

# **BAND BANQUET 2017**

**Friday, May 19, 2017 - Texas Motor Speedway**

**Registration Begins: 5:30 pm; Doors Open: 6:00 pm;**

**Dinner Begins: 6:30 pm;**

**Dancing to Follow Dinner and the Program**

**Banquet Ends: Midnight**

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## **ORDERING AND PAYING FOR BAND BANQUET TICKETS:**

- 1. All Band Banquet tickets, including those for band seniors, must be ordered through the online registration system.** Please logon to the event registration page of the band website at [www.carrolldragonband.org](http://www.carrolldragonband.org) to find the link for Band Banquet registration. Payments may be processed online through PayPal (with no credit card fee added to your transaction) or offline by check. Registering for tickets has nothing to do with seating arrangements at the banquet. Seating arrangements will be made separately as indicated below.
- 2. After you register, you should receive a confirmation email.** It will be sent to the address you enter in the registration process. If you do not receive a confirmation email or you have any trouble registering, contact Marcy McTaggart ASAP at the contact information included below.
- 3. The online registration should only be used by Dragon Band members/parents.** All non-band student guests must be registered by a Dragon Band member/parent. Furthermore, the payment for a non-band student guest must be made using the credit card of a Dragon Band member/parent (if paying online) or with a check of a Dragon Band member/parent. Any registration made by a non-band student guest will be deleted without notice, and any payment will be refunded upon request.
- 4. Online payments preferred:** online payments can easily be made through PayPal without any additional online fee. If your online payment goes through successfully, you will receive a confirmation email from PayPal.
- 5. Paying for tickets by check:** Checks (made payable to "Carroll Band Boosters") should be delivered or mailed to Marcy McTaggart, 710 Wentwood Drive, Southlake, Texas 76092. Please be sure to indicate the band student's name on the memo line of the check. A box is located on the porch for check delivery. Do not put checks in the mailbox. Do not take checks to the band hall or school. Marcy will confirm receipt of your payment via email. Please read the information under "**Cost and Deadlines**" carefully, especially if you choose to pay off-line by check.
- 6. Tickets for Band Seniors:** Even though Band Seniors attend Band Banquet for free (through April 30), they must register for their tickets online.
- 7. Family Guests:** Family members of all band students are welcome to attend band banquet, not just family members of senior band students. Family members remain at the event through dinner, presentations and the video, and generally depart when the dancing begins.

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**COST AND DEADLINES: The last day to register and pay for tickets is May 5\*\***

**Through April 30: Band Seniors are free.** The ticket price for everyone else is **\$70**. Please note that if paying by check, the check must be RECEIVED by **April 30** for tickets to qualify for the **\$70** per ticket price.

**\*\*May 1 - May 5: Ticket prices increase**

**Band Seniors are \$10.** The ticket price for everyone else is **\$80** each. Please note that if paying by check, the check must be RECEIVED by **May 5** or you will NOT have tickets to Band Banquet.

**After May 5: No tickets will be available after May 5. NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD THE NIGHT OF THE EVENT.**

No refunds will be made.

You may not transfer your registration to another person if you are unable to attend.

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#### **SEATING:**

**Students and their Guests:** In an attempt to avoid the rush for undergraduates to get to Band Banquet to get a table with friends, each student will be given an opportunity to reserve a seat for himself/herself and his/her student guest. Additionally, the reservation process will allow students to coordinate with their friends and make reservations for up to 10 people to sit at the same table. Please logon to on the event registration page of the band website at [www.carrolldragonband.org](http://www.carrolldragonband.org) to find the link for Band Student/Student Guest Seating.

**Family Members: New this year** - family members will also be given the opportunity to reserve seats at non-student tables. If you do not reserve seats then seats will be assigned to you. Please logon to on the event registration page of the band website at [www.carrolldragonband.org](http://www.carrolldragonband.org) to find the link for Family Seating.

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#### **STUDENT GUESTS:**

**Each band student may invite only one student guest.** If the student guest is not a CISD band member, the guest must check-in with that band member, and that band member is responsible for that guest's adherence to the student code of conduct according to the Band Handbook. That student guest is required to sit at the same table as the band member who registers them as indicated above. Furthermore, if the student guest is NOT a CISD student, you must have a Carroll Senior High School Guest Information Sheet approved at your guest's school and then turn that completed form in to Mr. Puddy at CSHS for approval by May 5. You must download this form from the link provided on the event registration page of the band website at [www.carrolldragonband.org](http://www.carrolldragonband.org). Please note that if a student does not have this form completed and approved for his/her non-CISD student guest, then the student guest will NOT be allowed entrance to the banquet.

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#### **PRE-ORDER OF BAND VIDEO PACKAGE:**

This year we are offering a \$25 video package that includes two video discs: (a) the Band Banquet DVD (student skits and Senior Tributes); and (b) the Dragon Band "Year in Music" Blu-ray (marching shows, Winterguard and Indoor Drumline videos, photo slide shows and more) produced by Mr. Harston. The two-disc package may be pre-ordered through Band Banquet online registration through May 5. (After May 5, the video package will be sold online via the Store on the Dragon Band website). Also, please note that the two discs will be delivered at different times: The Banquet DVD will be ready in time for the Banquet itself; the Blu-ray will be finalized in the summer, after graduation. You will receive more information about how and when to pickup the Blu-ray at a later date.

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**MEAL SELECTION:**

You will be given the opportunity online to make a meal selection for each person you register for Band Banquet. Those who require peanut free, gluten free, or dietary restrictions should select "Other" and specify your particular dietary need in the space indicated in the on-line registration form.

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**LAST DAY TO PURCHASE TICKETS:**

**May 5, 2017 is the last day to order and pay for tickets.** NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR.

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**CHECK-IN:**

All individuals will be required to present ID upon check-in. Non-Band Member Student Guests are required to check-in with the band member who registered them.

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**DIRECTIONS:**

Directions to Texas Motor Speedway Club, 3545 Lone Star Circle Fort Worth, Texas 76177

Take 114 Heading West

Stay on 114 and cross Highway 377

Stay on 114 and cross I35

Texas Motor Speedway is on your right

Turn Right on Lone Star Circle

Follow the signs for Texas Motor Speedway Club

Parking is free and the lots are right in front of the building.

Drop Off and Pick Up will be in the circular drive in front of the building.

Please plan ahead. There will be a lot of traffic at that time of day.

If you are picking up your student at the end of the banquet, please be prompt.

**QUESTIONS ABOUT ON-LINE REGISTRATION:** Marcy McTaggart, 817-683-6193, [marcymct@gmail.com](mailto:marcymct@gmail.com)

**QUESTIONS ABOUT BAND BANQUET SEATING:** Francene Venesky, 817-707-0383, [fransclan8@aol.com](mailto:fransclan8@aol.com)