



# Welcome to Cadence Club

*Making a Difference for the Delaware City Schools Bands*



## GREETINGS!

Please accept our warm welcome along with some items we hope you will find useful as you begin the high school marching band parent experience. Your student will quickly find their fellow band members becoming like family and will build very strong bonds that will endure over the next four years. Cadence Club is here to support their journey and to help make Hayes Band a memorable and rewarding high school experience for all students.

We look forward to enthusiastic parent involvement in another exciting marching season! Parent volunteer efforts are *instrumental* in helping to keep the band fees low. Please sign up to help when and where you can, and please join us at monthly Cadence Club meetings, every first Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the Hayes band room.

## IMPORTANT LINKS & EMAILS

[www.hayesband.com](http://www.hayesband.com) – Tuesday sheets, updates, handbooks, Cadence Club resources, calendar, etc.

[dohertan@delawarecityschools.net](mailto:dohertan@delawarecityschools.net) – Email Mr. Doherty, Band Director

[notestal@delawarecityschools.net](mailto:notestal@delawarecityschools.net) – Email Mr. Notestine, Assistant Band Director

[delawarecitybands@gmail.com](mailto:delawarecitybands@gmail.com) – Email Cadence Club

<https://www.charmsoffice.com/charms/parents.asp> – Calendar, volunteer, email directors, finances, forms, etc.

<https://www.facebook.com/hayesmarchingband> – Like us on Facebook for pictures and announcements

<https://twitter.com/Delawarebands> – Follow all of the school's bands on Twitter

<https://twitter.com/Hayesband> - Follow just the marching band on Twitter

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## FAQ ABOUT CADENCE CLUB

**How do Cadence Club parents help the band?** Parents prepare and serve meals to band members, chaperone events, load, unload, assemble, transport, maintain and repair equipment, distribute and mend uniforms, decorate student lockers, prepare newsletters, coordinate communications, manage finances, and volunteer at the various fundraising events. Each service area has opportunities for involvement.

**Am I required to help?** No, however there is much to be done and to remain successful we need everyone to contribute.

**Why do you need me?** Each year we lose dedicated parents of graduating seniors and need new members to step up. Parent volunteers play a critical role providing support in all service areas, including fundraising.

**Why does the band need financial support?** A quality marching band program is very expensive. The current band fees (\$175) and student led fundraising covers the cost of show design (music, choreography, color guard, etc.) and area specific instruction staff. Parent led fundraising makes up the difference and covers other program expenses. Activities of Cadence Club are reducing the fees for your student to participate in band by a significant amount. Families are encouraged to participate in all fundraising activities to help band fees low. In the near future, the band will be needing to purchase a new equipment trailer so additional fundraising will be necessary to raise the necessary funds to purchase the trailer.

**How does Cadence Club raise money?** The Cadence Club holds fundraising events all year long, which includes restaurant nights, car washes, spaghetti dinner, tag day, etc. Of course, we are always looking for fresh ideas and welcome any ideas you may suggest.

**Does the Cadence Club have a budget?** Yes. The fiscal year for the Cadence Club is July – June. The Cadence Club approves the next year's budget at the March or April Cadence Club meeting. The budget for 2017/2018 has been approved. Anticipated expenses by the director are \$22,550 and the anticipated expenses by Cadence Club are \$16,780 totaling \$39,330. As you can see, we have a lot of fundraising to do...and this doesn't include additional expenditures like an equipment truck!

**What's in it for me?** Keep band fees low, give back to the community, teach kids the value of volunteering, meet peer students and families, pride in knowing you've supported activities and programs the band needs to remain successful, etc.

**How do I learn more about Cadence Club activities?** Email [hayesmarchingband@gmail.com](mailto:hayesmarchingband@gmail.com), attend a Cadence Club meeting, follow us on Facebook & Twitter or talk to another involved band parent.

**How do I become a member of Cadence Club?** Any parent with a child enrolled in any Delaware City Schools Band is a full voting member of Cadence Club. Meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Hayes band room. All are welcome!

# CHARMS LOG-IN

(Student and Parents use same log in)

1. Go to [www.hayesband.com](http://www.hayesband.com).
2. Click on **Charms** icon.
3. If requested, the school code is **Hayes Band**.
4. Enter student area password. Ask the Band Director, Mr. Doherty, for the student ID number if this is your first time on Charms.
5. Confirm the student name appears in the top right corner of the screen.
6. Go to **Update Info**.
7. Confirm Student Info and ADD parent information (name, email & phone number).
8. Click the **Update** button to save changes.
9. **Change Password** to something the parents and student will remember.
10. Explore the other areas in Charms.
  - Go to **Multiple Students** to link files.
  - Go to **Calendar** to sync dates with your mobile devices.
  - Go to **Finances** for a student financial statement.
  - Sign-up to volunteer from the calendar or at the **Volunteers** tab.

Thank You for using CHARMS!



## PARENT VOLUNTEERING

Parent volunteers play a critical role helping to provide both emotional and financial support to the band members. Your involvement helps keep fees low, builds camaraderie, gives you a chance to give back, helps you get to know members of your student's band family and lets your student know you care. Let us know your talents and availability and we will gladly accept your help and you can be an integral part of this successful, dynamic and exciting music program and have fun doing it!

### HERE IS HOW YOU CAN HELP

#### Food/Banquet

Help shop, prepare, donate and arrange meals and beverages for students as well as setting up, serving and cleaning up food areas. Prepare water coolers, snacks, carts and utensils at events.

#### Fundraising

Help plan and run fundraisers to support the financial needs of the band programs.

#### Spirit

Decorate student lockers, post signs of support, organize band banquet, assist with band dance, order flowers for senior nights, organize Halloween party, group cheer at contests, treat bags for students and other activities to pump up the kids.

#### Field Crew/Transportation

Load, unload, assemble, disassemble band equipment and instruments. Assist with transportation and placement of props.

#### Chaperones

Accompany and supervise students on busses to and from events and walk parade route with water.

#### Melodies & Marinara

Help organize and decorate along with assisting in soliciting donations for the January 2018 event.

**Keep up to date on important announcements and find out volunteer opportunities through Charms and Facebook.**



#### Uniforms

Measure, fit and distribute uniforms and accessories. Collect, maintain, repair and arrange for cleaning and storage.

#### Awards

Assist directors with student awards and coordinate varsity letterman letters, numbers and pins.

#### Equipment Trailer Fundraising

Help plan and run fundraisers and solicit corporate sponsorships to purchase a new equipment trailer that is to be implemented for the 2018 marching band season. In addition, research and organize purchase of the new trailer, furnishing the inside of the trailer for the bands equipment and design signage for the outside of trailer.

#### Publicity/Communications

Prepare and distribute press releases and promotions. Maintain contact lists and manage member communications and announcements. Participate in promotional events.

2017/2018 Cadence Club Officers	
President	Andy Cross
1 <sup>st</sup> VP Field Crew	Nathan Booth
2 <sup>nd</sup> VP Fundraising	Kim Nocera
Treasurer	Kym Waddell
Secretary	Beth Cline



## Please Register Your **KROGER PLUS CARD!**

[www.krogercommunityrewards.com](http://www.krogercommunityrewards.com)

**Kroger Community Rewards is an EASY way to donate to the Delaware City School Bands by simply registering your KrogerPlus Card. By registering your card in the program, Kroger will give the Cadence Club money from each time you shop, just by swiping your card. It is a simple, easy way to help the Delaware City School Bands. Ask your family and friends to do so as well.**

To **register** your Kroger Rewards, please follow the below steps to set up your account:

1. Go to [www.krogercommunityrewards.com](http://www.krogercommunityrewards.com).
2. Click "create an account."
3. Put in your email address and password.
4. Confirm your password.
5. Enter your plus card OR alt ID number.
6. Go to Community Rewards (near bottom).
7. Follow through steps (name, address, etc.).
8. Put in our group number **#42624** or the name **Friends of Grand Pacer Marching Band and Guard**.
9. Choose the correct organization.
10. Click Enroll.
11. You are now enrolled for Kroger Community Rewards!

(NOTE: may take up to one week to show up on your Kroger receipts)



## **Join AMAZON PRIME SMILE!**

<https://smile.amazon.com>

When you shop at Amazon Prime Smile, Amazon will donate 0.5% of the purchase price on eligible purchases to the **Friends of Grand Pacer Marching Band and Guard**. Bookmark the link <https://smile.amazon.com> and support the Delaware City School Bands every time you shop.

To select the Delaware City School Bands as your charity, follow the below steps:

1. From the Accounts & Lists drop down, select "Your Account."
2. Under Settings, select "Change Your Charity."
3. In the "Pick your own charitable organization" field, type in **Friends of Grand Pacer Marching Band and Guard**.
4. Hit Search.
5. Hit Select.
6. You have now selected the Hayes Band as your charity.



## The Delaware County Community Market

Please choose **Friends of Grand Pacer** as your designated non-profit and the Delaware City School Bands will receive 20% from each and every purchase that you make at DCCMC. To register, follow the below instructions:

1. Go to [www.dccmc.com](http://www.dccmc.com).
2. Click on **Sign Up Online** (right hand side).
3. Fill out the Member Registration form and select **Friends of Grand Pacer** as your non-profit.
4. Click **Send Registration**.

# EAT WINGS. RAISE FUNDS.

VISIT THE  
DELAWARE BUFFALO WILD WINGS AT  
475 NORTH HOUK ROAD

**APRIL 1 – JUNE 30**

**10%** OF NET  
SALES\*  
go to the  
GRAND PACER MARCHING BAND



MENTION **"TEAM - G"**  
TO YOUR WAITER OR WAITRESS



**BUFFALO  
WILD  
WINGS**

\* excludes all alcohol purchases





## Parent/Guardian Information

Band Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument/Guard: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you have a profession, talent, hobby or interest that would benefit the Cadence Club?

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**Thank you for your support!**

**DELAWARE CITY SCHOOLS****PARENTAL PERMISSION FOR THE RELEASE AND PUBLICATION  
OF STUDENT'S PHOTOGRAPH/IMAGE**

Documenting student success and academic achievement is a component of the media relations program at Delaware City Schools. Routinely students are photographed to showcase an accolade or educational program. Parental Permission is required for the School District to use or publish a student's photograph in building and district publications. Please read and complete the form below and return to the school office.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

School Building \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

**Check One Box Only**

**I authorize** the Board of Education, its officials, employees and agents to use my child's photograph/image as directory information and to use, release and/or publish my child's photograph/image in school publications as a means of recognizing student achievement and documenting educational programs within the district. This consent applies to school and district publications, media releases, athletic programs, yearbook and official district and school websites and online publications.

**I do not authorize** the use of my child's photograph/image in any school related publications including, but not limited to, sports programs, newsletters, yearbooks, school displays, media releases or online sites and publications.

Parent/Custodian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Marching Band Terminology (Band, Communication, Competition, Fundraising, Practice & Performance)

Auxiliary	Another term for color guard used to describe the visual ensemble of a marching band
Band Bulletin	Monthly newsletter from Cadence Club distributed by email
Cadence	Drumline groove that is used as a stand cheer at football games or to help the band stay in time in parades
Cadence Club	Not-for-profit band booster club operated by band parents exclusively for charitable and educational purposes
Charms	Management and communication system used by the band and accessed at <a href="http://www.hayesband.com">www.hayesband.com</a>
Charms Icons	Visual image on calendar. See the Cadence Club - Resource Tab at <a href="http://www.hayesband.com">www.hayesband.com</a> for a key
Choreography	Staging, dance and movement of the color guard on the field
Color Guard	The visual ensemble who spin flags, rifles and sabers while dancing to create a visual theme
Competition Awards	Recognition awarded for Color Guard, Percussion, Visual Effect, General Effect, Music, Overall & Show Champion
Comp Class Rank	Relates to school size in OMEA and size of the marching band in MSBA
Comp General Effect	Elements in the band's performance that combine to display the unit's total effectiveness and impressiveness
Comp Visual Effect	The visual performance of the full ensemble, winds, percussion and guard included
Crew	Cadence Club parents helping the band with equipment and instruments, or the fundraising effort at Columbus Crew Soccer Stadium
Crew Training	At Crew Stadium, alcohol trained (AT) to serve and run registers, lead trained to manage people & concession activities
DCF	Delaware County Fair and Little Brown Jug, a fundraising venue for Cadence Club
Dot Book	Small notebook to aid the learning of formations on the field
Drill	Position of band members on the field in every musical set
Drill Design	Process of writing the drill and its visual and musical effectiveness
Drumline	Section of percussion instrumentalists. Contains tonal bass drums, tenors and snare drums
Drum Major	Another term for field commander or student who directs the band on the field
Ensemble Practice	All sections (brass, woodwind, percussion, guard) of the band rehearsing together
EPL	Eat/Pack/Load for performance. A time designation indicated on the Tuesday Sheet
Fall Sports Program	Magazine for purchase at football games that include Hayes fall sport schedules, photos and ads
Field Commander	Student who directs the band on the field
Front Ensemble	Stationary percussion section at the front of a field. Performs on concert instruments including marimba, vibes, synth, xylophone & bells
Mark time	Marching in place
MSBA	Mid States Band Association sponsors HS marching band competitions. Participants are from Ohio, Michigan, Indiana and Kentucky
OMEA	Ohio Music Education Association sponsors adjudicated marching band competitions for Ohio schools (Delaware is District/Region 10)
OMEA Ratings	I Superior, II Excellent, III Good, IV Fair, V Poor - for adjudicated OMEA marching band events
Pit	Front ensemble, usually a stationary percussion section at the front of a football field playing concert band instruments
Roll Step	Marching style in which the heel hits the ground first and the foot is rolled forward to the toe to minimize upper body movement
ROTR	Rock on The Range, a three day musical event & largest Cadence Club fundraising activity of the year selling concessions at Crew Stadium
Runners	People who assist order takers at Columbus Crew Soccer Stadium concessions. Must be over 16 and does not require training
Sectional Practice	Brass, woodwind, percussion and color guard sections rehearsing parts separate from the whole band unit
Senior Night	Final home football game where senior football players, band members and parents are honored
Set	Each formation of the entire drill in which each band member has an exact position on the field
Sub Sectional	Instrument type within a band section, ex. bass drums are a sub section of percussion
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