

# JBHS



# IMA

## JBHS IMA NEWSLETTER 5/10/2022

Greetings, Band Families -

This is the time of the year when Europe's song, The Final Countdown, starts to become a real earbug. We are very near the end of the school year and the days left will soon reach zero. But we're not there yet. There is still a night of Swing and Salsa with the Jazz Band, a final concert for our concert bands and a performance at graduation to say farewell to our graduating Class of 2022. Check out how to enjoy these events as well as how to support the IMA program with your volunteerism and donations.

### GET YOUR TICKETS NOW FOR SWING & SALSA NIGHT

**Saturday, May 14** will be twice as nice for those looking to enjoy an evening of dance, music and food as the JBHS IMA's Jazz Band presents "A Night of Swing and Salsa," a first-of-its-kind concert combining elements of - you guessed it - swing and salsa music! Whether you like the standards or can't help but move to Latin beats, you won't want to miss this special event.

Tickets are \$15 general admission/\$10 for students and can be pre-purchased by [clicking here](#) and ordering them from our friends at S34T.com. Food and concessions are available at an additional charge at the venue. Concert begins at **6 p.m.** at the Brian Hurst Gym (aka the Small Gym) off of Parish Ave.

**To sign up and volunteer with decorating, ticket sales, concessions and security, or to donate items that we can sell at the event, please visit our [Sign Up Genius](#) and claim your spot to help.**



### LIVE! AN EVENING UNDER THE STARS

Our final concert of the year will be our Burroughs Live! event **Saturday, May 21 at 7 p.m.** in the amphitheater in the quad. Featuring music from our Wind Ensemble, Symphonic and Concert bands, you won't want to miss the collection of popular and soundtrack songs to be performed. Bring your picnic blankets and picnic baskets for a fun and relaxing evening. Free admission but donations will be gladly accepted. Concessions will also be available for purchase.

### ATTENTION WINTER PERCUSSION & WINTER COLOR GUARD STUDENTS

Just because the season is over doesn't mean the fun has come to an end! In order to fulfill the hours required for the Spring semester classes, Winter Percussion and Winter Color Guard are still scheduled to meet the remaining Mondays and Wednesdays of the semester. (And, yes, there are a few days these overlap with rehearsals for other ensembles.)

**May 11, 16 and 18 - 3:10-5:25 p.m.**

**May 23 - 3:10-5:10 p.m.**

**May 25 - 12:45-2:46 p.m.**

If you still have your Winter Percussion uniforms, please return it with its garment bag to the Band Room ASAP so that they can get laundered and put away for next year. We have 5 outstanding as of the writing of this newsletter.

### **GET ANY BELONGINGS STILL LEFT IN MARCHING BAND GARMENT BAGS**

Speaking of uniforms, we will be sending out our Marching Band uniforms to be dry cleaned shortly. If students have any personal items in their garment bags or shako boxes from this past season, please remove them and take them home before **3 p.m. on Monday, May 16**. Any unclaimed items will be tossed or donated to the program. Thank you!

### **GRADUATION**

Underclass students in Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band and Concert Band are expected to perform for and honor graduating seniors by performing live music at Graduation **Thursday, May 26 from 5-10 p.m.** All band folders and borrowed musical instruments will be returned to the Band Room by the end of the evening. Mr. Arakelian will provide additional details soon.

### **HELP GENERATE PASSIVE INCOME WITH YOUR GROCERY AND RETAIL PURCHASES**

Want to help the program earn money by not doing anything more than what you may already be doing? Just register your Amazon or Ralphs Club Rewards accounts and generate passive income for the band each time you shop. Or show your 5% card at Grocery Outlet. Every little bit helps.

**AMAZON SMILE** - Help the band earn cash when you shop at Amazon. Click **HERE** to enroll in Amazon Smile. Once enrolled, you will see the Amazon Smile logo when you log into Amazon or you can go directly to **smile.amazon.com** and start shopping.

**RALPHS CLUB REWARDS** - Click **HERE** to enroll. You must renew each year. Please check your account to see if you are already enrolled. Be sure to use JBHS IMA ID #83155.

**GROCERY OUTLET 5% CARD** - Shop at Grocery Outlet Burbank and present your card at the time of purchase and they will donate 5% of your purchase to the IMA. You must show it every time you shop; there are no retroactive rewards provided on prior purchases. We have lots of cards available if you are interested in additional cards to share with friends and family.

### **FIND THE LATEST BAND INFORMATION ACROSS THE INTERNET**

In addition to this newsletter, we are continually updating the latest band happenings to our website and social media channels listed below. You can also email **info@jbhsima.org** with any questions, comments and concerns and we'll get back to you as quickly as possible.

**Website** - **<https://www.jbhsima.org>**

**Facebook** - **<https://www.facebook.com/jbhsima>**

**Instagram** - **[https://www.instagram.com/jbhs\\_band/](https://www.instagram.com/jbhs_band/)**

**Twitter** - **[https://twitter.com/jbhs\\_band](https://twitter.com/jbhs_band)**

**LinkTree** - **<https://linktr.ee/JBHSIMA>**

Let's finish the year on a high note. Buy your tickets to Swing and Salsa Night, roll out the blanket at Burroughs Live! and celebrate the students' hard work throughout the year with your attendance and applause.