** and **Jazz Band**, The **Madrigal** and **'Business Casual' Choirs**, and the **Color Guard** and **Winter Guard** programs. The entire music program is enhanced because of these additional activities and our children benefit by having more options to explore in furthering their musical interests.

As Stagg Music Boosters, we provide the financial support for these co-curricular music programs at Stagg High School. We support these activities by sponsoring several fund raising events throughout the year. Currently these events include an annual **Multi-High School Marching Band Jamboree**, a **Fall and a Spring Craft Show**, and the **Winter Guard Competition**. In addition, our monthly **Market Day** fundraiser provides additional income in support of our general fund.

As Stagg Music Boosters, we also organize and sponsor several product fundraisers. All band, choir and guard students may participate in these fundraisers. These fundraisers offer our students the opportunity to earn money for themselves that can be used toward school sponsored music related trips and activity fees. Monies earned are kept in individual student accounts managed by the Music Booster Treasurer and are made available when needed. These small student fundraisers are especially important as the 2009-2010 school year has a Trip to Disney planned.

Like most volunteer organizations the Music Boosters need and depend upon your financial and physical support to help keep our co-curricular music programs going. We encourage all families with children enrolled in any **band, choir or guard program** to join the Music Boosters. Our membership fee is only \$15.00 per family per year. We

welcome your active participation in the Music Boosters organization. You will find that volunteering just a small amount of your time can be a very self rewarding experience and also has a lasting benefit for yourself, your child and for everyone connected to Stagg's music programs. It's easy join the Music Boosters. Simply fill out the attached membership form and return it with your check for \$15.00 made payable to Stagg High School. (The Music Booster membership fee can also be paid if included with the other school fees at spring enrollment.) Membership forms and checks can be mailed to the address listed below or returned to the Music Boosters via your **Band, Choir or Guard director**.

For further information please contact our membership chair, Colleen Jahn at jahnc@earthlink.net or call her at 708-448-6187.

Music Booster meetings are on the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:15 in room 605 N1 entrance. Everyone is welcome to attend. visit <http://www.staggmusic.org> for more information

We appreciate your support and look forward to your participation as a music booster member.

Please mail your application and check to:

Colleen Jahn, Music Booster Membership Chair

c/o A.A. Stagg High School 11100 Roberts Road, Palos Hills, IL 60465



A.A. Stagg Music Booster Membership Form

Please complete and mail along with your membership fee.

send to: Stagg Music Boosters c/o Stagg High School 11100 Roberts Rd. Palos Hills, Ill. 60465

OR return to your Band, Choir or Guard Director

*(Make all checks payable to **Stagg High School in the amount of \$15.00**)*

Student Name(s) _____ **Grade** (circle) **9 10 11 12** (circle) **Band Choir Guard**

Mother's Name _____ **Phone #** _____ ***Email** _____

Father's Name _____ **Phone #** _____ ***Email** _____

I am interested in helping in the following committees:

Membership _____ Fundraising _____ Volunteer coordinator _____ Telephoning _____ Band Camp _____

Jamboree _____ Craft Fairs (spring/fall) _____ Color Guard _____ Hospitality (choir) _____ (Band) _____

Market day _____ Field Trips/ Chaperoning _____

Uniforms: Marching Band _____ Concert Bands _____ Choir _____

Other _____

I have the following skills and interests which I would like to offer to the Organization:

We meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month 7:15pm Rm. 605 N-1 entrance ALL ARE WELCOME

Check out the Stagg Music Booster website at staggmusic.org

When you support the Boosters you are promoting music education in our school for our children!

***INCLUDE AN E-MAIL & WE WILL DO OUR BEST TO CONTACT YOU WITH
CURRENT MUSIC BOOSTER INFO AND STUDENT FUNDRAISERS***