

**Battle of the Bands** is our own SCSBOA Field show Tournament. It is the biggest one-day fundraiser of the year and raises money for our entire music program! We ask that all students and parents in the music and colorguard programs work at least one shift this day. We would appreciate if NON-marching band students and families would consider covering the shift during our performances in the evening about 5:30pm. Band Guides will be assigned by Mr. Velasco.

### **Volunteer Job Descriptions:**

**Command Central:** This is the main hub of the event. Volunteers check-in and out, and we control facilities services and the coordination of the event from here. We need help checking-in volunteers, and monitoring the radio communications to send workers and facilities where needed.

**Facilities:** These volunteers set-up/tear-down, and keep the show going! Morning shift sets up the show: delivers chairs, Ez-Ups, and supplies to the various areas of campus. During the day, facilities assist bands with their equipment, empty trashcans, transports people across campus, and sets lights in the evening. The afternoon shift will help tear down and clean up after the event ends. These positions require the ability to lift heavier items such as tables.

**Band Check-In:** These volunteers check-in the bands as they arrive, and instruct them on where to go, and the overview of the show so that the schools know what they are doing and all runs smoothly. This is a very important interface with other schools!

**BBQ/Food Court/Grab & Go:** This is our food sales area. We offer BBQ hamburgers, hot dogs, and quick grab & go items such as apples and Cup-o-Noodles. Volunteers serve customers, prep food, cashier, etc. Late shift helps clean-up/pack-up.

**Bottom and Top Ramp:** This is the ramp bands use to get down to and back up from the stadium field. Ramp monitors control the flow of the bands moving up and down, and keep the tournament running smoothly.

**Button Booth:** Our music program runs a booth that sells custom-made buttons. Some designs are pre-printed, and customers can create their own buttons.

**Hospitality:** Located in the teachers' lounge, this area is where we provide food and snacks for the judges, band directors and coaches. Volunteers serve food, keep drinks and snacks stocked, clean tables, and keep the judges and directors happy!!

**Beanie/Tshirts:** A booth where the MHS music program sells Battle of the Band Tshirts and consignment beanies!

**Judge Runners:** Located in the press box (the best seat in the house), judge runners collect the score sheets and the voice recorders from the judges after each performance, and keep the snacks and coffee flowing for the judges from the Hospitality room.

**Parking Attendants:** Monitor the entrances to the parking areas to keep cars out, and help direct the buses to the proper locations. Bring a book! It is not the most exciting job, but EXTREMELY important!!

**Pit Gate Crew:** Monitors the Pit Gate area at the visitor side of the stadium - keeps the flow going for the bands entering and exiting the field.

**Ticket Sales:** These volunteers sell "wristband tickets" and programs at the three entrances of the stadium.

**Ushers:** Volunteers will close the entrances at the top of the stairs on each side of the press box to keep people from entering and disturbing the judges during the performances. A great spot to watch the bands!

If you have any questions about the any of the volunteer positions, please contact Jill Quijada at [MHSinstrumentalmusic@gmail.com](mailto:MHSinstrumentalmusic@gmail.com)