



# PBPA General Meeting

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Sept 12, 2023

Co-Presidents: Michelle Groover & Cori Hembree



# Agenda

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- Call to order
- Director Report
- President's Report
  - Review of Events
  - Looking Ahead
- Getting Involved
- Fundraiser Update
- Presentation of our upcoming Competitions
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Next General PBPA Meeting is **November 6 at 6:45pm**. More details to come in The Beat!

# Director's Report

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# President's Report

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# This Year Thus Far...

Band Camp



Football Games



Sponsor-Palooza



Recycling Day



Car Wash



Pep Band at Elementary Schools



8th Grade Night





# What's to Come...

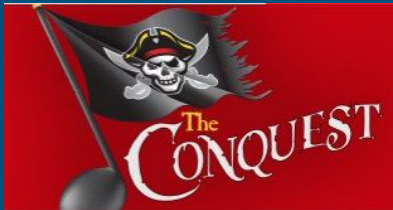
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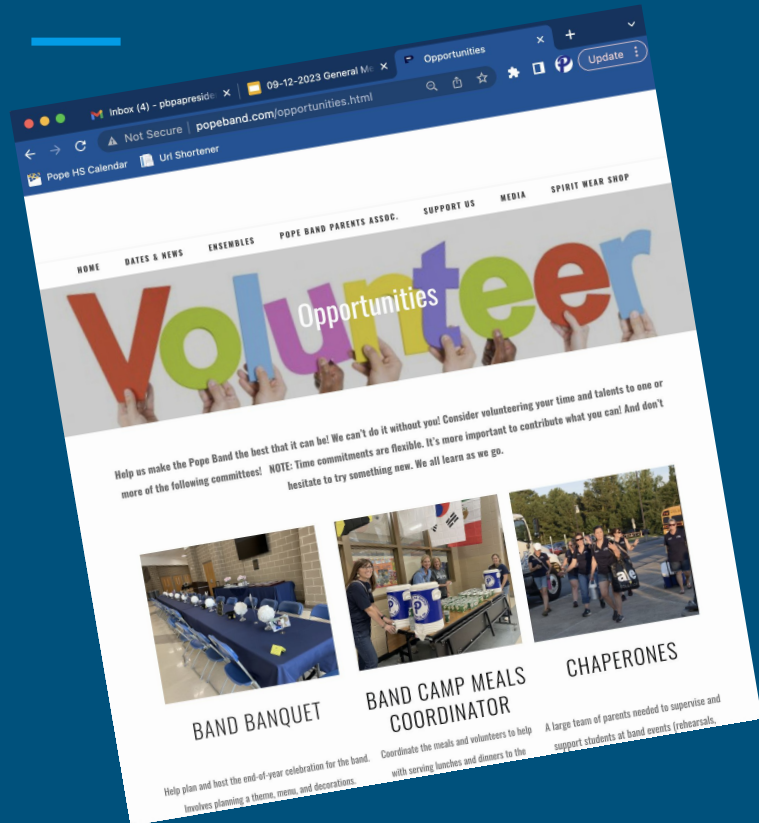
Competitions



Make sure you are connected to the Band Calendar and you are getting the BEAT



# Volunteer - Opportunities to get Involved



- Check out all the ways to get involved at our site:  
<http://www.popeband.com/opportunities.html>
- See what Sign Ups are open for volunteers:  
<http://www.popeband.com/current-sign-ups.html>

Ready to jump in? Drop an email to:

[pbpapresidents@gmail.com](mailto:pbpapresidents@gmail.com)

# Volunteer - Recruiting Now!

- **Charms\Student Accounts Admin** - administers the student accounts in CHARMS; the role this year will shadow our current administrator that rolls off at the end of this year.
- **Spirit Team (2 people)** - Help plan and coordinate posters, decorations, and parent gatherings for games, competitions, and other band events. (Fall)
- **Community Show Coordinator** - help plan and host the annual Community Show held in October. Includes coordinating publicity and food trucks. Show content determined by the Directors. (September – October)
- **Foundation Gala Baskets Coordinator** - coordinates with the parents of the band's sections to assemble themed baskets for the silent auction at the PHS Foundation's Gala
- **Band Camp Meals Coordinator (new position)** - looking ahead to next year's band camp, this volunteer will work with our caterer on the meals we serve\cater at band camp.
- **Concert & Marching Uniform Coordinators (two positions)** - measure students, assist with distributing and collecting uniforms/concert attire. Minor sewing needs are available, but sewing ability is not required. (Year round)



# Fundraising Update

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- **Spirit Wear -**
  - Income is hitting expected goals
  - Online sales available at:  
[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeOk9XvqbIBTW8k\\_37rv8fivZ8FBTgzQFsF8ZhA3Q1y47fFCw/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeOk9XvqbIBTW8k_37rv8fivZ8FBTgzQFsF8ZhA3Q1y47fFCw/viewform)
- **Flag Subscriptions -**
  - Income in alignment with historical earnings
- **Recycling Day in August -**
  - Excellent community turnout
  - Income in alignment with historical earnings
  - Next Date: Jan 13th
- **Sponsor Palooza -**
  - Met income goals for the first year
  - Students enjoyed
  - Feedback received indicates investing the money
- **Community Sponsors -**
  - Lagging projected income
  - Still opportunities to sponsor; see link here:  
<http://www.popeband.com/community-sponsor.html>

**Next Up: Popcorn Sales in October**

# Competition Details for 2023 Season

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# Cobb Exhibition - Oct 9, 2023

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- Call Time - 3:30pm - students stay after school
- Gates Open - 7pm
  - Performance Time - estimated to be around 8pm
- Return to Campus - 11pm
- Dinner Provided - Williamson Brothers BBQ Chicken Sandwiches & Veggie Burger

Location: McEachern High School

2400 New MacLand Rd; Powder Springs, GA 30127

# The Conquest - Oct 14, 2023

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- Call Time - 10:45am
- Gates Open - TBD
  - Performance Time - estimated to be around 7pm
- Return to Campus - estimated to be around 10pm
- Dinner Provided - Chick-fil-a Chicken Sandwiches & Veggie Wraps

Location: Allatoona High School

3300 Dallas Acworth Hwy; Acworth, GA 30101



## Students Packing List:

- Moisture Shirt
- Black Shorts
- Long Black Socks
- MTX and/or Performance Shoes
- Show Makeup / Hair Supplies
- Summer Uniform (Post Show)

# Bands of America - Oct 20-21, 2023

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- Call Time - 7am, Friday, Oct 20th
- Shuttle Buses to Event
- Performance Time for Prelims - 10:15am
- Performance Time for Finals - TBD
- Return to Campus - estimated 3:30am, Sunday, Oct 22nd

## Students Packing List:

- Moisture Shirt
- Black Shorts
- Long Black Socks
- Uniform Bag (Bibbers, Jacket, Shako Wrap)
- Shako Box (Shako, Gloves, Gauntlets)
- MTX and/or Performance Shoes
- CG Costume / Show Makeup / Hair Supplies / Earrings
- Under Armour Pants

## Location of Performance:

Ballad Health Athletic Center, East Tennessee State University

1081 John Robert Bell Dr; Johnson City, TN 37601

TICKETING: **Cashless** ticket booth

<https://aftontickets.com/BOAeasttennessee23>



# Bands of America - Oct 20-21, 2023

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## Meal Details

- Friday Night Dinner at Murder Mystery Dinner Show (Menu: <https://www.murdermystery-pigeonforge.com/menu/>)
- Saturday Morning - Bob Evans Breakfast Biscuits
- Saturday Lunch - Cootie Brown BBQ Lunch
- Sunday Dinner - Jersey Mike's Turkey & Veggie Subs

## Lodging Details

- Courtyard Marriott  
4025 Hamilton Place Dr; Johnson City, TN
- DoubleTree  
211 Mockingbird Ln; Johnson City, TN

# Legacy of Champions - Oct 28, 2023

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- Call Time - approx 10:45am (could change more details to come)
- Gates Open - TBD
  - Performance Time - estimated to be around 7pm
- Return to Campus -
- Dinner Provided - Concession Cheeseburger/Hamburger and Cheese Pizza

Location: Historic Grisham Stadium

201 Trojan Drive; Carrollton, GA 30117



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- Long Black Socks
- MTX and/or Performance Shoes
- Show Makeup / Hair Supplies
- Summer Uniform (Post Show)