



Crestwood Bands

A commitment dedicated to excellence in music.

Dear Business Owner,

How would you like to make a direct impact on the lives of Crestwood students? Please consider being a 2017-2018 Corporate Sponsor for the Crestwood Music Program. As a sponsor, you will be investing in the future of our exceptionally talented young musicians and ensuring that our tradition of performance excellence continues.

Each year, hundreds of Crestwood students in Grades 5 through 12 participate in the highly regarded Crestwood Music program:

- Our Middle and High School bands, including Wind Ensemble and Concert Band, compete in Ohio Music Educators Association adjudicated events and have received top honors at the state level.
- Our Scarlet Guard Marching Band travels to regional and national competitions, including the Bands of America Grand Nationals in Indianapolis, regularly receiving Best in Class for music, performance and Colorguard, as well as earning Grand Champion awards.
- The Music program also offers many opportunities for student performances through our middle and high school Jazz Bands, the Pit Orchestra, and Solo and Ensemble competitions.

Our students and staff work numerous hours during and after school to achieve this high level of excellence and they are a source of pride for the entire Crestwood School District.

As with many school districts facing difficult budget decisions, the Crestwood Music Department does not receive the funding needed to fully meet the needs within the program from the District Operational Funds. The Crestwood Band Boosters, which holds 501(c)(3) designation and relies primarily on parent volunteers to address our administrative and operational needs of the Band programs, help to bridge this gap through fundraising efforts. Your participation as a Corporate Sponsors will help us in our efforts.

A sponsorship form, with the levels of giving, has been included for your consideration. Please take a moment to review the form to determine which Corporate Sponsorship level works best for you. Should you have questions regarding Corporate Sponsorships, please contact the Crestwood Band Boosters at csgbandboosters@gmail.com.

As a way of rewarding Student Band Members who secure a Corporate Sponsor, the Band Boosters will allocate 20% of the sponsorship level chosen as a credit into their individual band account. High School Band Members use Band Accounts to pay for music related essentials, including reeds, valve oil, uniform parts, percussion sticks, band travel and music lessons. By this allocation, we hope to alleviate the financial burden that band participation can have on our students. Should this be the case, please indicate at the bottom of the Corporate Sponsorship form the name of the student who secured your support.

Thank you for taking the time to consider supporting the students within our community.

Sincerely,

Rachel Caldwell, Director